

South Dakota Transportation Safety Stakeholder,

As part of a statewide-coordinated effort to reduce the number of fatalities and serious injuries on all public roads, the South Dakota Department of Transportation is updating the Strategic Highway Safety Plan and developing a Highway-Rail Safety Plan. The SHSP focuses on the state's traffic safety programs, identifying programs and countermeasures that include all 4 E's of highway safety: Engineering, Education, Enforcement, and Emergency Medical Services. The HRSP focuses on improving safety at highway-rail grade crossings. This plan update/development process is a partnership between South Dakota Department of Transportation (SDDOT) and the South Dakota Department of Public Safety.

We want your input!

SDDOT is hosting a series of workshops to gather input on traffic safety and highway-rail grade crossing safety. These workshops will be held in three cities across South Dakota in March 2019. Interested participants are welcome to attend any of the three workshops. [Register here](#) for the workshop you plan to attend. Morning snack and lunch will be provided.

Please share this invite within your networks. Anyone interested in traffic safety and highway-rail grade crossing safety is welcome.

Available workshops

Rapid City	Fort Pierre	Sioux Falls
Tuesday, March 26, 2019	Wednesday, March 27, 2019	Tuesday, March 28, 2019
9:00 am to 3:00 pm	9:00 am to 3:00 pm	9:00 am to 3:00 pm
Best Western Ramkota	AmericInn	Best Western Ramkota
2111 North LaCrosse Street	312 Island Drive	3200 West Maple Street

For more information on the plans and to learn about additional ways to get involved, please visit: www.SDtrafficsafetyplans.com.

Sincerely,

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