



## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** TPB Technical Committee  
**FROM:** Janie Nham, TPB Planning Manager  
**SUBJECT:** Proposal for 2024 Regional Roadway Safety Summit  
**DATE:** June 27, 2024

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In January, TPB staff developed and presented a series of potential roadway safety activities to undertake this year. Those activities included a safety event to highlight concern about increased traffic fatalities and severe injuries on the region's roadways, as well as enhanced regional coordination on the safety crisis.

This memorandum proposes for the Technical Committee's consideration a preliminary outline for a regional Roadway Safety Summit to build consensus and support for the adoption of a region-wide "zero deaths" goal. Staff envisions the event will take place in September, potentially the week of September 9, and target members of the TPB, relevant subcommittees, and local safety practitioners. The format of the forum is still being determined, but staff envisions a series of panel sessions, each moderated by a TPB board member. A conceptual agenda is provided below. Venues other than the COG building are under consideration.

Feedback and suggestions on the event date, agenda, and potential speakers, are welcome. This information will also be shared with TPB officers to finalize details. With the selection of the event date and approval of the proposed agenda format, staff will begin planning for the event.

## **POTENTIAL AGENDA**

*Potential Dates: Week of September 9, 2024*

*Proposed Time: 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM, followed by lunch (12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)*

*Format: In-person, potentially live streamed*

**Welcome and Opening Remarks (5-10 mins)**

**Panel 1: What do we know about the region's safety problem? (30 mins)**

**Panel 2, Part A: How are we responding to the problem today? (45 mins - 60 mins)**

**10-min Break**

**Panel 2, Part B: Why should we commit to the Safe Systems Approach? (30 mins – 45 mins)**

**Panel 3: How do we as a region get to zero? (60 mins)**

**Closing Remarks (5 mins) & Lunch (60 mins)**