

October 28, 2015 Safety Grant Program Workshop

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#### Welcome & Introductions Agenda

- Safety Programs & the Grant Funding cycle
- Data Where Montana is at with meeting Core Performance Measures
- New web-based grant system and management
- Grants Management and getting paid what's new?
- Program Highlights
- Break out what's going on

# State Highway Traffic Safety Section

- Impaired Driving Kevin Dusko
- Occupant Protection Pam Buckman
- Law Enforcement Chad Newman
- Safe on All Roads Teens Motorcycles Sheila Cozzie
- Montana Crash Data Mark Keeffe
- Grants Accountant Bill Tuck
- FARS Analyst John Robinson

## Montana's Highway Safety Plan

- Each year the State Highway Traffic Safety Section submits a HSP (Section 402) to NHTSA
- We post the HSP on our website as soon as NHTSA approves the plan
- <u>http://www.mdt.mt.gov/visionzero/plans/safetyprg.</u> <u>shtml</u>





## NHTSA Safety Programs MAP-21

- Section 402 Highway Safety Plan funding & Teen Traffic Safety Plan
- Section 405(B) Occupant Protection
- Section 405 (C) Traffic Records, Data and IT Projects
- Section 405 (D) Impaired Driving, High Visibility Enforcement
- Section 405 (F) Motorcycles

## Safety Grant Application Process

- Annual process Applications due March 1st
- Tie to CHSP Proposal needs to be a strategy in CHSP (updated 2015)
- Applications ranked grant decisions will be based on ranking criteria - data analysis, goals & objectives, past performance, and other considerations
- Award Governor's Representative (GR) for Highway Traffic Safety – Director Tooley makes final decision – notification of funding sent to applicants
- NHTSA Grant projects are compiled into annual Highway Safety Plan submitted to NHTSA by July 1<sup>st</sup> annually

### FFY 2017 Annual Grant Cycle

(10/1/16 - 09/30/17)

- March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 Applications due to SHTSS through webgrants
- March April, 2016 SHTSS review and GR approve funding recommendation
- May 1 June 30, 2016 HSP prepared & approved by GR
- July 1, 2016 Highway Safety Plan due to NHTSA
- August 30, 2016 NHTSA notifies state of HSP approval status
- September 1, 2016 Notification letters sent to applicants
- October 1, 2016 signed contracts due from grantees



#### **Funding for Traffic Safety Projects**

The Montana State Highway Traffic Safety Section administers federal grant monies for <u>traffic safety programs</u> aimed at reducing deaths,

