Hillsborough MPO Metropolitan Plan for Transportation



MANAGING SPEED on Hillsborough's High Injury Network

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What it is:

- Furtherance of Hillsborough MPO Vision Zero policy
- Furtherance of Hillsborough Complete Streets policy
- Next step toward reducing fatal and serious injury crashes
- Identification of national best practices on speed management
- Update on TOP20 HIN trends and potential solutions

What it is not:

- A new policy statement
- Directive to any agency

Vision Zero Action Plan

- Future is not like the past
- Consistent & Fair
- Paint Saves Lives
- One message, many voices





Future will not be like the past - Goal1

Short-term action

Enhance requirements in local land development codes

Mid-term actions

- Enhance requirements in technical manuals
- Revisit and update maintenance of traffic policies
- Provide professional training opportunities

Long-term action

 Develop context classifications and target speeds within Vision Zero corridors, consistent with FDOT Complete Streets guidelines.



WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

- Florida most dangerous state for pedestrians and bicyclists in recent history
- Nations Top 10 metro areas with highest pedestrian fatalities
 - Cape Coral
 - Palm Bay
 - Orlando
 - Jacksonville
 - Daytona Beach
 - Lakeland
 - Tampa/St. Petersburg
 - Sarasota/Bradenton

On average, a person is dying on Hillsborough streets every other day!

BABY, 10 MONTHS, DIES IN I-75 CRASH





Patissia P. Felson, 69, et Tampa, the driver of a Toyola SUV, was not injured. The crash happened about 4.68 p.m. Tuesday (Oct. 2) at the 176 Fowler Avenue interchange in Hillsborrough County.

e Most Dangerous Place to Bicycle/

America

he highest cyclist death rate in the T rate of any metro res

BICYCLIST DIES IN HIT AND RUN CRASH



Dangerous by Design

BRUCE B. DOWNS CRASH KILLS TWO



When the initial entered the northbound lanes, it disped the back end of another vehicle. The infinit contrauid hilo encorring traffic where it collided with two other ve damage. Three other vehicles were also damaged because of secondary incidents caused by the crash. Six vehicles were involved, police said.

BRANDON MOTORCYCLIST DIES IN CRASH



#FloridaHighwayPatrol #RyanJamesSimpson #MotorcycleCrash #TampabayNews

Study Objectives

GOAL

• Improve public health and safety by reducing road fatalities and serious injuries.

DESIRED OUTCOMES

- *Improved safety experience* for all road users pedestrians, bicyclists, and motorists.
- Increase awareness of the dangers of speeding.
- *Institutionalize good practices* in road design, traffic operations, engagement, enforcement and safety.
- Identify *supportive policies, programs and infrastructure* improvements to meet safety goal.
- Obtain *cooperation and support* of stakeholders.

SPEED MANAGEMENT ACTION PLAN - Study Scope

- Task I Stakeholder Involvement
- Task 2 Speed Management Practices
- Task 3 Corridor Prioritization
- Task 4 Next30 High Injury Corridors
- Task 5 Speed Management Action Plan



Task 1 - STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

Partners & Stakeholders

- Hillsborough County MPO
- Hillsborough County
- Hillsborough County School District
- City of Tampa
- City of Temple Terrace
- Plant City
- Law Enforcement
- FDOT
- HART
- THEA
- Florida Health Department

TASK 2 - SPEED MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

- Existing Speed Management Practices
- Industry Best Practices
 - Statewide & National

















"...incremental progress is no longer acceptable given the increasingly rapid advances in technology and the wealth of knowledge about how to prevent crashes...

with the right *policies*, technologies, and strategy, we could *prevent all* roadway deaths"

USDOT, National Safety Council

MANAGING SPEED

- Speeding kills more than 10,000/year
- On par with drunk driving
- Doesn't carry the same social consequences
- 30% of all fatal crashes nationwide
- Societal cost = \$40 Billion annually
- National problem, effective solutions must be applied locally



SPEED TAKES THE BACK SEAT



SPEED MATTERS MOST



SPEED LIMIT REDUCTION RESULTS

Seattle

- 40% in crashes
- 30% in injury crashes

NYC

- 14% in crashes
- 49% in pedestrian crashes
- 42% in bicyclist crashes

Mexico City

- 18% in crashes

Boston

- 30% in speeds over 35 MPH

Other Cities

- Washington, DC
- Portland, OR
- Cambridge, MA
- Albuquerque, NM
- Nashville, TN
- Minneapolis
- St. Paul
- Boulder, CO



Task 2 - WHAT IS SPEED MANAGEMENT?

SPEED MANAGEMENT PLAN ATTRIBUTES:

- Data-driven crash, roadway, user, landuse data
- Applying road design, traffic operations, & safety measures
- Setting "appropriate/rational/desirable/safe" speed limits
- Institutionalize good practices
- Supportive enforcement efforts
- Effective outreach & public engagement
- Cooperation by traffic safety stakeholders



Source: USDOT, SPEED MANAGEMENT PROGRAM PLAN, MAY 2014

Task 2 - WHAT IS SPEED MANAGEMENT?

FLETCHER AVENUE COMPLETE STREETS PROJECT BEFORE / AFTER Analysis

- Fatal crashes reduced by ~60%
- Serious injury crashes reduced by ~46%
- Average vehicle speeds reduced
- Over 83% of compliance by pedestrians and over 97% compliance by motorists at midblock crossings
- Traffic volumes increased
- Depending on direction of travel, average travel times either decreased, remained the same, or increased at the most by 87 seconds

Notable improvements:

Speed limit reduced from 45mph to 35mph

BEFORE AFTER ANALYSIS

- 5 mid-block crossings with RRFB's
- 1 mid-block crossing with full signal
- LED lighting as pedestrian crossings
- Landscaped refuge islands, medians, and raised separators

TASK 3 - CORRIDOR PRIORITIZATION

- Evaluate Top 20 HIN Corridors
- Develop Metrics for Prioritization
 - Severity
 - Equity
 - Focus on Pedestrian Crashes
 - Proximity to Schools
 - Ease of Implementation

PROTECT #EVERYSCHOOL WITH SPEED SAFETY CAMERAS











Example Assessment -Posted Speed & Context Class



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	Corridor	Road Classification	Context Classification	ITE/CNU Class Speed Range*	Posted Speed (MPH)	Conflict Range (MPH)
	Brandon Blvd from Falkenburg Rd to Dover Rd	Principal Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45,50, 55	10-20
	Gibsonton Dr/Boyette Rd from I-75 to Balm Riverview Rd	Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45	10
	Hillsborough Ave from Longboat Blvd to Florida Ave	Principal Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45, 50	10-15
	Fletcher Ave from Armenia Ave to 50th St	Principal Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	35, 40, 45	5-10
	Dale Mabry from Hillsborough Ave to Bearss Ave	Principal Arterial	C3-C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	45	10
	Lynn Turner from Gunn Hwy to Ehrlich Rd	Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45	10
	Meridian Ave from Channelside Dr to Twiggs St	Arterial	C6 (25-30)	25-30 Max	40	10
	Bruce B Downs from Fowler Ave to Bearss Ave	Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45	10
	50th/56th St from MLK Blvd to Hillsborough Ave	Principal Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45	10
	15th St from Fowler Ave to Fletcher Ave	Collector	C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	30	0
	Big Bend Road from US41 to I75	Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45	10
	US301 from I75 to Adamo Dr	Principal Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	50	15
	Sheldon Rd from Hillsborough Ave to Water Ave	Arterial	C3 (35-55)	25-35 Max	45	10
	14 from 1275 to 22nd St	Freeway	Urban (50-70)	50-70	55	0
Overall	56th St from Sligh Ave to Busch Blvd	Principal Arterial	C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	35, 45	10
	1275 from Howard Frankland Bridge to Busch Blvd	Freeway	Urban (50-70)	50-70	55, 60	0
• 70% are 5-10MPH over National Practice	Kennedy Blvd from Dale Mabry to Ashley Dr	Principal Arterial	C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	40, 45	5-10
• 15% are 15 20MDH	78th St from Causeway Blvd to Palm River Rd	Arterial	C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	45	10
over National Practice	CR579/Mango Rd from MLK Blvd to US92	Arterial	C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	45	10
	Florida Ave from Waters Ave to Linebaugh Ave	Arterial	C4 (30-45)	25-35 Max	40, 45	5-10
	*Designing Walkable Urban Thoroughfares: A Context	Sensitive Approact	n- An ITE Recom	mended Practice,	ITE, CNU, 2010)

SPEED TAKES THE BACK SEAT



Prioritization Factors

- Posted speed vs. context Class
- Regional equity (low income, Commissioner districts)
- Crash history
- Proximity to schools
- Ped/bike injuries
- Transit service route
- Geometric features (volumes, lanes, intersection spacing)



Identified-Risk Performance Level



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t	Gibsonton Dr/Boyette Rd	I-75 to Balm Riverview Rd		\bigcirc				\bigcirc	\bigcirc	4.7	
P	Hillsborough Ave	Longboat Blvd to Florida Ave				\bigcirc			\bigcirc	5.7	Priority Scoring
Z	Fletcher Ave	Armenia Ave to 50th St			\bigcirc				-	5.3	High
	Dale Mabry	Hillsborough Ave to Bearss Ave						\bigcirc	\bigcirc	5.7	Medium
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	US301	I75 to Adamo Dr		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	-	3.7	Meaium
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	Kennedy Blvd	Dale Mabry to Ashley Dr			\bigcirc	\bigcirc			\bigcirc	5.3	
	78th St	Causeway Blvd to Palm River Rd			\bigcirc			\bigcirc	\bigcirc	4.3	
	CR579/Mango Rd	from MLK Blvd to US92	-	\bigcirc		\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	4.0	
	Florida Ave	Waters Ave to Linebaugh Ave			\bigcirc		•		\bigcirc	5.7	

TASK 4 - Next Top 30 HIN Corridors



Next30 High Injury Corridors

Bloomingdale Ave - US Hwy 301 to Lithia Pinecrest Rd US Hwy 41 - Gulf City Rd to Riverview Dr US Hwy 301 - 19th Ave to Bloomingdale Ave M L King Blvd - Dale Mabry Hwy to Parson Ave US Hwy 41 - Madison Ave to I4 Big Bend Rd - 175 to Balm Riverview Rd Busch Blvd - Armenia Ave to 56th Street SR 674 (Sun City Ctr Blvd) - US Hwy 41 to CR579 Hillsborough Ave - Florida Ave to Orient Rd Waters Ave - Sheldon Road to Dale Mabry Hwy Fowler Ave - 1275 to 175 US Hwy 301 - SR 674 to Lightfoot Rd I-75 - Big Bend Rd to US Hwy 301 SR 60 /Adamo Dr - Orient Rd to Falkenburg Rd Causeway Blvd - 78th St to Providence Rd Waters Ave - Dale Mabry Hwy to Nebraska Ave Progress Blvd - Falkenburg Rd to US Hwy 301 Hillsborough Ave - Race Track Rd to Longboat Blvd Memorial Hwy - Hillsborough Ave to Veterans Expwy Hanley Rd - Woodbridge Blvd to Waters Ave Dale Mabry Hwy - Interbay Blvd to Gandy Blvd Howard Ave - Kennedy Blvd to Tampa Bay Blvd Dale Mabry Hwy - Kennedy Blvd to Hillsborough Ave US Hwy 92 - Falkenburg Rd to Thonotosassa Rd Nebraska Ave - Columbus Ave to Hillsborough Ave US Hwy 301 - Stacy Rd to County Line Armenia Ave - Tampa Bay Blvd to Waters Ave MacDill Ave - Kennedy Blvd to Columbus Dr M L King Blvd - McIntosh Rd to Sammonds Rd



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TASK 5 - Speed Management Action Plan

- Strategies and Countermeasures
- Actions and Implementation Strategy



Vision Zero Principles



Safe Systems Approach

- Holistic view of the road system
- Interactions among roads and roadsides, travel speeds, vehicles and road users
- Inclusive approach for all users
 - Drivers, motorcyclists, passengers, pedestrians, cyclist, and commercial/heavy vehicles
- Speeds must be managed
- Humans are not exposed to impact forces beyond their physical tolerance

Most Importantly, it's proactive vs. reactive

Figure 2.1 | Principles of the Safe System Approach



Source: Collaborative Sciences Center for Road Safety

Aggressive Driving Crash Countermeasures

	Area Type			L	ocation Type	e	Effects			
	Urban	Suburban	Rural			Arterial /	Crash	Speed	Severity	
Countermeasure	(C4,C5,C6)	(C3)	(C1-C2)	Intersection	Slow Street	Corridor	Reducing	Reducing	Reducing	
Safe People Walking or Bicycling:										
Pedestrian Crossing - High Visibility	✓	✓	\checkmark	✓	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Raised Pedestrian Crossing	✓	\checkmark		1	\checkmark	✓		\checkmark	✓	
Sidewalks Required on both sides	✓	✓		1	✓	✓	✓		✓	
Sidewalks (8 foot min standard)	✓	\checkmark		 ✓ 	\checkmark	✓	✓		✓	
Sidewalk Seperation (from travel lanes)	✓	✓	√	1	✓	✓	✓		✓	
Mid-Block Pedestrian Crossing/Short Blocks	✓	\checkmark			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Refuge Islands (raised/painted)	1	✓		1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Painted Intersections / Crosswalks	1	✓		 ✓ 	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Protected Intersections	1	✓		1	✓	✓	~	✓	✓	
Bike Lanes (seperated)	1	✓		1	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Bike Lanes (protected)	✓	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Shade Trees / Landscaping	1	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	1	1	✓	
ADA Curb Ramps	1	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	1	
Expand Radius of Safe Routes to School	1	✓	✓	1	1	✓	1	1	✓	
Work Zone Temporary Facilities	1	1		1	✓	1	1	1	1	
Create Shared / Slow Streets	✓			 ✓ 	1		✓	√	√	
Re-evaluate Context Class	1	√	√		✓	√	√	✓	√	
Re-evaluate Target Speed Limit	1	1	\checkmark	1	1	✓	~	1	1	

Aggressive Driving Crash Countermeasures (cont.)

	Area Type			L	ocation Typ	e	Effects			
	Urban	Suburban	Rural			Arterial /	Crash	Speed	Severity	
Countermeasure	(C4,C5,C6)	(C3)	(C1-C2)	Intersection	Slow Street	Corridor	Reducing	Reducing	Reducing	
Safe Streets:										
Chicanes / Lateral Shifts	✓	✓		✓	✓	√		✓	✓	
Full / Half Closure	✓			✓	1	√	✓	✓	✓	
Lane Width (10 foot standard)	✓	1		✓	1	√	✓	1	✓	
Road Diet (repurpose space)	✓	1	✓	1	1	✓	✓	1	✓	
Gateway Treatement	✓	1	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	1	✓	
Roundabout	✓	✓	√	1	✓	√	 ✓ 	✓	✓	
Mini Traffic Circle	✓	✓	√	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	
Speed Tables/Raised Intersections	✓	1		1	1	√		1	✓	
Bulb Outs	✓	1	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Corner Radii / Radius Reduction	✓	✓	✓	1	✓	√		✓	✓	
Centerline Hardening	✓	1		✓	1	✓	✓	1	✓	
Eliminate Acceleration Lanes	✓	✓		1	✓	√	✓	✓	✓	
Eliminate Deceleration Lanes	✓	✓		✓	✓	√		✓	✓	
Eliminate Right Turn Channelization	✓	1		1	1	√	✓	1	✓	
On-Street Parking	✓	1			1	✓		✓	✓	
Tactical Urbanism-Quick Fixes	✓	1	✓	1	1	✓	✓	1	✓	
Provide Street / Pedestrian Lighting	✓	✓		✓	✓	√	✓	✓	✓	
Convert to Two-Way Streets	✓	✓	√		✓	√		✓	✓	
Enhanced Curve Delineation	✓	✓	✓		✓	√	✓	✓	✓	
Optical Speed Bars/ Converging Chevrons	1	1	√			√	1	√	√	
Re-evaluate Context Class	✓	1	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Re-evaluate Target Speed Limit	✓		1			1	✓	✓	✓	

Aggressive Driving Crash Countermeasures (cont.)

		Area Type		L	ocation Typ		Effects			
	Urban Suburban Rural			Arterial /			Speed	Severity		
Countermeasure	(C4,C5,C6)	(C3)	(C1-C2)	Intersection	Slow Street	Corridor	Reducing	Reducing	Reducing	
Safe Freeway Interchanges:										
Eliminate Acceleration Lanes	1	✓	1		✓	√	1	✓	√	
Redesign High Speed Exit Ramps	✓	✓	1		1	√	1	✓	1	
Redesign High Speed On-Ramps	1	1	√		1	√	1	✓	√	
Transverse(in lane) Rumble Strips	1	✓	√		1	√	1	✓	√	
Provide Safe Continuous Bike Lanes	√	✓			✓	√	1	✓	1	
Provide Safe Pedestrian Crossings	✓	✓			1	√	1	✓	1	
Re-evaluate Context Class	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	√	1	✓	1	
Re-evaluate Target Speed Limit	1	√	√		✓	1	√	✓	√	
Safe Traffic Operations:										
Lower Speed Limits	~	1	1		~	1	~	~	1	
Add New Signals / Improve Connectivity	~	1	1	✓	~	1		~	1	
Protected-only Left Turn Signal Phasing	~	1	1	~	✓	1	1	✓	√	
Signal Coordination-Target Speed	1	1		✓	1	1	1	1	√	
Variable Speed Limits (Expressways)	1	1						✓	√	
Driver Feedback Signs - Speed	1	1	1		1	√	1	1	√	
Leading Pedestrian Interval	1			1	1	1	1	1	√	
Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacon	1	1		✓	1	1	1	1	√	
Hybrid Ped Beacon / HAWK	✓	1		✓	1	√	1	✓	√	
Rest in Red Signal Operation	1	1	1	✓	1	1	1	1	√	
Advanced Speed Detection Signals	1	1	1	1	1	√	1	1	1	
Shorter Signal Cycle Lengths	1	1	1	✓	1	1	1	1	√	
Traffic Signal- Demand Responsive off-peak	1	1	1	1	1	√	1	1	√	
Street Lighting / Pedestrian Level Lighting	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Update Pedestrian Countdown Timers	✓	✓	✓	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Re-evaluate Context Class	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Re-evaluate Target Speed Limit	1	1	✓		✓	1	✓	✓	√	

Actions and Implementation Strategy





Actions and Implementation Strategy -Speed Setting



- Action 1 Regional Context Classification
- Action 2 Evaluate All Projects
- Action 3 Initiate a HC safety task force to engage on speed limit setting, improve consistency of outcomes, and restore credibility of speed limits.



Actions and Implementation Strategy -Engineering & Operations

- Action 1 Develop preliminary recommendations for Top50 High Injury Network corridors.
- Action 2 Update Design Manuals and Design Standards for roadway construction, operations and maintenance.
- Action 3 Incorporate design flexibility to reflect national best practices.
- Action 4 Establish Local Street Design Guidelines
- Action 5 Traffic Operations Recommendations
- Action 6 Professional Development and Training
- Action 7 Fund Improvements to Achieve Speed Management Goals
- Action 8 Collaborate with law enforcement, firefighting and other emergency response professionals.

Short Term (1-2 Years) Mid Term (3-5 years) Long Term (5+ years)

Actions and Implementation Strategy -Education

- Action 1 Educate Public and Elected Officials
- Action 2 Encourage Adoption of Speed Management Policy
- Action 3 Develop Education / PSA Messages





Short Term (1-2 Years) Mid Term (3-5 years) Long Term (5+ years) Actions and Implementation Strategy -Policy / Legislation

Action 1 - Support Changes to Laws and Regulations as necessary to ensure people are protected to the greatest extent possible.
Action 2 - Set a firm Vision Zero crash reduction Goal.
Action 3 - Develop an inter-agency speed and safety review process to assess land use and transportation plans, designs, and implemented projects.

Action 4 - Review and update Land Use Policies to ensure walkable, safe, and healthy communities.

Action 5 - Review and Initiate New Traffic Safety Legislation Measures.

Actions and Implementation Strategy -Plan Evaluation

Action 1 - Develop evaluation metrics and timeframes for plan updates.

- Establish quarterly updates of the Speed Management Action Plan.
- Establish post-project evaluation measures with qualitative and quantitative approaches, including:
 - Quantitative measures: speed reduction, crash reduction, serious injury/fatality reduction, impact on travel time, and number of corridors (proactive and reactive) addressed.
 - ✓ Qualitative measures: user observations, surveys

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Short Term (1-2 Years)

Mid Term (3-5 years) Long Term (5+ years)

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Recommendation

Approve the Speed Management Action Plan

