

Student deaths led to VZ Action Plan



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Hillsborough County traffic

Record fatal year: 51 pedestrians die



The 2015 deaths made Hillsborough County the most deadly place to walk in Tampa Bay.

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292,000 new job keep U.S perking

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Associated Press

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Our 1st "Call" - High School Student Video Contest

- √32 entries
- √78 participants
- ✓ 7 high schools





- Goal: Peer-to-peer messaging
- Judges: Hillsborough Community College Media Production Class



A collaboration of:





There's a place for SR2S in each VZ Action Track

Future is not like the past

Consistent & Fair

Paint Saves Lives

One message, many voices

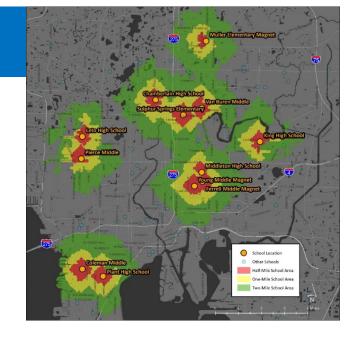


Future is Not Like the Past

- School Board member added to MPO
- School Transportation Working Group

MPO's School Safety Study

- School Administration support
- Data driven crashes, equity, existing conditions number of students
- On-site audits
- Recommendations with cost estimates





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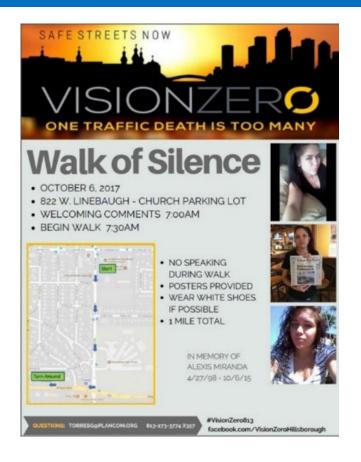








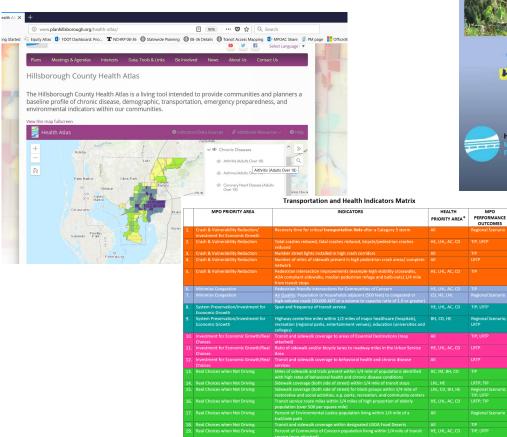
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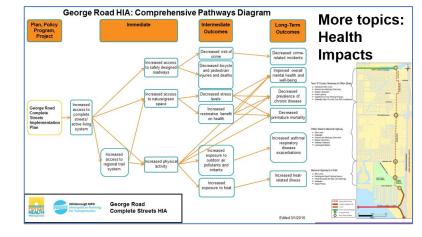




Public Health







Advice...

Diverse and dedicated team for results to be different than status quo

 Include community leaders, NAACP, transit agencies and riders, local businesses, school districts, sports teams, hospitals, health departments, neighborhood advocates, chambers of commerce, elected officials, students, seniors

Resources are available and essential for developing a credible program

- Access to dependable and accurate crash data locations, progress, and equitable.
- Vision Zero Network and already-established programs around the country







Vision Zero and SRTS

Achieving "Gold Star" Safety Results Through City/School Partnership



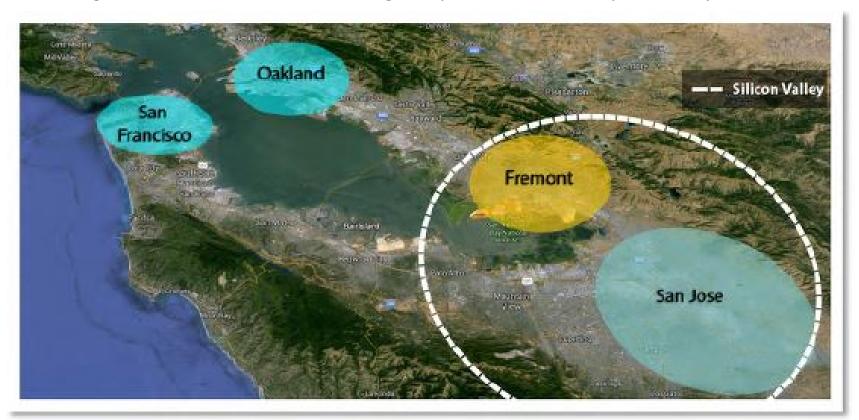


SRTS National Conference, Tampa Hans Larsen, Fremont Public Works Director November 13, 2019



About Fremont, CA

230,000 Population; 4th Largest City in Bay Area; Home of Tesla Factory; Evolving from Suburban to "Strategically Urban"; Family Friendly; Diverse





SRTS Program (Pre Vision Zero)

2005 to 2015 - "Reactive and Siloed"

Agency	Role
School	Initiates concern/interest
County	Provides traffic safety education and walk/bike encouragement
Police	Manages school crossing guards
Public Works	Seeks/implements grants for safety studies, improvements



Vision Zero in Fremont

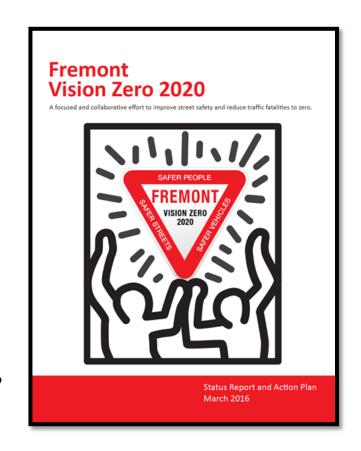
Initiated by Fremont City Council in September 2015

Vision Zero Action Plan (Adopted March 2016)

- Safer People "Enforcement, Education"
- Safer Streets "Engineering"
- Safer Vehicles

7th U.S. City to Adopt Vision Zero Plan

- 1. New York City (2014), 2. San Francisco,
- 3. Seattle, 4. San Jose, 5. Boston,
- 6. Washington DC, 7. Fremont





Fremont Vision Zero Actions

"Just Do It" ... No new budget, staff, consultants, or committees

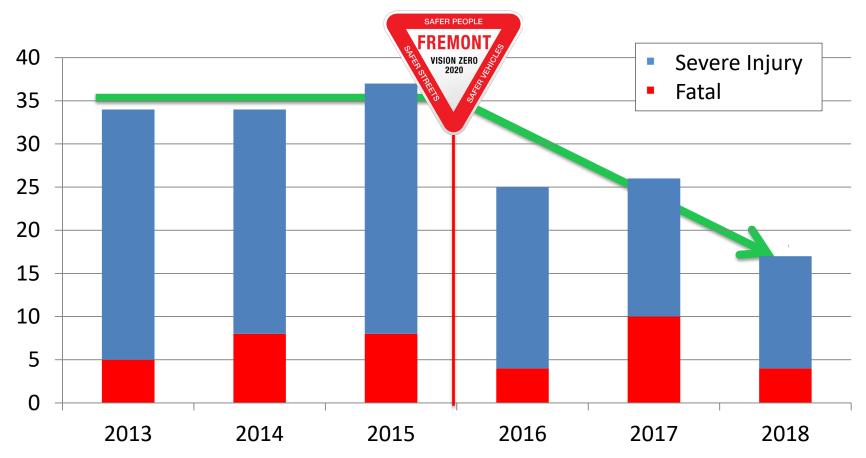
- Rigorous Evaluation of Safety Data
- Align Transportation Engineering Investment Toward Safety (Reprioritized CIP; Major investment in better lighting; Implement complete streets with pavement maintenance)
- Proactive Engagement by **Police** Department
- Integrate Traffic SafetyInto Public Communication
- Encourage Community to Participate





Fremont Major Traffic Crash Trends

Since start of Vision Zero program, major traffic crashes are down over 50%



Major crashes involving children (under age 16) dropped from 12 to 1 for the three years before and after start of Vision Zero



SRTS Program (with Vision Zero)

2015 to Now - "Proactive and Collaborative"

- Joint meetings between City Council and School Board
- Safety audits prepared for all 42 schools
- 500 safety recommendations identified
 - 300 "quick-build" projects delivered to date
 - 400 projects delivered by 2020
- 23 schools w/ "walk and roll" programs
- Awards and recognition
 - "Platinum Sneaker" award for local school
 - APA award to Fremont for program excellence





"Quick-Build" Projects

Protecting Pedestrians with Paint and Plastic



Other project types: speed humps, all way stops, high visibility crosswalks, parking restrictions, drop-off circulation changes; signal timing (leading ped interval)



Major Projects

- Flashing beacons
- Median islands
- Curb extensions
- Radar feedback signs
- New traffic signals
- Bike lane striping





"Take Away" Tips

City/School Collaboration Benefits

- Cost/resource sharing
- Accountability
- Urgency, efficiency and creativity
- Fostered "quick-build" delivery program
- "Backstop against backlash"
- Spin-off safety collaborations

Lessons Learned

- Lag between conducting safety audits and implementing improvements
- Aesthetics of quick-build projects





Next Steps

- Focus on Walk/Bike Encouragement
 - 100% Participation Goal
- Succession Planning for Parent Champions
- Institutionalize Traffic Safety Education







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DC HEALTH

Vision Zero & Safe Routes to School: Partners in Safety, A Hands-on Training Session

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BACKGROUND



The statewide voice for pedestrian safety and healthy, walkable communities for people of all ages and abilities.



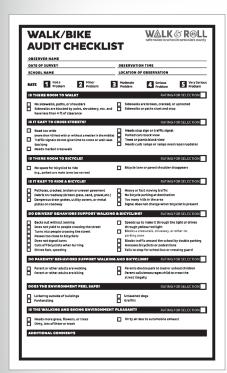
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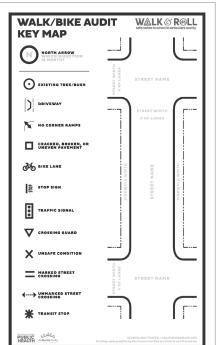
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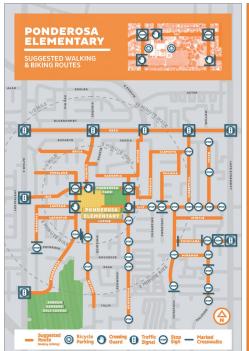




PUBLIC HEALTH COLLABORATION: CALIFORNIA









Images: California Walks



PUBLIC HEALTH COLLABORATION: CALIFORNIA

Lack of Sidewalks /

Falta de banquetas

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Other Reasons? / Otras Razones?

Lack of Adult

Supervision /

Falta de adultos que

acompañen a su niño



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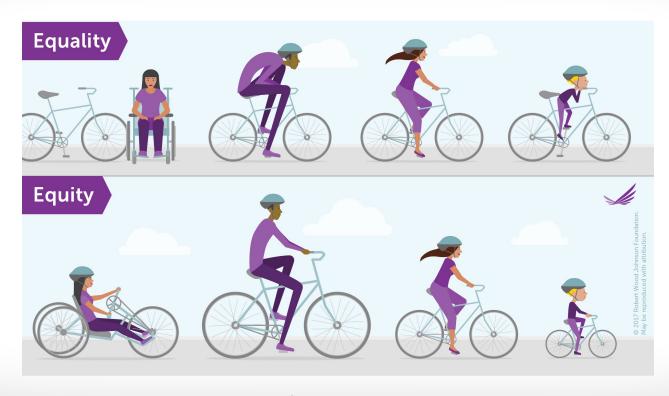
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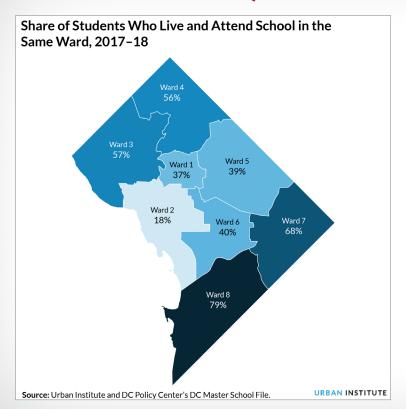


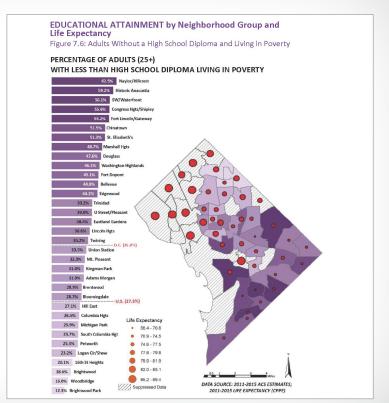


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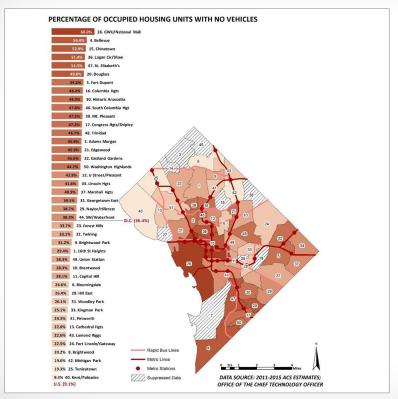


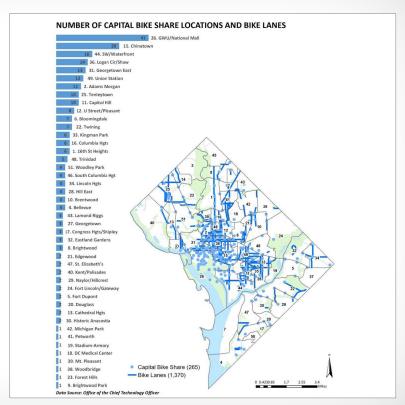




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VISION ZERO DC & SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL



Back to School Campaign Photo: Vision Zero DC



RRFB at Hyde-Addison Elementary School Photo: Vision Zero DC



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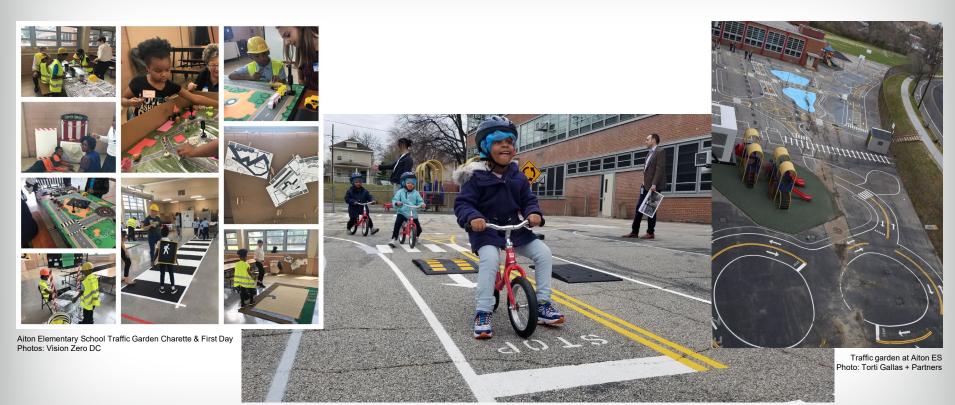








VISION ZERO DC & SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL





THANK YOU!

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Safe Routes & Vision Zero: Partnering in Portland



WE KEEP PORTLAND MOVING.



Safe Routes to School Timeline

5 E concepts 8 schools, 3 districts

2005

6 E
concepts
at 100+
schools,
5 districts

2012-2014

Strategic plan & primary investment routes

2017

Education revamp & youth programs

2019

2016

32 actions with annual measures

2018

Updated actions & tasks

Vision Zero Timeline





Weaving Together SRTS & VZ

Engineering

Equity

Education



Policy

Messaging





Safe Routes Strategic Plan



No child is involved in a serious crash accessing school or school programs



Every school has safer access via infrastructure improvements on Primary Investment Routes



Program activities for older students are youth oriented and youth driven



Education campaigns focus on all members of the school community to create a culture of safety





VZ Priorities 2019-21

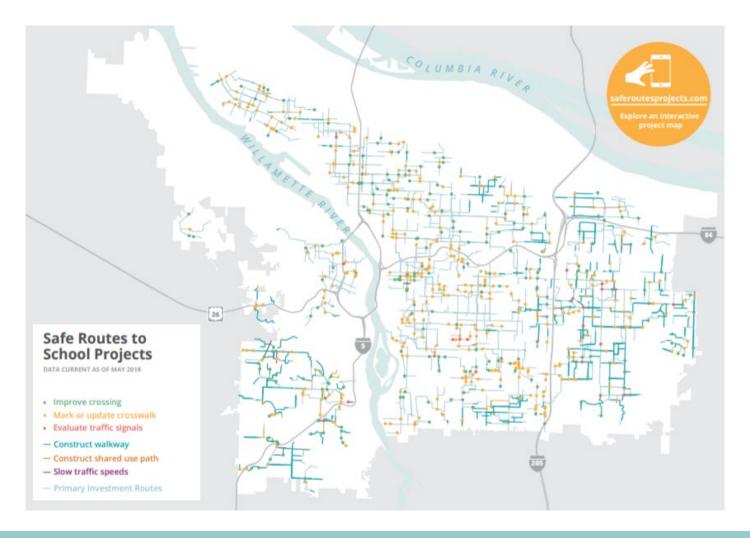
- ✓ Protect pedestrians
- ✓ Reduce speeds citywide
- ✓ Deliver High Crash Network safety projects & targeted rapid response fixes
- ✓ Create a culture of shared responsibility
- ✓ HS & MS youth programming







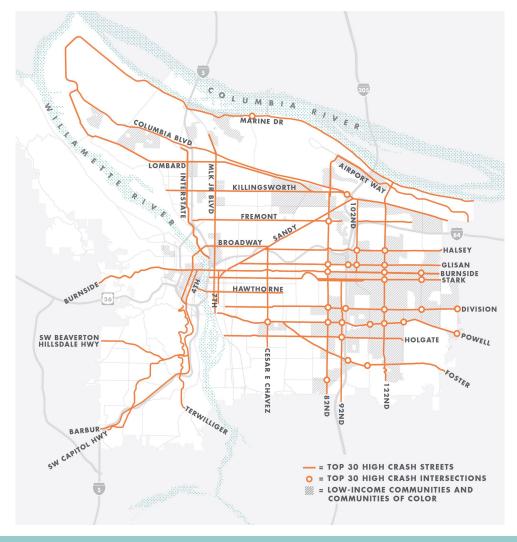
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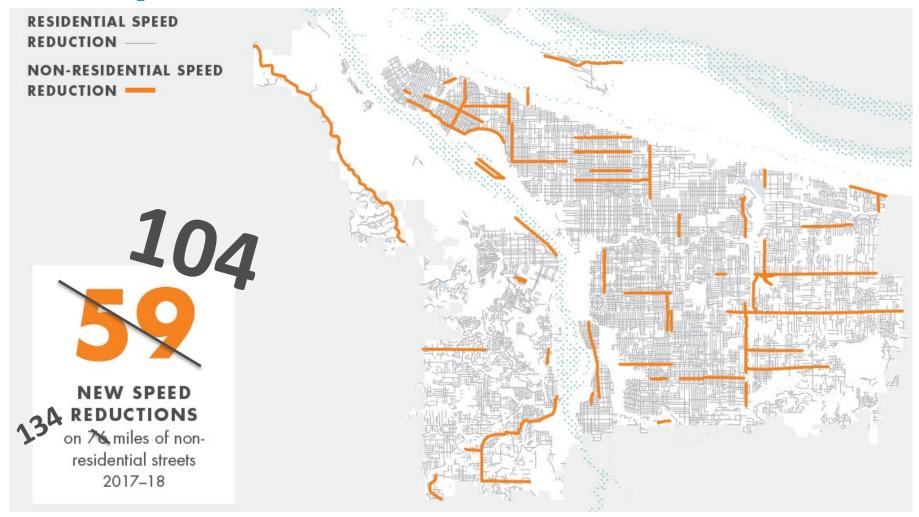
VZ High Crash Corridors







VZ Speed Reduction







Shared Messaging









Integrating into Classrooms...

and beyond







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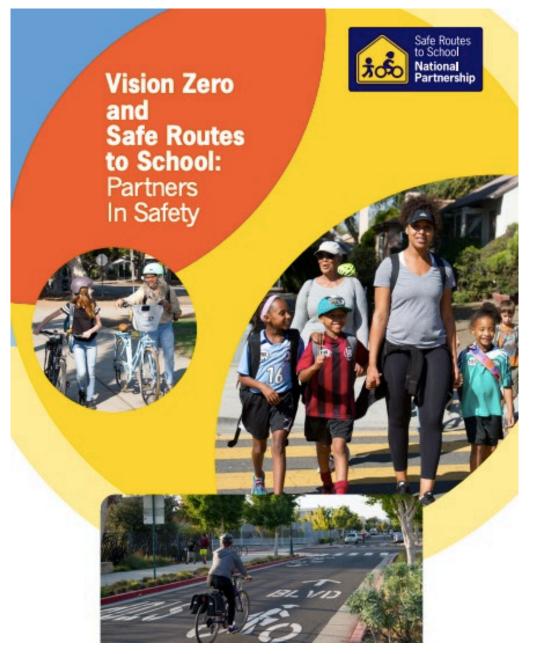
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Vision Zero Cities

A Vision Zero City meets the following minimum standards:

- Sets clear goal of eliminating traffic fatalities and severe injuries
- Mayor has publicly, officially committed to Vision Zero
- Vision Zero plan or strategy is in place, or Mayor has committed to doing so in clear time frame





TRADITIONAL APPROACH

Traffic deaths are INEVITABLE

PERFECT human behavior

Prevent COLLISIONS

INDIVIDUAL responsibility

Saving lives is **EXPENSIVE**

VISION ZERO

Traffic deaths are PREVENTABLE

Integrate **HUMAN FAILING** in approach

Prevent FATAL AND SEVERE CRASHES

SYSTEMS approach

VS

Saving lives is NOT EXPENSIVE

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The Spectrum of Prevention

Influencing Policy & Legislation

Changing Organizational Practices

Fostering Coalitions & Networks

Educating Providers

Promoting Community Education

Strengthening Individual Knowledge & Skills

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SAFE TRAVEL FOR ALL SAFE STREETS SAFE SPEEDS SAFE VEHICLES SAFE PEOPLE

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Hit by a vehicle traveling at



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ON LOCAL ROADS

COULD HAVE PREVENTED

>22,000

DEATHS OR INJURIES NATIONWIDE IN 2015





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SOURCE: INSURANCE INSTITUTE FOR HIGHWAY SAFETY, IIHS.ORG



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Group Discussion Questions:

- 1 Introductions & status of SR2S & VZ
- 2– What benefits can you imagine (or do you have) from aligned programs?
- 3 What would success look like?
- 4 What obstacles do you see to aligning SR2S & VZ?
- 5 What would need to change to overcome obstacles?
- 6 Who do you need to enlist to help?
- 7 -- What steps could you take to better align programs.....
 - By year's end
 - Within 6 months
 - Within 1-2 years

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