

Meeting Agenda
Marking Technical Committee
National Committee on Uniform Traffic Control Devices
June 20-21, 2007 – Lake Tahoe, NV

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Material to bring to meeting and review beforehand if possible:

- Sponsor ballot comments
- I. Call to order (Gene Hawkins)
 - A. Self introductions
 1. Recognition of new members
 - B. Distribution of attendance rosters (each day)
 - II. Committee business
 - A. Approval of January 2007 minutes (see MTC website)
 - B. Summary of NCUTCD Chairs meeting (Gene Hawkins)
 - C. Report from the Edit Committee (Tim Taylor)
 - D. Report from Human Factors Task Force (Phil Garvey)
 - E. Report from other NCUTCD committees (if applicable)
 - III. Act on sponsor ballots (see NCUTCD website for sponsor comments)
 - A. Rumble strips and rumble stripes – Duane Thomas
 1. Members: Duane Thomas (chair), J. Kalchbrenner, N. Hodson, D. Jones, S. Zeller, G. Thamer, D. Alsabrook, J. Shamay
 - B. Edge line markings at entrance/exit ramps and lane drops (formerly Older Driver task force) – John Bemelen, Tim Taylor
 - IV. Review status of active MTC task forces
 - A. Pavement Marking retroreflectivity
 1. Members: T. Taylor (chair), D. Thomas, J. Kallenberger, E. Hedman, P. Garvey, S. Vetter, S. McDonald, D. Centa, S. Zeller, J. Ellison, D. Jones
 2. Action Item:
 - a. Present potential language on pavement marking minimum retroreflectivity to send to sponsors (or progress on development of language).
 - b. Focus on soft issues (not specific retroreflectivity values), such as percent of time values must be met, how actual values are determined, etc.
 3. Deadlines
 - a. Task force should present final recommendations at January 2008 meeting to go to sponsors in spring 2008.
 - B. Safe routes to schools – Jim Ellison
 1. Members: Jim Ellison (chair), S. Vetter, R. Dyer, J. Tidabek, R. Airomloo, K. Kaufman, Z. Ougdah, G. Rowe, H. Jensen (new member)
 2. Action items:
 - a. Present potential language on a marking to indicate the beginning and ending of a school speed limit to send to sponsors.

- b. Task force will focus on whether the appropriate marking is transverse line or word/symbol.
 - 3. Deadlines
 - a. Task force should present proposed language at the June 2007 meeting.
- C. Transverse markings for speed reduction (Brian Katz study)
 - 1. Members: J. Kallenberger (chair), M. Manthey, S. Thorson, D. Woodin, D. Hockstra, J. Tidabek, B. Lambert
 - 2. Charge:
 - a. Review Katz study, draft language for sponsors for MTC meeting in June, 2007
 - 3. Deadlines
 - a. Task force should present proposed language at the June 2007 meeting.
- D. Colored Pavements – R. Airomloo
 - 1. Members: Steve Bolt (chair), R. Airomloo, J. Bemelen, J. Marcuson, J. Sproul, J. Shamay (new member)
 - 2. Action items:
 - a. Review potential applications for colored pavements, such as roadway in front of emergency vehicle access. Consider language for colored bike lanes (green per FHWA)
 - b. Develop language for sponsors for colored pavement for bike lanes for review at June 2007 meeting
 - 3. Deadlines
 - a. Task force should present proposed language at the June 2007 meeting.
- E. LED Markings
 - 1. Members: P.D. Kiser (chair), R. Airomloo, D. Jones, J. Marcusson, D. Woodin
 - 2. Short status report on activity since January
 - 3. Charge:
 - a. Lead discussion at Jan. 07 meeting
 - b. Review NCHRP Synthesis 3813 report regarding applications of LED markings
 - 4. Consider addressing:
 - a. Current applications
 - b. Current MUTCD provisions?
 - c. Long term MUTCD applications
 - 5. Deadlines
 - a. Task force should present final recommendations at January 2008 meeting to go to sponsors in spring 2008.
- F. NCHRP Synthesis recommendations – Dave Woodin
 - 1. Members: Dave Woodin (chair), T. Taylor, S. Zeller, S. McDonald, D. Centa, P. Garvey, J. Kallenberger (new member), H. Jensen (new member)
 - 2. Action items:
 - a. Identify items from NCHRP Synthesis that should be incorporated into MUTCD language.
 - b. Prepare MUTCD language for those items
 - 3. Deadlines

- a. Task force should present final recommendations at January 2008 meeting to go to sponsors in spring 2008.
- V. New Business
 - A. MTC plans for response to NPA (expected August 2007)
- VI. Presentations (scheduled at various times to accommodate speakers' schedules)
 - A. None scheduled at this time (contact Gene Hawkins with requests for presentations)
- VII. Meeting wrap-up
 - A. Review minutes of current meeting
 - B. Prepare agenda for next meeting
 - C. Adjourn