

# Louisiana Highway Safety Improvement Program 2016 Annual Report

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#### 2016

# 2. Executive Summary

Louisiana has set an aggressive target for reducing death and injury on the roadways – Destination Zero Deaths. Great progress has been made since the development and implementation of the 2006 Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP) and its subsequent update in October, 2011. The 2011 SHSP targets four emphasis areas: impaired driving, occupant protection, infrastructure and operations, and crashes involving young drivers. Since 2007, traffic fatalities have dropped from 993 to as low as 677 in 2011 and serious injuries were reduced from 16,626 in 2005 to 13,433 in 2014. Louisiana experienced an increase in fatalities in 2015. However, Louisiana remains below our target of reducing fatalities in half by 2030.

Louisiana has accomplished a number of successes in each emphasis area including the following:

Data and analysis improvements: State-specific safety performance functions (SPFs) for network screening and calibrated Highway Safety Manual (HSM) models for alternatives evaluations and project level analysis have been developed as well as a draft Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) Project Selection Guide outlining the criteria that will be used to select and prioritize all HSIP projects. Also for evaluation of the SHSP, web-based data dashboards have been created for safety stakeholders to assess progress (http://datareports.lsu.edu/shsps.aspx).

SPF development is still currently underway for intersections and state specific SPF for segments are being used for network screening on state routes. A Level of Service of Safety website has been developed to display the results of the network screening process for safety stakeholders. The goal is to institutionalize the use of the network screening results and share this information with the MPOs for further integration of quantitative safety in the planning process.

Also, we have made significant improvements in local road safety data such as crash locations, traffic volume estimates, and roadway attribute information so that advanced data analysis methods will be possible in the near future.

Systemic safety improvements: A statewide systemic cable median barrier study produced a prioritized list of candidate locations where median barrier would be considered for installation. High speed, controlled access facilities statewide with a median width less than 100' were analyzed in the study. A systemic roadway departure project on 2-lane rural roadways with a shoulder width between 2' and 6' and lane width of 12' is also being implemented at 282 curves (radius equal to or greater than 1640') throughout the state. The countermeasures for the systemic curve project include enhanced signing and striping (i.e. 6" edge lines) and high friction surface treatment where pavement condition allows.

We continue to implement the projects identified through the systemic cable median barrier study. 182.6 miles of cable median barrier were installed in 15-16. Maintenance of cable median barrier is very expensive and we are exploring options of providing funding for this.

We continue to implement district-wide projects identified through the systemic roadway departure analysis. Enhanced delineation and high friction surface treatments are being installed on 60 two-lane rural curves in Districts 04 and 08 this year. The other projects were put on hold pending new high friction surface treatment specification.

- Occupant Protection: LADOTD funded \$1,555,053.75 for overtime enforcement to address Occupant Protection. Louisiana was averaging 81% safety belt use and the use of these funds helped in the continued effort to improve safety belt usage. Observed seat belt use reached 85.9 percent in 2015. University Medical Center, ThinkFirst of Ark-La-Tex, Louisiana Passenger Safety Task Force, Hispanic Outreach Occupant Protection, and Louisiana Highway Safety Commission (LHSC) provided overtime enforcement to 78 local police departments and sheriff's offices along with Louisiana State Police.
- Young Drivers: Sudden Impact Program (comprehensive injury prevention program targeting adolescents) reached just over 20,000 students. Think First Program coordinated and implemented 104 programs on underage drinking and impaired driving for youth (reached 7,337 students and 2,080 adults).
- **Impaired Driving:** DWI overtime enforcement was implemented in Tier One Alcohol Problem ID Parishes corresponding with national and state mobilizations. DWI courts were established in three judicial districts. No Refusal Programs are expanding across the state.

#### **SHSP Implementation & Update**

Louisiana is using a two-tiered approach to implement the SHSP: Statewide Emphasis Area Teams create data-driven action plans and track implementation of SHSP strategies and action steps, and regional Safety Coalitions utilize data to identify regional safety needs and develop data-driven five-year regional safety plans which identify three to five emphasis areas consistent with the SHSP.

The SHSP Implementation Team oversees overall implementation of the Plan and is supported by an Executive Committee. The team consists of representatives from the Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (LADOTD), Louisiana State Police (LSP), Louisiana Highway Safety Commission (LHSC), Local Technical Assistance Program (LTAP), Louisiana Planning Council (LPC), Louisiana Municipal Association (LMA), Federal Highway Administration (FHWA), Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA), National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), in addition to the statewide emphasis area team leaders and regional safety coalition coordinators.

LADOTD hosted the Louisiana Transportation Safety Summit. Over 300 safety stakeholders learned new and exciting information on how to keep Louisiana moving toward Destination Zero Deaths. It was an action-packed two and half days. Experts on issues ranging from changing the way speed limits are set to designing roadways to accommodate all users along with suggestions on ways to improve safety in and around railroad tracks.

#### **Regional Highway Safety Coalitions**

The Louisiana two-tiered approach to lowering fatalities and serious injuries is accomplished in part by developing and continually implementing the federally required SHSP. Each region is charged with

forming a multidisciplinary or 4E safety coalition, reviewing the regional and local crash data, and developing a continually evolving, data driven action plan that is linked to the SHSP.

All nine Regional Safety Coalitions are up and running. Five coalitions have adopted regional safety action plans (Acadiana, North Shore, South Central, New Orleans, and Capital Region) and Southwest, Central, Northeast Louisiana Regions are in the final stages of developing their action plans. The newly established Northwest Coalition is in the process of developing their regional action plans.

#### **Local Road Safety**

Funding for Local Road Safety Improvement Projects is available through the Louisiana Local Road Safety Program (LRSP). Eligible projects include those for roadways and transportation systems owned and operated by parish and/or municipal road agencies. Specific funds are available for selected projects and additional funding sources or resources may be available depending on the type of project.

Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) administers the LRSP in coordination with Louisiana Technical Assistance Program (LTAP). Proposed projects can be submitted anytime throughout the year, with the selection process conducted by the LRSP Project Selection Team on a quarterly basis.

#### Introduction

The Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) is a core Federal-aid program with the purpose of achieving a significant reduction in fatalities and serious injuries on all public roads. As per 23 U.S.C. 148(h) and 23 CFR 924.15, States are required to report annually on the progress being made to advance HSIP implementation and evaluation efforts. The format of this report is consistent with the HSIP MAP-21 Reporting Guidance dated February 13, 2013 and consists of four sections: program structure, progress in implementing HSIP projects, progress in achieving safety performance targets, and assessment of the effectiveness of the improvements.

## **Program Structure**

#### **Program Administration**

3. How are Highway Safety Improvement Program funds administered in the State?

Central

4. Describe how local roads are addressed as part of Highway Safety Improvement Program.

The Local Road Safety Program (LRSP) is allocated approximately \$3-5 million per year. Eligible projects include those for roadways and transportation systems owned and operated by parish and municipal road agencies. Specific funds are available for selected local safety data-driven projects and additional funding sources or resources may be available depending on the type of project. Funding for Local Road Safety Improvement Projects is available through the Louisiana Local Road Safety Program (LRSP).

Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development (DOTD) administers the LRSP in coordination with Louisiana Technical Assistance Program (LTAP). LTAP coordinates activities and resources in conjunction with the LADOTD to facilitate annual project submittals, review and scoring, and recommendation of qualifying project applications for the Local Road Safety Improvement Projects.

LADOTD has implemented a three-year program to collect roadway data on the local road system. This program will collect the MIRE Fundamental Data Elements (FDEs) data on all public roads. This will enhance DOTD, and LTAP's capability to work with the local agencies, share data, and collaborate on infrastructure improvements.

5. Identify which internal partners are involved with Highway Safety Improvement Program planning.

Design **Planning** Operations

#### 6. Briefly describe coordination with internal partners.

LADOTD Highway Safety Improvement Projects are selected for implementation through a data driven competitive process. LADOTD utilizes a Stage 0 planning process for identifying potential highway safety improvement projects. Stage 0 determines the feasibility of a project along with the scope, budget, and safety benefit. The Stage 0 for proposed safety projects for inclusion in the HSIP is prepared by the LADOTD District Office, Road Design Section, Highway Safety Section, Consultant, MPO or the Transportation Planning Section. The Stage 0 report is reviewed for safety effectiveness and completeness and approved by the Highway Safety Section before being submitted to the Project Selection Team for inclusion in the Department's Highway Program. Proposed projects are evaluated utilizing an evaluation form specifically developed for highway safety projects. This form consistently evaluates proposed highway safety projects based on safety and feasibility factors.

#### 7. Identify which external partners are involved with Highway Safety Improvement Program planning.

Metropolitan Planning Organizations Governors Highway Safety Office Local Government Association Other-FHWA and State Police Other-LTAP and LCTS

8. Identify any program administration practices used to implement the HSIP that have changed since the last reporting period.

Other-None

9. Describe any other aspects of Highway Safety Improvement Program Administration on which you would like to elaborate.

Projects that are identified through the HSIP have the overall goal of reducing the number and severity of crashes and decreasing the potential for crashes on all public roads.

The LADOTD performs HSIP components of planning, implementation, and evaluation to accomplish requirements of the program. These components involve the following: data-driven identification of crash locations, development and implementation of an annual program of projects and report annually to the FHWA on progress and effectiveness. FHWA is involved in all three components, both formally and through informal technical assistance.

### **Program Methodology**

10. Select the programs that are administered under HSIP.

Intersection Roadway Departure **Local Safety** 

11. Program: Intersection

Date of Program Methodology: 1/1/2009

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes Exposure Roadway

All crashes Traffic Other-Stop and Signal Controlled

Volume

What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

No

How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Other-selection Committee

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Rank of Priority Consideration

Available funding 1 Cost Effectiveness 1

11. Program: **Roadway Departure** 

Date of Program Methodology: 10/1/2012

What data types were used in the program methodology?

Roadway Crashes Exposure Traffic All crashes Median width Volume Horizontal curvature

Other-Fatal/Serious/Moderate

#### What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

Crash rate

Excess proportions of specific crash types

#### Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

No

#### How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

selection committee

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Rank of Priority Consideration

Available funding 1
Cost Effectiveness 1

11. Program: Local Safety

Date of Program Methodology: 7/1/2008

#### What data types were used in the program methodology?

Crashes Exposure Roadway

All crashes Traffic Horizontal curvature

Volume Functional classification

Roadside features

#### What project identification methodology was used for this program?

Crash frequency

Crash rate

Excess proportions of specific crash types

#### Are local roads (non-state owned and operated) included or addressed in this program?

Yes

If yes, are local road projects identified using the same methodology as state roads?

Yes

#### How are highway safety improvement projects advanced for implementation?

Competitive application process selection committee

Select the processes used to prioritize projects for implementation. For the methods selected, indicate the relative importance of each process in project prioritization. Enter either the weights or numerical rankings. If weights are entered, the sum must equal 100. If ranks are entered, indicate ties by giving both processes the same rank and skip the next highest rank (as an example: 1, 2, 2, 4).

Rank of Priority Consideration

Available funding 1
Cost Effectiveness 1

#### 12. What proportion of highway safety improvement program funds address systemic improvements?

36%

Highway safety improvement program funds are used to address which of the following systemic improvements?

Cable Median Barriers
Rumble Strips
Install/Improve Signing
Install/Improve Pavement Marking and/or
Delineation
Upgrade Guard Rails
Safety Edge
Other-High friction surface treatment

#### 13. What process is used to identify potential countermeasures?

Engineering Study Road Safety Assessment

14. Identify any program methodology practices used to implement the HSIP that have changed since the last reporting period.

Other-Highway Safety Methodology using state specific SPFs

15. Describe any other aspects of the Highway Safety Improvement Program methodology on which you would like to elaborate.

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# **Progress in Implementing Projects**

#### **Funds Programmed**

16. Reporting period for Highway Safety Improvement Program funding.

State Fiscal Year

17. Enter the programmed and obligated funding for each applicable funding category.

Funding Category	Programmed*		Obligated	
	Amount	Percentage	Amount	Percentage
HSIP (Section 148)	\$10,582,000.00	22 %	\$42,957,039.34	39 %
HRRRP (SAFETEA-LU)	\$0.00	0 %	\$415,902.89	0 %
Penalty Transfer - Section 154	\$18,843,500.00	39 %	\$15,236,295.19	14 %
Penalty Transfer – Section 164	\$18,843,500.00	39 %	\$9,248,243.58	8 %
Other Federal-aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	\$0.00	0 %	\$34,596,628.20	32 %
State and Local Funds	\$0.00	0 %	\$6,630,156.66	6 %
Totals	\$48,269,000.00	100%	\$109,084,265.86	100%

18. How much funding is programmed to local (non-state owned and operated) safety projects? \$2,085,000.00

How much funding is obligated to local safety projects? \$1,833,618.00

\$3,772,315.00

19. How much funding is programmed to non-infrastructure safety projects? \$5,000,000.00 How much funding is obligated to non-infrastructure safety projects?

20. How much funding was transferred in to the HSIP from other core program areas during the reporting period?

\$0.00

How much funding was transferred out of the HSIP to other core program areas during the reporting

\$0.00

21. Discuss impediments to obligating Highway Safety Improvement Program funds and plans to overcome this in the future.

LADOTD has no impediments to obligating funds if the obligation rate is not 100%.

22. Describe any other aspects of the general Highway Safety Improvement Program implementation progress on which you would like to elaborate.

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## **General Listing of Projects**

23. List the projects obligated using HSIP funds for the reporting period.

Project		Outpu t	HSIP Cost	Total Cost	Fundin g Categor	Functiona I Classificat	AAD T	Spe ed	Roadwa y Owners	Relationship to SHSP	
					у	ion			hip	Emphasis Area	Strate gy
H.000464 US 190 & LA 1026 (Roundabout)	Intersection traffic control Modify control - traffic signal to roundabout	1 Numb ers	3005000	3005000	HSIP (Sectio n 148)		0	0		Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.001491 LA 20 Widening: LA 308 - St Patrick Stree	Roadway Roadway widening - travel lanes	1 Numb ers	7713269	7713269	Penalty Transfe r – Section 164		0	0		Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.002163 Roundabout on LA 342 at LA 724	Intersection traffic control Modify control - traffic signal to roundabout	1 Numb ers	574299	574299	HSIP (Sectio n 148)		0	0		Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.009012 Widen Intersection At LA 67 & LA 10	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	705234.0 6	783593.4 1	HSIP (Sectio n 148)		0	0		Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.009012 Widen Intersection At LA 67 & LA 10	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	78359.35	0	State and Local Funds		0	0		Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

H.009475 LA 538: Roundabout At Ravendale	Intersection traffic control Modify control - two-way stop to roundabout	1 Numb ers	1871661. 97	1871661. 97	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.009956 LA 44: Turn Lanes	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add left-turn lane	1 Numb ers	4651740	5168600	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.009956 LA 44: Turn Lanes	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add left-turn lane	1 Numb ers	516860	226860	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010026 LA 431 Realign Curve, C/L Rumble Strips	Alignment Horizontal curve realignment	1 Numb ers	2786886. 97	3096541. 08	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010026 LA 431 Realign Curve, C/L Rumble Strips	Alignment Horizontal curve realignment	1 Numb ers	309654.1 1	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010178 LA 120: Curve Realignment	Alignment Horizontal curve realignment	1 Numb ers	1964247. 3	2182497	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010178 LA 120: Curve Realignment	Alignment Horizontal curve realignment	1 Numb ers	218249.7	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010197 US 171: J-Turn @ N. Perkins Ferry Rd.	Access management Median crossover - directional crossover	1 Numb ers	891856.1	990951.2	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010197 US 171: J-Turn @ N. Perkins	Access management Median crossover - directional crossover	1 Numb ers	99095.12	99095.12	State and Local	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

Ferry Rd.					Funds				
H.010202 I- 20: Exit Lane Extension (Exits 3 & 5)	Interchange design Extend existing lane on ramp	1 Numb ers	2333509. 04	2594226. 17	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010202 I- 20: Exit Lane Extension (Exits 3 & 5)	Interchange design Extend existing lane on ramp	1 Numb ers	260717.1 3	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010275 LA 792: Curve Improvement	Alignment Horizontal curve realignment	1 Numb ers	975943.3 9	1084381. 54	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010275 LA 792: Curve Improvement	Alignment Horizontal curve realignment	1 Numb ers	108438.1 5	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010287 LA 3249: Roundabout @ I-20/Well Rd.	Intersection traffic control Modify control - modifications to roundabout	1 Numb ers	67003.09	67003.09	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010289 LA 22: Roundabout Dunson/Ridg edell Rds	Intersection traffic control Modify control - modifications to roundabout	1 Numb ers	31791.26	31791.26	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010680 I- 10: Cable Barrier in WBR & Iberville	Roadside Barrier - cable	1 Numb ers	2797822. 17	2797822. 17	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.010683 I- 55: Median	Roadside Barrier - cable	1 Numb	9029983. 85	9029983. 85	Penalty Transfe	0	0	Roadway Departur	Page 3-

H.011659 LA 28: Turn Lane Improvement s		0 Numb ers	57318.59	57318.59	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.011688 US 165: Corridor Study US 165 Bus - LA 2	Miscellaneous	0 Numb ers	833710.2 5	833710.2 5	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.011764 District 58 Guardrail Replacement A	Roadside Barrier- metal	1 Numb ers	1855871. 87	1855871. 87	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011765 District 58 Guardrail Replacment B	Roadside Barrier- metal	1 Numb ers	1199900. 76	1199900. 76	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011880 Districts 08 & 58 Low Cost Safety Imrpov	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	1532086. 66	1947989. 55	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011880 Districts 08 & 58 Low Cost Safety Imrpov	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	415902.8 9	0	HRRRP (SAFETE A-LU)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011943 District 05 Low Cost Safety Improv	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	3649623. 54	4080241. 27	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011943 District 05	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction	1 Numb	25104	4080241. 27	Penalty Transfe	0	0	Roadway Departur	Page 3-

Low Cost Safety Improv	surface	ers			r- Section 164			е	11/12
H.011943 District 05 Low Cost Safety Improv	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	405513.7 3	405513.7 3	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.012202 District 07 Low Cost Safety Improv	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	2465180. 32	2763273. 24	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.012202 District 07 Low Cost Safety Improv	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	273908.9 2	273908.9 2	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.012202 District 07 Low Cost Safety Improv	Roadway Pavement surface - high friction surface	1 Numb ers	24184	2763273. 24	Penalty Transfe r- Section 164	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.012276 US 61: J-Turns at Thomas RD	Access management Median crossover - directional crossover	1 Numb ers	13031.36	14479.29	HSIP (Sectio n 148)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.012276 US 61: J-Turns at Thomas RD	Access management Median crossover - directional crossover	1 Numb ers	1447.93	1447.93	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.012312 New Olreans Pedestrian Feasibility Study	Miscellaneous	0 Numb ers	380420.9 8	380420.9 8	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	Pedestria ns	other
H.012369 US	Miscellaneous	0	144106.5	144106.5	Penalty	0	0	Roadway	Page

190 Barrier Feasibility Study		Numb ers	8	8	Transfe r – Section 164			Departur e	3- 11/12
H.012462 St Charles Ped/Bicycle Master Plan	Miscellaneous	0 Numb ers	300500	300500	Penalty Transfe r – Section 164	0	0	Pedestria ns	other
H.972177 LA Center For Transportatio n Safety	Non-infrastructure Training and workforce development	1 Numb ers	145200	145200	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	NA	other
H.0972194 2016 HSIP Non- Infrastructure Project	Non-infrastructure Enforcement	1 Numb ers	504831.7	3167187. 45	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	Data	other
H.972205 SA LR Coordinator July 2016-July 2018	Non-infrastructure Data/traffic records	1 Numb ers	121488	121488	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	Data	other
H.972206 Section 33 LTAP 1/1/2016- 12/31/2016	Non-infrastructure Training and workforce development	1 Numb ers	338440	338440	Penalty Transfe r – Section 164	0	0	NA	other
H.000687 I-12 @ US 11 Interchange Lighting	Lighting Site lighting - interchange	1 Numb ers	806078.9 7	895643.3	Other Federal -aid Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

H.000687 I-12	Lighting Site lighting -	1	89564.33	0	(i.e. STP, NHPP) State	0	0	Intersecti	Page
@ US 11 Interchange Lighting	interchange	Numb ers	03301.33	ŭ	and Local Funds	J	Ü	ons	3-12
H.003452 I-12 @ Northshore Blvd Inter. Lighting	Lighting Site lighting - interchange	1 Numb ers	779393.7 7	865993.0 8	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.003452 I-12 @ Northshore Blvd Inter. Lighting	Lighting Site lighting - interchange	1 Numb ers	86599.31	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.005693 LA 447/I-12 Interchange	Interchange design Interchange design - other	1 Numb ers	6707947. 99	6707947. 99	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.009140 LA 1026 @ LA 1030 Roundabout	Intersection traffic control Modify control - traffic signal to roundabout	1 Numb ers	1550877. 89	1550877. 89	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

H.009142 LA 86 & LA 320: Roundabout	Intersection traffic control Modify control - traffic signal to roundabout	1 Numb ers	1692663. 98	1692663. 98	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010192 Lake Charles ITS Phase 2	Advanced technology and ITS Dynamic message signs	1 Numb ers	2476087. 96	2808021. 02	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	NA	other
H.010192 Lake Charles ITS Phase 2	Advanced technology and ITS Dynamic message signs	1 Numb ers	331933.0 6	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	NA	other
H.010432 US 167 & US 63: Turn Lane @ Reynolds Dr.	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	859179.2 8	1073974. 1	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010432 US 167 & US 63: Turn Lane @ Reynolds Dr.	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	214794.8 2	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010442 LA 3073: Intersect Improv @ JCT LA 89	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add left-turn lane	1 Numb ers	1078220. 61	1347775. 77	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e.	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

					STP, NHPP)				
H.010442 LA 3073: Intersect Improv @ JCT LA 89	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add left-turn lane	1 Numb ers	269555.1 6	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010894 US 165: Right Turn Lane @ LA 112	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	339680.8	387241.9	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010894 US 165: Right Turn Lane @ LA 112	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	47561.1	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010975 LA 175: NB Left Turn Lane At LA 3015	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add left-turn lane	1 Numb ers	389082.8 8	486353.6	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
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H.003451 I- 12: LA 434 Intchg Lighting	Lighting Site lighting - interchange	1 Numb ers	738196.7 1	820218.5 7	Other Federal -aid Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

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H.003451 I- 12: LA 434 Intchg Lighting (Lacombe)	Lighting Site lighting - interchange	1 Numb ers	82021.86	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.010728 LA 1090: US 190 to I-10 Widening	Roadway Roadway widening - add lane(s) along segment	1 Numb ers	821016.0 6	1026270. 08	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
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H.010821 US 71: Widening of Service Rd Connections	Interchange design Interchange design - other	1 Numb ers	847440.3	1059300. 4	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
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H.010983 I- 55: Ramp Widening, NB	Interchange design Interchange design - other	1 Numb ers	265850.8 2	295389.8	Other Federal -aid	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

& I-49 Pavement Marking Repl I	Roadway delineation - other	Numb ers			Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)			Departur e	3- 11/12
H.011269 I-10 Pavement Marking Replacement IV	Roadway delineation Roadway delineation - other	1 Numb ers	747305.3 4	747305.3 4	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011341 DIST 03 Flashing Yellow Arrow Upgrade	Intersection traffic control Modify traffic signal - modernization/replac ement	1 Numb ers	2794278. 38	3492847. 98	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
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H.011350 Cameron Ferry Traveler Message Signing	Advanced technology and ITS Dynamic message signs	1 Numb ers	559139.5 6	698924.4 6	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
H.011350 Cameron	Advanced technology and ITS Dynamic	1 Numb	139784.9	0	State and	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

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H.011393 I- 55: LA 38(Kentwood ) Intchg Lighting	Lighting Site lighting - interchange	1 Numb ers	809509.3 2	899454.8 1	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12
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H.011441 LA 3185: Right Turn Lane @ LA 20	Intersection geometry Auxiliary lanes - add right-turn lane	1 Numb ers	170363.6 2	212954.5	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Intersecti ons	Page 3-12

H.011441 LA	Intersection geometry	1	42590.91	0	State	0	0	Intersecti	Page
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					NHPP)				
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	monitoring system	ers			Funds				
H.011554 I-10 & I-210 Pavement Marking Repl. II	Roadway delineation Roadway delineation - other	1 Numb ers	1011845. 7	1124273	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011554 I-10 & I-210 Pavement Marking Repl. II	Roadway delineation Roadway delineation - other	1 Numb ers	112427.3	0	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011640 I-10 Atchafalaya Speed Limit Signs	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs (including post) - new or updated	1 Numb ers	248122	248122	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011641 US 90: Pavement Marking Repl II	Roadway delineation Roadway delineation - other	1 Numb ers	2456518. 75	2456518. 75	Other Federal -aid Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP)	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.011848 I- 12: Incident Management Detour	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs and traffic control - other	1 Numb ers	69250	69250	Other Federal -aid Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12

H.006468 Beauregard Parish Guardrail Repl	Roadside Barrier- metal	1 Numb ers	504028	630035.3	Funds (i.e. STP, NHPP) Penalty Transfe r – Section 164	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.006468 Beauregard Parish Guardrail Repl	Roadside Barrier- metal	1 Numb ers	126007	630035.3	State and Local Funds	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.006482 City of Westlake Sign Replacement	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs (including post) - new or updated	1 Numb ers	59612	59612	Penalty Transfe r – Section 164	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.006567 Pedestrian Crosswalk Enhancement s	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs (including post) - new or updated	1 Numb ers	985971.1 8	985971.1 8	Penalty Transfe r - Section 154	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.009453 Various Roads: Signing (St. Charles)	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs (including post) - new or updated	1 Numb ers	55000	55000	Penalty Transfe r – Section 164	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12
H.009466 Various Roads:Signing (Webster)	Roadway signs and traffic control Roadway signs (including post) - new	1 Numb ers	15000	15000	Penalty Transfe r – Section	0	0	Roadway Departur e	Page 3- 11/12

# **Progress in Achieving Safety Performance Targets**

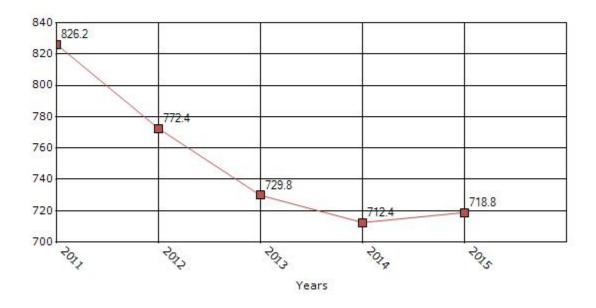
## **Overview of General Safety Trends**

#### 24. Present data showing the general highway safety trends in the state for the past five years.

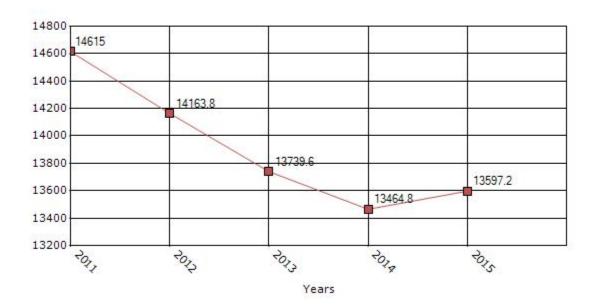
Performance Measures*	2011 (5-yr avg)	2012 (5-yr avg)	2013 (5-yr avg)	2014 (5-yr avg)	2015 (5-yr avg)
Number of fatalities	826.2	772.4	729.8	712.4	718.8
Number of serious injuries	14615	14163.8	13739.6	13464.8	13597.2
Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	1.81	1.69	1.57	1.51	1.51
Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)	32.18	31.01	29.72	28.69	28.63

<sup>\*</sup>Performance measure data is presented using a five-year rolling average.

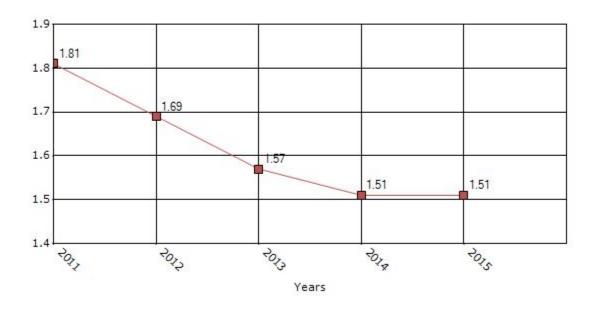
# Number of Fatalities for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



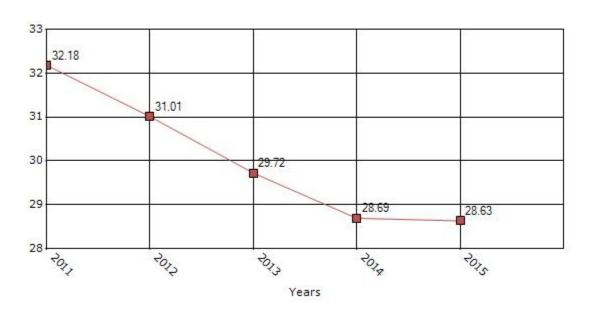
# Number of Serious Injuries for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



Rate of Fatalities for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



# Rate of Serious Injuries for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



## 25. To the maximum extent possible, present performance measure data by functional classification and ownership.

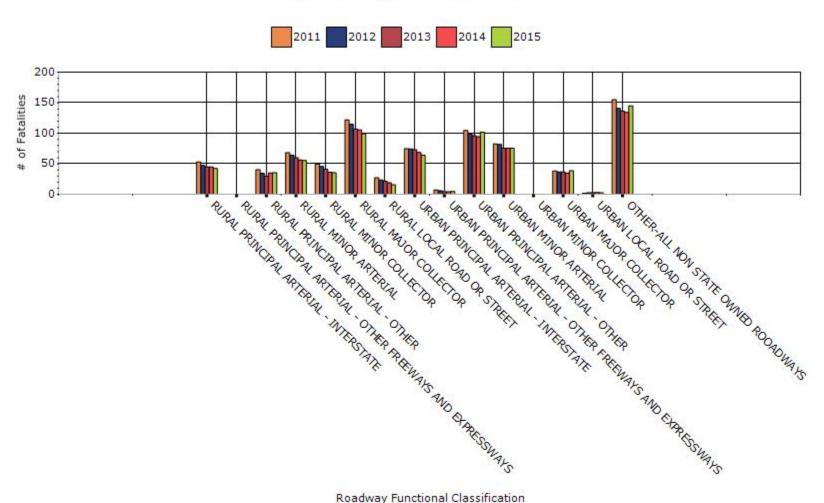
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Function Classification	Number of fatalities (5-yr avg)	Number of serious injuries (5-yr avg)	Fatality rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)						
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - INTERSTATE	42.4	257	0.74	4.49						
RURAL PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER	35.6	286.6	1.28	10.31						
RURAL MINOR ARTERIAL	55.4	402	1.81	13.1						
RURAL MINOR COLLECTOR	35.4	291.2	2.68	21.95						
RURAL MAJOR COLLECTOR	99.2	691.6	2.48	17.24						
RURAL LOCAL ROAD OR STREET	15.8	139.4	2.38	20.67						
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - INTERSTATE	64	1163.8	0.81	14.66						
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER FREEWAYS AND EXPRESSWAYS	4.8	176.8	0.5	18.83						
URBAN PRINCIPAL ARTERIAL - OTHER	101.8	3187.6	1.44	44.98						
URBAN MINOR ARTERIAL	75.6	1490	1.76	34.65						
URBAN MAJOR COLLECTOR	38.8	460.8	2.97	35.37						
URBAN LOCAL ROAD OR STREET	2.6	32.4	2.12	28.75						

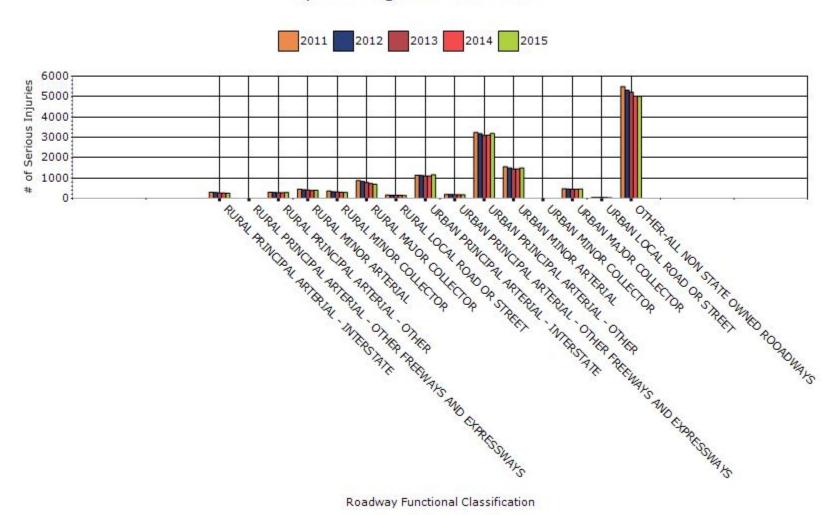
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OTHER-ALL NON STATE	145	5008.6	1.79	61.73
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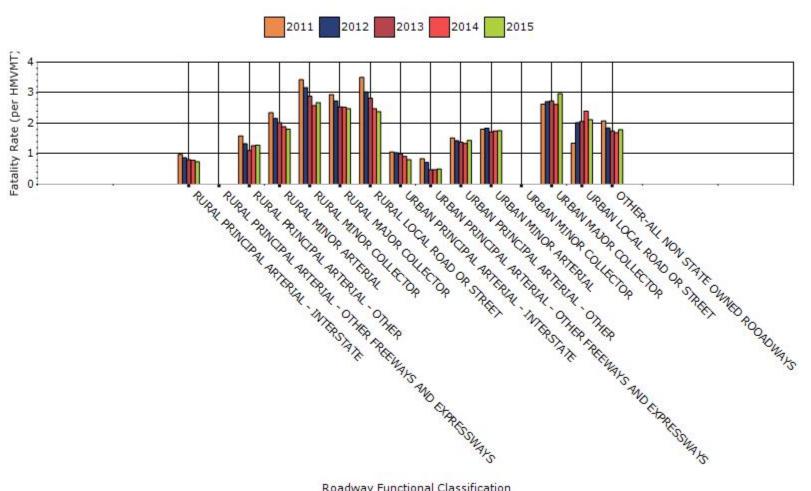
# # Fatalities by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



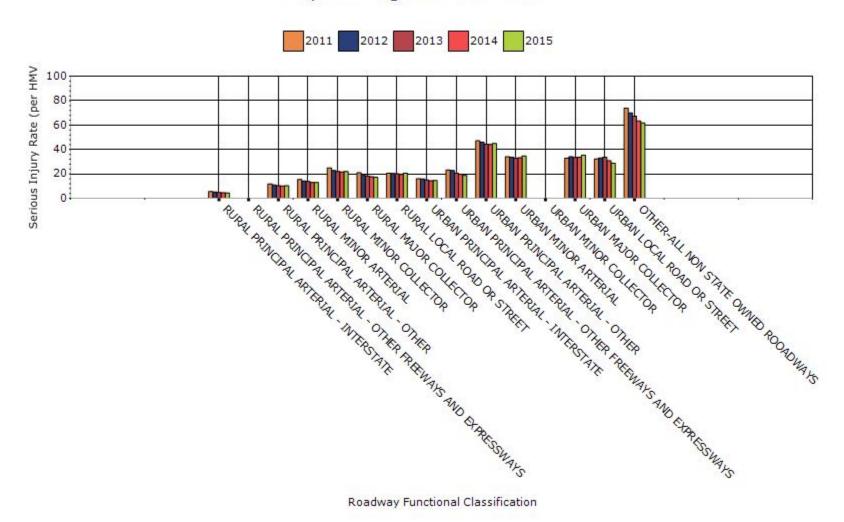
## # Serious Injuries by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



# Fatality Rate by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



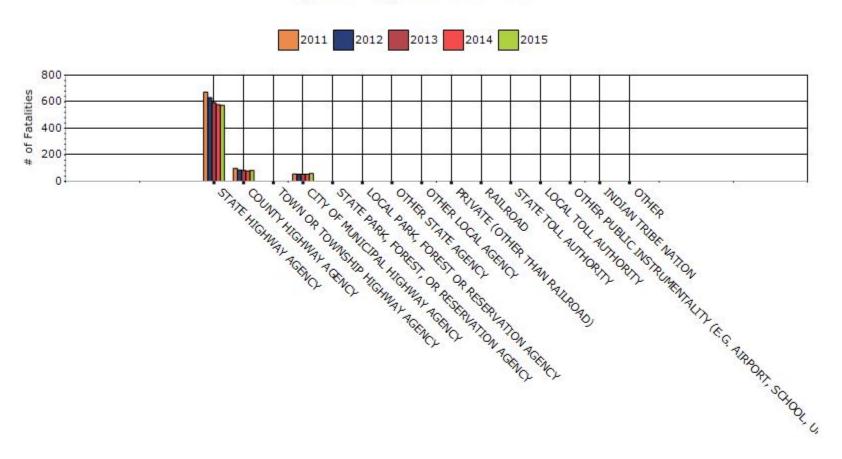
## Serious Injury Rate by Roadway Functional Classification 5-yr Average Measure Data



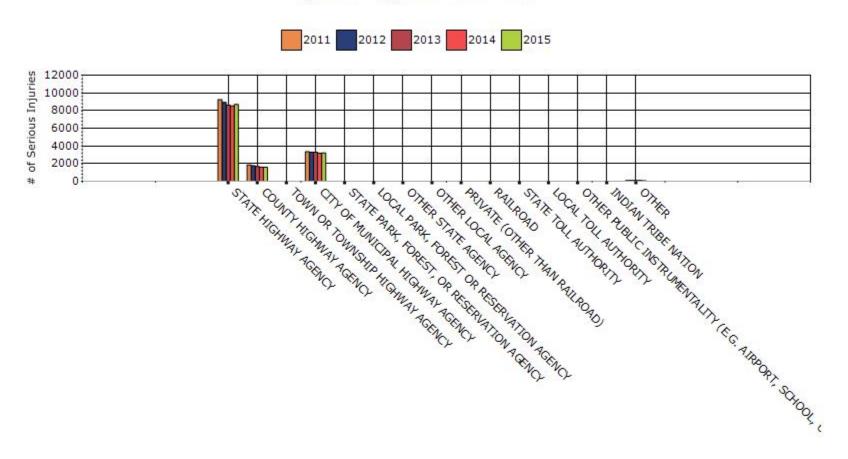
# Year - 2015

Roadway Ownership	Number of Number of serious injuries		Fatality rate (per HMVMT)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT)
STATE HIGHWAY AGENCY	573	8692.2	1.45	22.04
COUNTY HIGHWAY AGENCY	83	1594.2	4.4	84.58
CITY OF MUNICIPAL HIGHWAY AGENCY	59.6	3203.8	1.02	54.78
LOCAL TOLL AUTHORITY	0.8	16.4	0.21	4.36
OTHER		81.2		

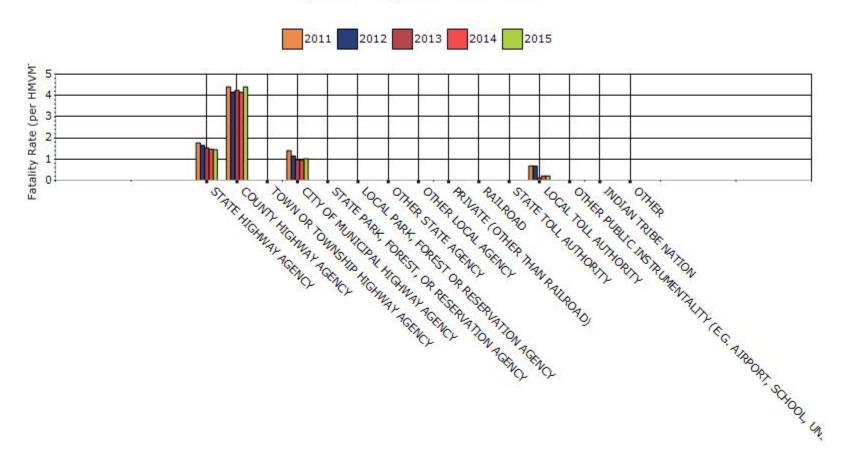
# Number of Fatalities by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



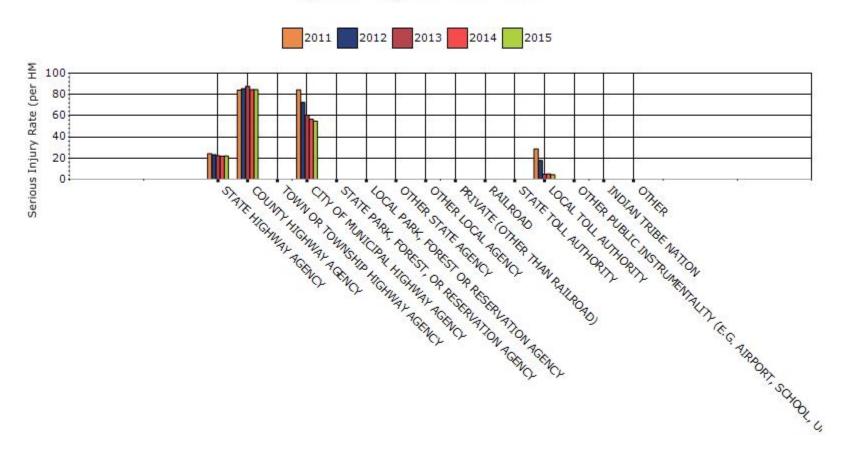
## Number of Serious Injuries by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



# Fatality Rate by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



# Serious Injury Rate by Roadway Ownership 5-yr Average Measure Data



# 26. Describe any other aspects of the general highway safety trends on which you would like to elaborate.

While the slight increase in fatalities is concerning, we recognize that the overall number of licensed drivers and vehicle-miles traveled is increasing as well. In addition, we have successfully connected to vital statistics which is a supplement to our current data collection efforts, therefore enhancing our ability to identify FARS cases.

### **Application of Special Rules**

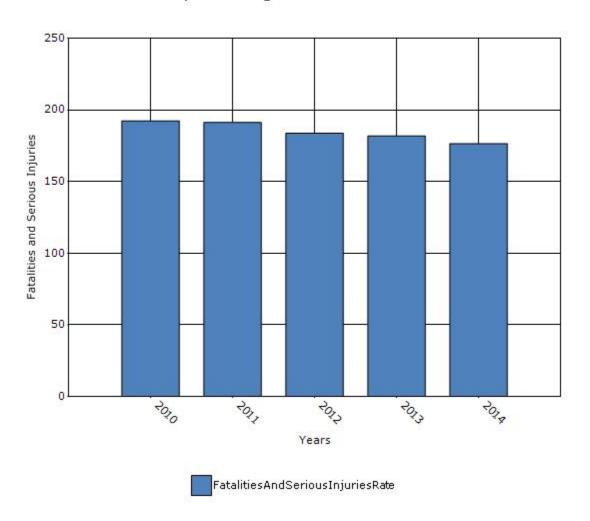
# 27. Present the rate of traffic fatalities and serious injuries per capita for drivers and pedestrians 65 years of age and older.

Older Driver Performance Measures			2012 (5-yr avg)	2013 (5-yr avg)	2014 (5-yr avg)
Fatality rate (per capita)	15.56	15.22	14.91	14.38	13.35
Serious injury rate (per capita)	176.82	175.95	168.86	167.37	163.12
Fatality and serious injury rate (per capita)	192.38	191.17	183.77	181.75	176.47

<sup>\*</sup>Performance measure data is presented using a five-year rolling average.

Rates are based on 100,000 licensed drivers.

# Rate of Fatalities and Serious injuries for the Last Five Years 5-yr Average Measure Data



28. Does the older driver special rule apply to your state?

No

# Assessment of the Effectiveness of the Improvements (Program Evaluation)

# 29. What indicators of success can you use to demonstrate effectiveness and success in the Highway Safety Improvement Program?

Other-Louisiana experienced an increase in fatalities in 2015. Louisiana remains below our target of reducing fatalities in half by 2030.

#### 30. What significant programmatic changes have occurred since the last reporting period?

None

#### 31. Briefly describe significant program changes that have occurred since the last reporting period.

We have produced state-specific Safety Performance Functions for various functional classifications, which establish an estimated baseline safety performance to compare similar locations against each other. This comparison is made using the Level of Service of Safety (LOSS I through IV) and the 80ile line separates the locations in Level of Service of Safety IV from the rest of the locations. From this list, locations are identified to have a High Potential for Safety Improvement if they are LOSS IV in total crashes or LOSS IV in fatal/injury crashes and have at least 3 fatal or serious/moderate injury crashes in a 3 year period. This list is sent out to safety stakeholders (Districts, HQ sections, MPOs, and LPAs) as a result of the first step – network screening - in our HSIP project selection process.

This year the LADOTD Highway Safety Section has implemented Evaluation Forms to ensure consistency as projects are reviewed for inclusion into the HSIP. The Evaluation Forms include evaluation factors focused on safety and feasibility. The form has also been a useful communication tool for emphasizing the importance of data driven safety analysis to the sponsors.

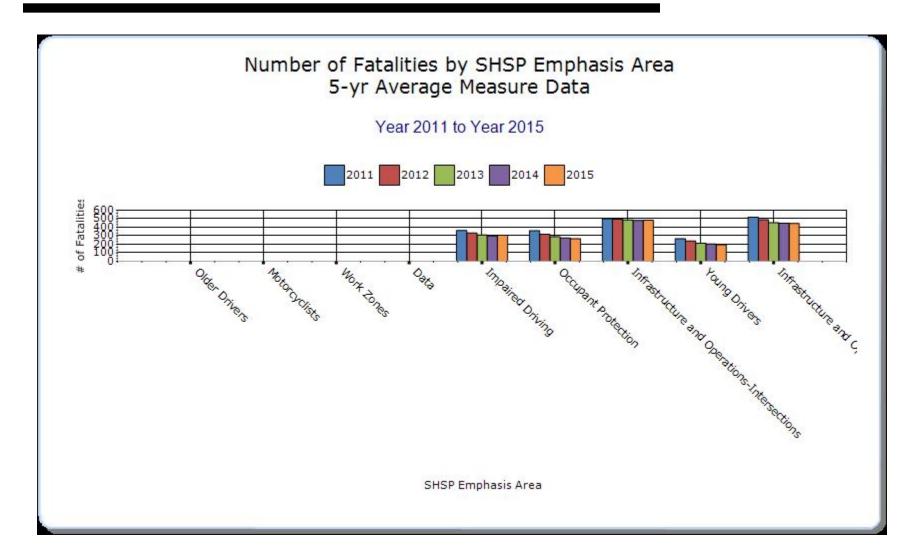
In the future, it is envisioned that the Stage 0 Evaluation Form will be expanded and include weighted scores to help prioritize projects within the program.

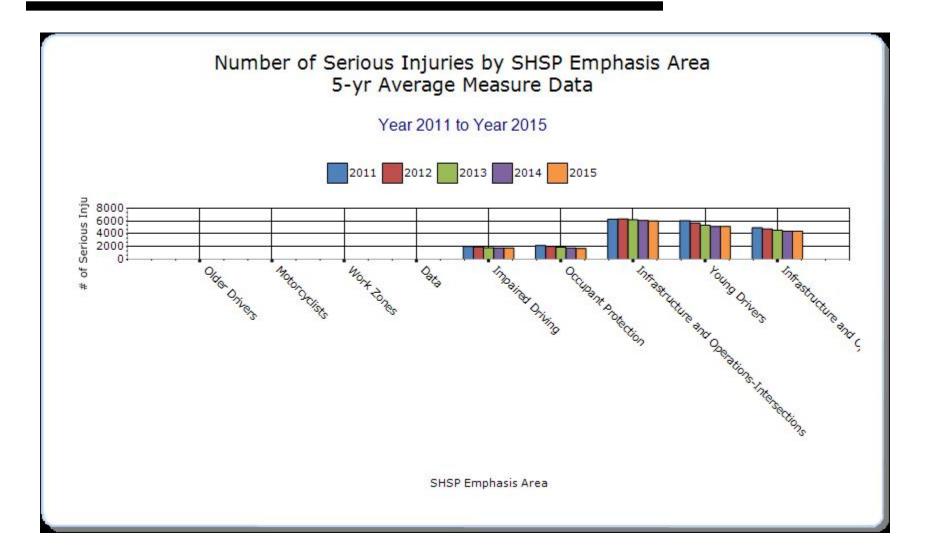
# **SHSP Emphasis Areas**

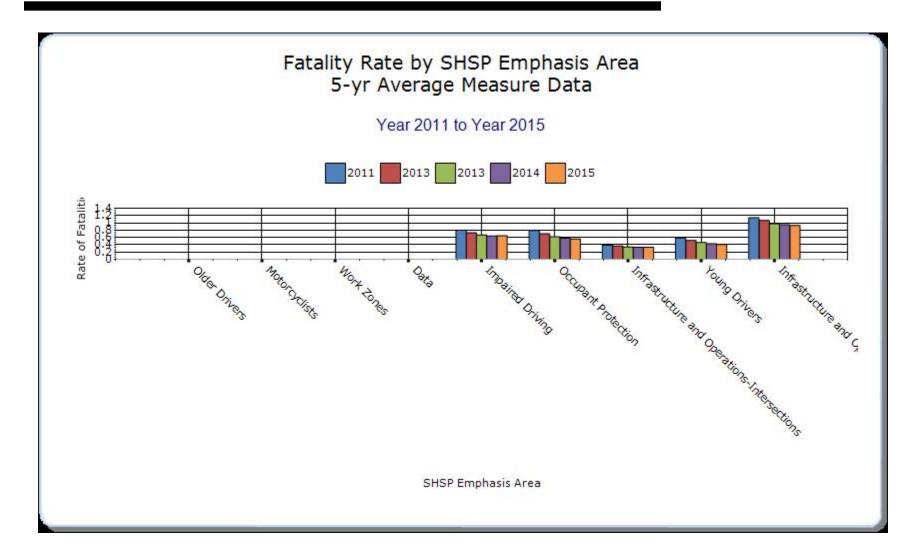
32. Present and describe trends in SHSP emphasis area performance measures.

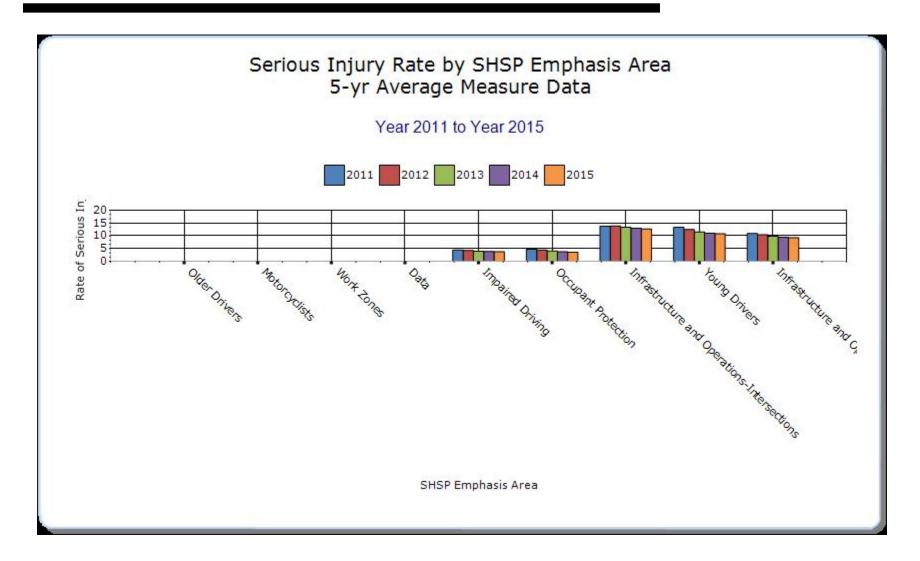
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HSIP-related SHSP Emphasis Areas	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities (5-yr avg)	Number of serious injuries (5-yr avg)	Fatality rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)	Serious injury Other- rate (per 1 HMVMT) (5-yr (5-yr avg) avg)		Other- 2 (5-yr avg)	Other- 3 (5-yr avg)
Impaired Driving	All	307.6	1780.8	0.65	3.74			
Occupant Protection	All	267.6	1708.4	0.56	3.59			
Infrastructure and Operations-Intersections	All	483.6	6028.4	0.33	12.71			
Young Drivers	All	195.6	5151.8	0.41	10.84			
Infrastructure and Operations-Roadway Departure	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			







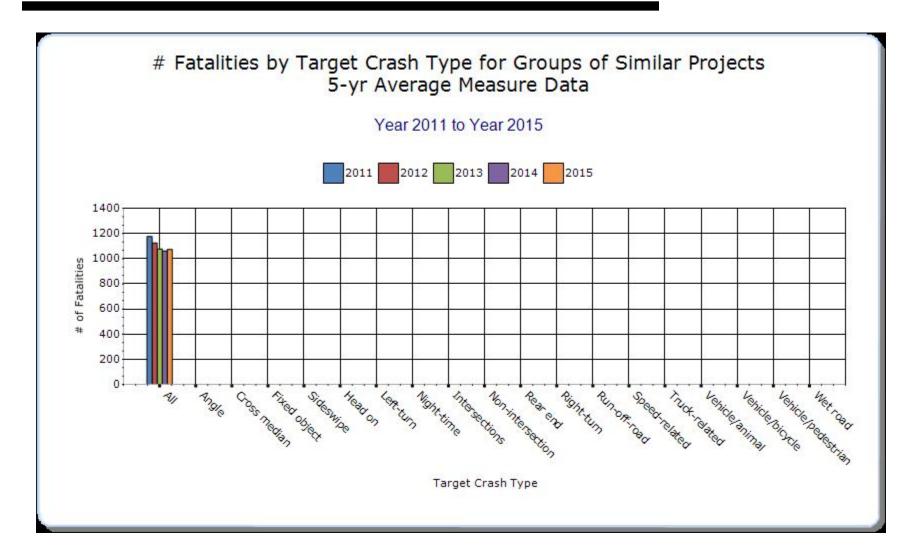


**Groups of similar project types** 

### 33. Present the overall effectiveness of HSIP subprograms.

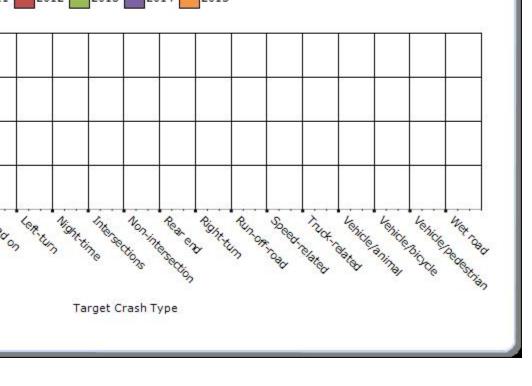
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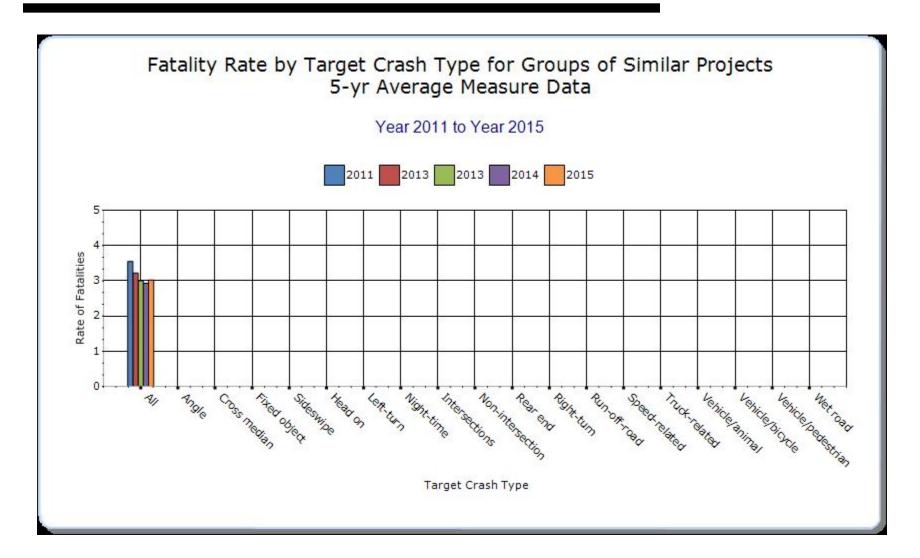
HSIP Sub- program Types	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities (5-yr avg)	Number of serious injuries (5-yr avg)	Fatality rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)	Other-1 (5-yr avg)	Other-2 (5-yr avg)	Other-3 (5-yr avg)
Intersection	All	483.6	6028.4	0.33	12.71			
Roadway	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
Departure								
Local Safety	All	144	4495.2	1.76	55.11			

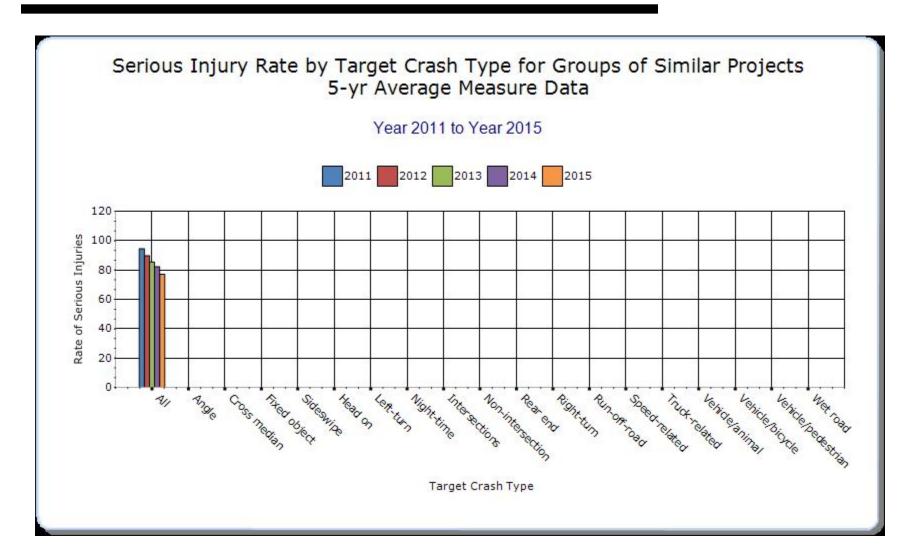


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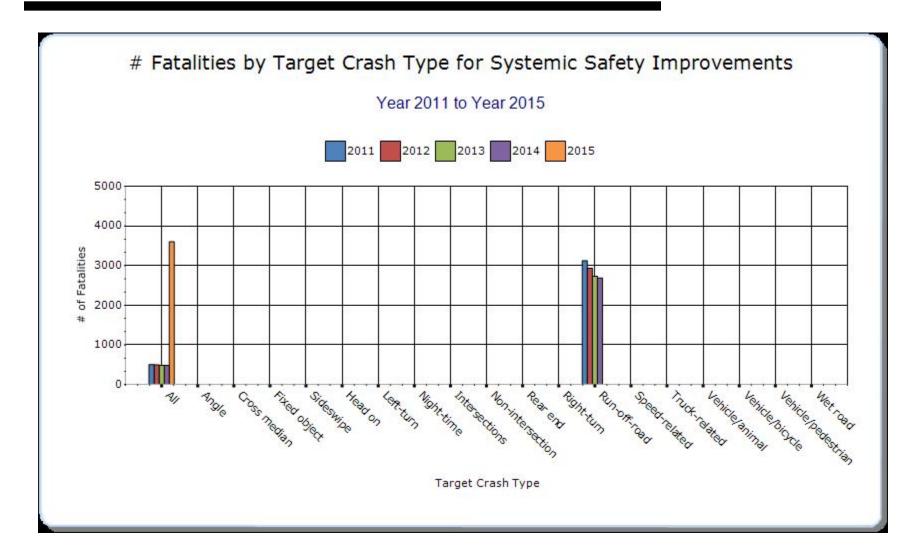


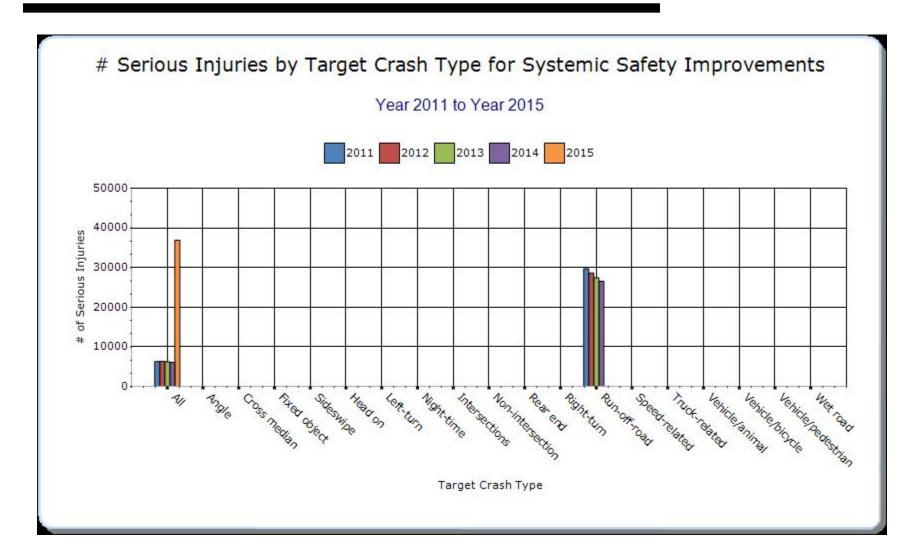
### **Systemic Treatments**

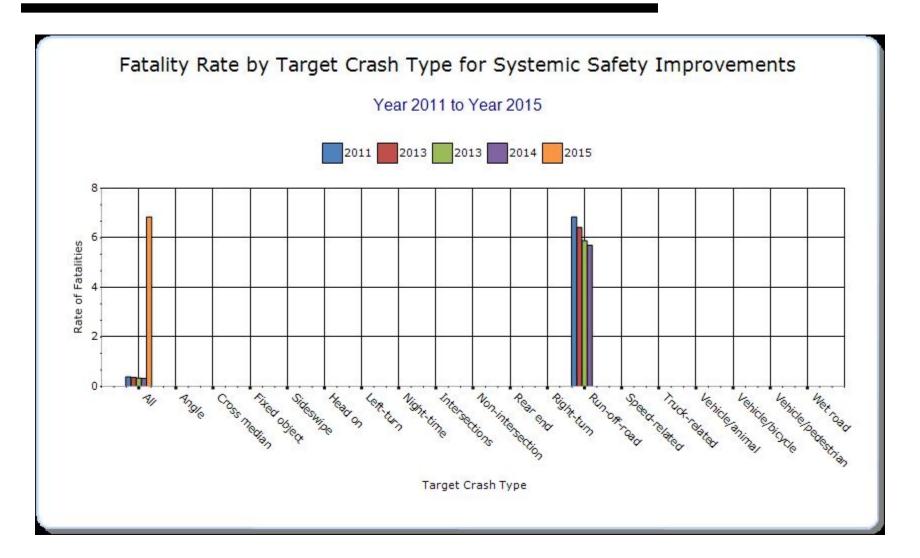
### 34. Present the overall effectiveness of systemic treatments.

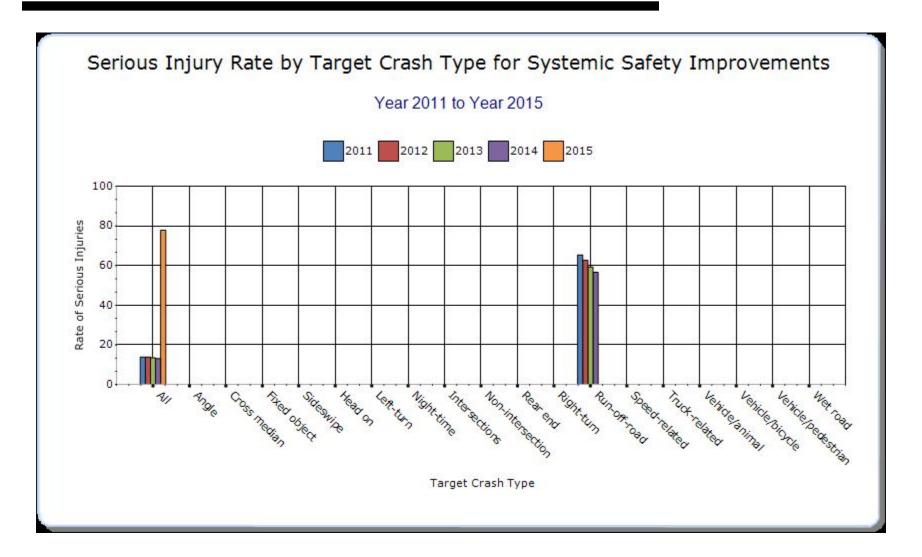
Year - 2015

Systemic improvement	Target Crash Type	Number of fatalities (5-yr avg)	Number of serious injuries (5-yr avg)	Fatality rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)	Serious injury rate (per HMVMT) (5-yr avg)	Other- 1 (5-yr avg)	Other- 2 (5-yr avg)	Other- 3 (5-yr avg)
Install/Improve Signing-	All	483.6	6028.4	0.33	12.71			
Intersections								
Rumble Strips	All	445	4412	0.93 9.3				
Install/Improve Signing	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
Install/Improve Pavement	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
Marking and/or Delineation								
Upgrade Guard Rails	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
Cable Median Barriers	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
Safety Edge	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
Other-High friction surface	All	445	4412	0.93	9.3			
treatment								









35. Describe any other aspects of the overall Highway Safety Improvement Program effectiveness on which you would like to elaborate.

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# **Project Evaluation**

36. Provide project evaluation data for completed projects (optional).

Location		Improvement Category	1 -	Fatal	Bef-All Injuries		Fatal	Aft-All Injuries	Total	Evaluation Results (Benefit/ Cost Ratio)
NA	NA									

# **Optional Attachments**

Sections Files Attached

### Glossary

**5 year rolling average** means the average of five individual, consecutive annual points of data (e.g. annual fatality rate).

**Emphasis area** means a highway safety priority in a State's SHSP, identified through a data-driven, collaborative process.

**Highway safety improvement project** means strategies, activities and projects on a public road that are consistent with a State strategic highway safety plan and corrects or improves a hazardous road location or feature or addresses a highway safety problem.

**HMVMT** means hundred million vehicle miles traveled.

**Non-infrastructure projects** are projects that do not result in construction. Examples of non-infrastructure projects include road safety audits, transportation safety planning activities, improvements in the collection and analysis of data, education and outreach, and enforcement activities.

**Older driver special rule** applies if traffic fatalities and serious injuries per capita for drivers and pedestrians over the age of 65 in a State increases during the most recent 2-year period for which data are available, as defined in the Older Driver and Pedestrian Special Rule Interim Guidance dated February 13, 2013.

**Performance measure** means indicators that enable decision-makers and other stakeholders to monitor changes in system condition and performance against established visions, goals, and objectives.

**Programmed funds** mean those funds that have been programmed in the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) to be expended on highway safety improvement projects.

**Roadway Functional Classification** means the process by which streets and highways are grouped into classes, or systems, according to the character of service they are intended to provide.

**Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP)** means a comprehensive, multi-disciplinary plan, based on safety data developed by a State Department of Transportation in accordance with 23 U.S.C. 148.

**Systematic** refers to an approach where an agency deploys countermeasures at all locations across a system.

**Systemic safety improvement** means an improvement that is widely implemented based on high risk roadway features that are correlated with specific severe crash types.

**Transfer** means, in accordance with provisions of 23 U.S.C. 126, a State may transfer from an apportionment under section 104(b) not to exceed 50 percent of the amount apportioned for the fiscal year to any other apportionment of the State under that section.