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April 10<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 am
KYTC District 3 Office
900 Morgantown Road, Bowling Green KY

























## Agenda

- Welcome / Introductions
- TIM Training Opportunities
- Towing & Recovery Traffic Control
- Roadway spill absorbent discussion
- I-65 Detour route update 20-43 mp
- Discussion of public communication of major incidents
- Partner agency issues & updates
- Conclusion

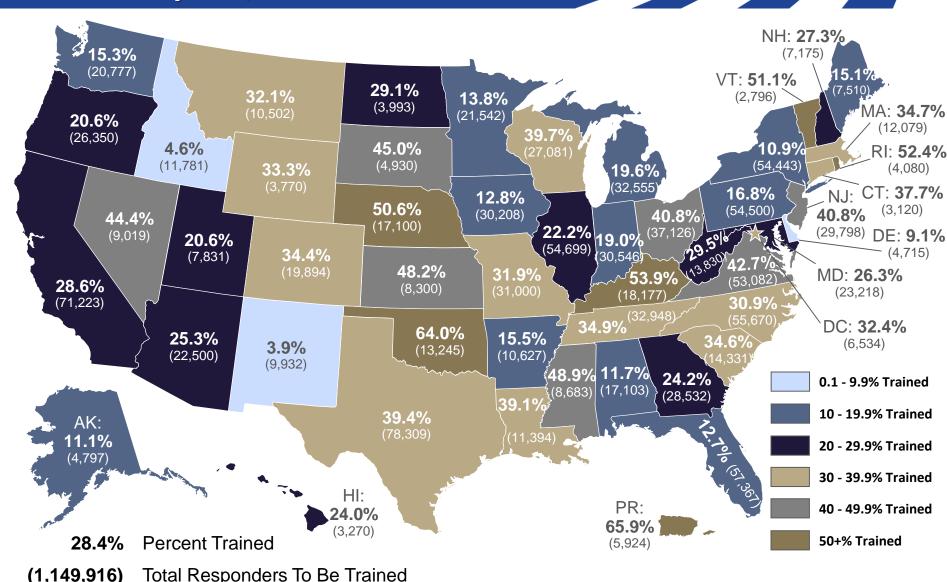
## Traffic Incident Management Goals

# The Traffic Incident Management National Unified Goal or NUG is:

- Responder safety;
- Safe, quick clearance; and
- Prompt, reliable, interoperable communication

# TIM Training Program Implementation Progress Percent Trained – SIP 18 Goal of 30%

- As of April 3, 2018



## **Kentucky Training Totals** - As of April 3, 2018

Discipline	Responders Trained	Percentage
Law Enforcement	1,519	18.2%
Fire/Rescue	3,764	45.1%
Towing and Recovery	774	9.3%
EMS	797	9.5%
DOT/Transportation	1,023	12.2%
Other Disciplines	480	5.7%
(370) In-Person Sessions	8,357	100.0%
NHI Web-based Trainings	1,185	
(6) Train-the-Trainer Sessions	254	
Total Trained	9,796	

## TIM Training Opportunities (FREE!)

TIM Training website: http://www.kyt2.com

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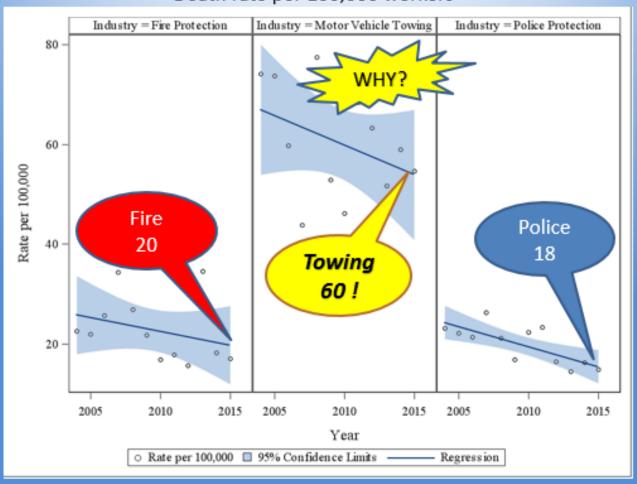
Phone: 859-257-7405 or 800-432-0719

- April 18: Mountain Arts Center, Prestonsburg (AM & PM)
- May 16: Homewood Suites Hamburg, Lexington (AM & PM)
- June 20: Holiday Inn Express, Bowling Green (AM & PM)
- July 18: Morehead Convention Center (AM & PM)
- August 8: Home Suites Hamburg, Lexington (AM & PM)
- September 13: Hopkins County Extension Office, Madisonville (AM & PM)
- September 18: Boone County Enrichment Center, Burlington (AM & PM)
- October 10: Center for Rural Development, Somerset (AM & PM)
- November 13: The Corbin Center (AM & PM)
- December 11: Elizabethtown Public Works Building (AM & PM)

## **Towing / Recovery Traffic Control**

#### Traffic Incident Management-Related Occupational Fatality Rates in the U.S., 2005-2015

Death rate per 100,000 workers



#### Incident type

#### Minor

- Clearance < ½ hr
- 0-1 lanes impacted or 1 lane only intermittently

#### Intermediate

- Clearance ½ 2 hrs
- Only intermittent impact > 1 lane

#### Major

- Clearance > 2hrs
- 2 or more lanes impacted

#### Temporary Traffic Control (TTC)

- Minimal traffic control available during emergency / initial phase
- TTC established by initial emergency responders.
- Vehicle warning lights, position vehicle to shadow workers, warning sign (if possible)
- Advise KYTC if road facility damage road surface, guardrail, light post, etc.
- Minimal traffic control available during emergency / initial phase
- TTC by initial emergency responders expanded as resources are available.
   Recovery operator responsible for expansion or implementing TTC if emergency responders leave scene.
- Need to add at minimum advance warning signs, and cones for merge taper and vehicle mounted traffic advisor lights
- KYTC should be advised & requested on-scene if needed
- TTC must expand to approach MUTCD standard
- TTC transitioned to Recovery / Cleanup contractor as emergency responders leave scenen.
- Need to add cones for merge taper, activity area, advance warning signs, and arrow panel / directional to merge
- KYTC must be requested to scene as part of Unified Incident Command to support Recovery / Cleanup TTC and/or detour.
- TTC must meet full MUTC Work Zone standard
- KYTC integrated into Unified Incident Command structure for incident

Long-Term > 12 hrs

## Roadway cleanup

### Who is responsible for roadway cleanup?

189.754 Removal of injurious substance from highway.

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History: Created 1980 Ky. Acts ch. 49, sec. 5, effective July 15, 1980.

- Enforcement is at discretion of law enforcement on scene.
- KYTC crew assistance is available but has limitations
  - 2 hr minimum to mobilize for lane closure setup
  - Very limited supply of oil dry, some salt, no sand
  - Non-urgent and/or off-roadway cleanup subject to permitting and delay for safety of traffic.

## Roadway Spill Mitigation

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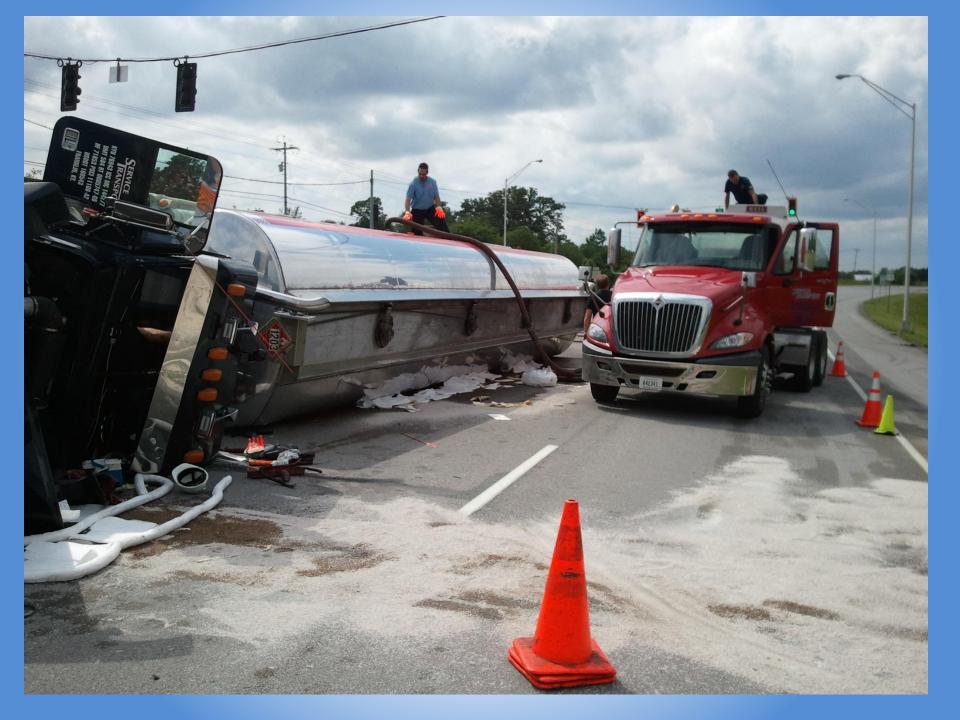
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# Restoring roadway to safe i.e. not slick state Hydrocarbon? Animal fat? Vegetable oil?

- What works? What doesn't work?
- No data on effectivity or results
- Possible eval & recommendation from KYTC
   Div. of Maintenance
- Any restrictions on use by ERT or others?





## **Options?**

- Absorbents:
  - Clay litterCorn cobsLime dust
  - Portland cement Peat moss Vermiculite
  - Sweeping compound –Sawdust -Pads
  - Salt
- "Magic powder" converters
- Salting animal proteins
- Powdered detergent or degreaser
- Dispersants / emulsifiers (Microblaze, others)
- Traction aid (?): sand, etc?

## How do you evaluate?

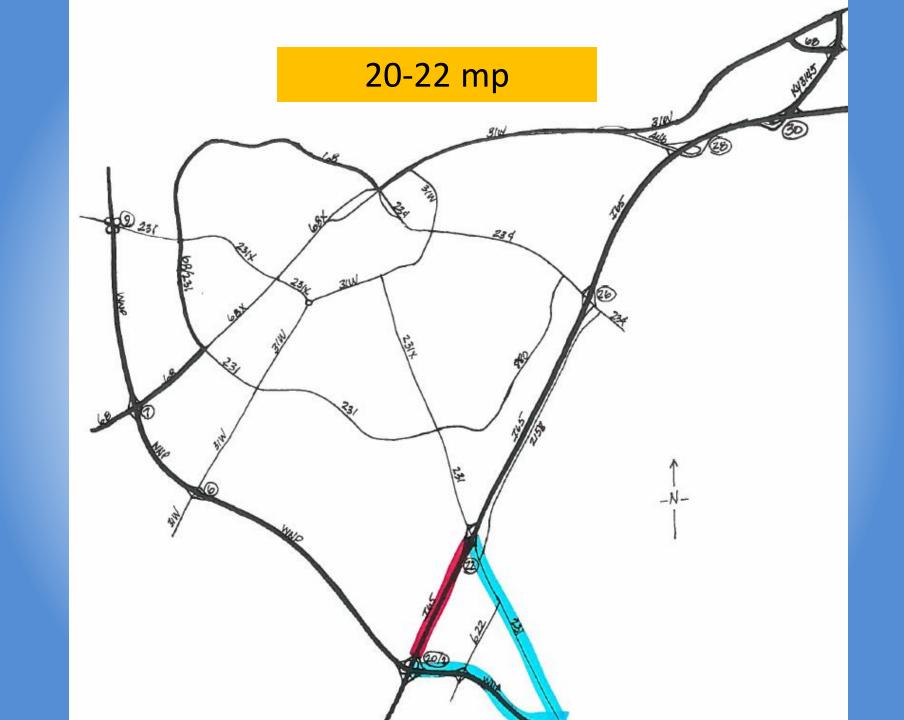
- Dry or wet road surface?
- What is standard for skid resistance?
- Can we measure it & how?

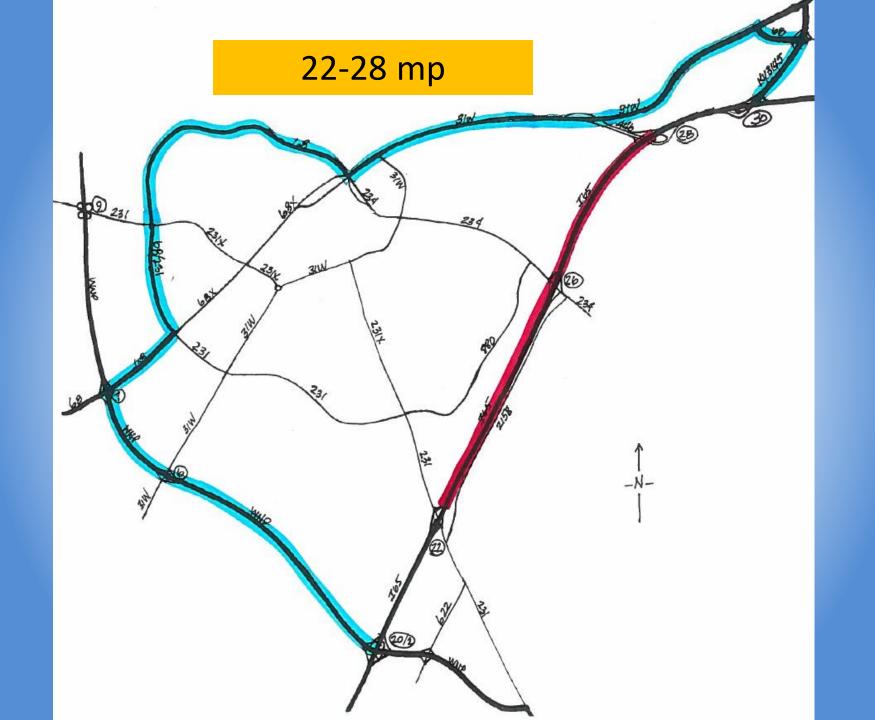
 Any input or experience? Please let me know so we can incorporate as much info as possible into discussion.

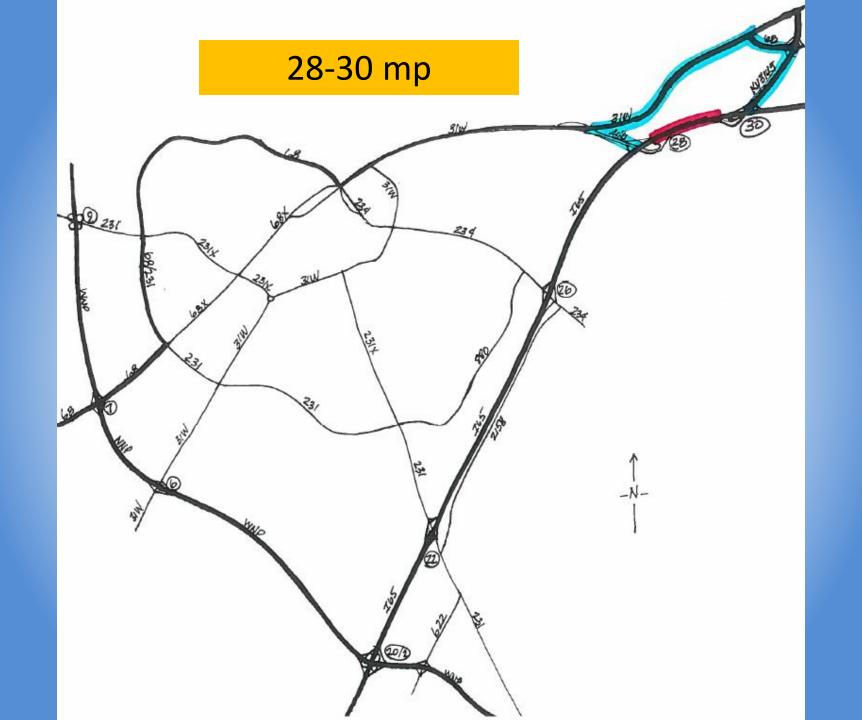
# Update to I-65 Detour Plan 20-40 mp

- Incorporate Exit 30 vs. Exit 28
- Utilize "outer loop" US68 as primary detour for through traffic
- Local exit for clearing traffic queue
- New maps in process to update plan









## Public Notification of Major Inicidents

- What options are available
  - Social Media: KYTC, EM, other agencies
  - IPAWS / WEA (local EM?)
  - Waze, Net Alert (TriMark)
  - Conventional media
  - DMS/PDMS, signs
  - Others?
- Do we utilize these when needed and coordinate messages?

## Partner Agency Issues / Updates

- FHWA
- Law Enforcement
- KYEM / County EMA
- ERT
- Towing / Recovery
- Public Works / Utilities
- KYTC Division of IM
- Public Health / EMS / FD







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Presentations & other D-3 IM Team files can be found at <a href="http://transportation.ky.gov/District-3/Pages/TIM.aspx">http://transportation.ky.gov/District-3/Pages/TIM.aspx</a>



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