

# NEVADA ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON TRAFFIC SAFETY MEETING SUMMARY

Tuesday, February 10, 2025, 2:00 pm-4:00 pm

## SUMMARY OF ACTIONS FROM FEBRUARY 10 MEETING

<u>Agenda Item</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Link to Document</u>
3. Approve December 9, 2025 Meeting Minutes	Passed Unanimously	<a href="#">Final Meeting Minutes</a>

## ITEMS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION FOR APRIL 14 MEETING

Approve February 10, 2025 Meeting Minutes
Approve Recommended Policy Priorities

## SUMMARY OF AGENDA ITEMS:

### 4. Chair and Vice Chair Introductions (Information/Discussion)

Vice Chair Amy Davey is the Director of the Nevada Department of Public Safety - Office of Traffic Safety, recognized by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) as the State Highway Safety Office for Nevada. This is Amy's second opportunity to hold a leadership role of this body. She was previously the Chair of the Nevada Executive Committee of Traffic Safety (NECTS) which, through legislation in 2021, established the NVACTS in the Nevada Revised Statutes.

Chair Sean Sever is the Deputy Administrator at the Nevada Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). As a previous vice chair of NVACTS, he is grateful for the opportunity to serve the committee as the chair. He noted that all efforts to eliminate fatalities in Nevada are worthwhile and a single saved life is a victory. He is looking forward to being the NVACTS chair to this group as everyone prioritizes saving lives on Nevada's roadways.

### 5. Traffic Safety Data and Trends

Anita Pepper, Public Information Officer (PIO) for the Office of Traffic Safety, presented the preliminary statewide monthly crash report and trends on the preliminary data through December 31, 2025. Nevada ended 2025 with 385 lives lost on the roadways, compared to 419 in 2024. The report with preliminary data through December 31, 2025, can be found [here](#).

Please reach out to Anita Pepper at [a.pepper@dps.state.nv.us](mailto:a.pepper@dps.state.nv.us) to be added to the distribution list for the monthly fatal report.

### 6. Zero Fatalities Annual Survey Results

Robert Danoff from Brand Outlook presented the results of the Zero Fatalities brand recognition research study, which surveyed over 1,000 licensed drivers in Nevada to better understand beliefs and key motivators and evaluate the effectiveness of communication efforts.

The full report can be found here: [Zero Fatalities Annual Survey Results.pdf](#)

## 7. PACT Coalition Statewide Impaired Driving Assessment

Ayla Babakitis from Prevention, Advocacy, Choices, Teamwork (PACT) Coalition. As part of a grant-funded effort, the PACT Coalition led a statewide outreach effort, the Statewide Impaired Driving Assessment, collaborating with all 17 counties in Nevada to examine the causes of impaired driving. This study was based on data collected from 2024-2025.

The full report can be found here: [Statewide Impaired Driving Assessment.pdf](#)

## 8. Autonomous Vehicles Working Group Update

Working Group Chair, Andrew Bennett from Clark County Office of Traffic Safety, shared that the group kicked off with a robust conversation last month at the first meeting. The team is working on research gathering for next steps.

If anyone is interested in being involved in the Autonomous Vehicles Working Group, please contact Andrew at [andrew.bennett@clarkcountynv.gov](mailto:andrew.bennett@clarkcountynv.gov).

## 9. Policy Priorities for the 2027 Nevada Legislative Session

Policy Priority Working Group (PPWG) Chair, Andrew Bennett from Clark County Office of Traffic Safety, shared that the working group has begun discussion on the NVACTS policy priorities for the 2027 Nevada Legislative Session.

The PPWG is asking for input on policy priorities by February 24. An email will be sent to NVACTS members and the Nevada Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP) email list with the Policy Priority Recommendation Form to be filled out and returned to [zerofatalitiesnv@kimley-horn.com](mailto:zerofatalitiesnv@kimley-horn.com). All responses via the form are requested by February 24 in order to prepare for upcoming interim committee meetings.

## 10. Update on the 2026–2030 Nevada Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP)

Lacey Tisler, NDOT Chief Traffic Safety Engineer leads the SHSP with guidance from the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA). Formal approval of the plan was received from Governor Lombardo a few weeks ago and FHWA approval was received on Monday (2/9). The published plan will be available on the Zero Fatalities website.

The 2026-2030 Nevada SHSP can be found here: [2026-2030 Nevada SHSP.pdf](#)

## 11. Upcoming NVACTS Meeting Dates and Locations

The dates and location for the first two NVACTS meetings in 2026 are:

- **Tuesday, April 14 meeting – Location NDOT (Carson City and Las Vegas)**
- **Tuesday, June 9 meeting – Location NDOT (Carson City and Las Vegas)**

Full (draft) meeting minutes from the Tuesday, February 10, 2025 NVACTS meeting can be found here: [https://zerofatalitiesnv.com/app/uploads/2026/02/20260210-NVACTS-Minutes\\_draft.pdf](https://zerofatalitiesnv.com/app/uploads/2026/02/20260210-NVACTS-Minutes_draft.pdf)