SNAP software training

How you can use the new SNAP software to create a safe walking and biking plan for your school









Training Objectives

- How to create a SNAP Plan
- How to use new SNAP Software
- How to create a map for administrators
- How to create a map for students and parents
- How to distribute the map









What is a SNAP plan?

- Required by Utah law
- Free SNAP Planning Guide and Software
- School Community Councils,
 Gold Medal School Mentors
 and Coordinators









What's in a SNAP plan?

- Map
 - Outlining safest walking and biking routes
- **Text description**
 - Explaining routing plan
- Drop-off/pick-up map
 - GMS schools required to submit









Steps to create a SNAP plan

- 1. Perform an inventory by physically walking the routes
 - Identify signals, stop signs, crosswalks, potential obstacles, railroad crossings, missing/damaged sidewalks
- 2. Use SNAP software to create map
 - Administrator map
 - Student map
- 3. Create a text description of student map and safest routes
- 4. GMS must create drop-off/pick-up map







Goal of SNAP plan

- A SNAP map should identify the safest walking/biking routes
- Should <u>not</u> show every possible route





SNAP plan review process

- 1. School's SNAP team submits plan for review to district's **Traffic Safety Committee**
- 2. Traffic Safety Committee submits plan to **local UDOT offices** and notifies **local jurisdictions**
- 3. Final snap plan is reviewed, revised by SNAP team and accepted* by appropriate jurisdictions
- 4. **Principal distributes** student map and text description to all students

*GMS must submit draft SNAP plan to Local Health Department by Feb. 5, 2009.









New software features

- Convenient
 - Web-based software
 - Can be used on PC or Mac
 - SNAP map can be shared online
- Accurate
 - Interfaces with Google maps
- Easy to use







Today's training will show...

- Logging into SNAP software
- Creating a school profile
- Creating an administrator map
- Creating a student map
- Sharing map with students and parents







SNAP Planning Guide

- Hard copy
 - Mailed to principals
- PDF
 - Download at udot.utah.gov/snap
 - Download from snapforschools.com
 - Download from GMS Guide,
 - pg. 49









Free SNAP Resources

- 35-minute musical safety presentation - SNAP, Walk 'n Roll
 - Schedule via e-mail:
 - snap@snapforschools.com
- Other free resources at **UDOT's SNAP Web site**
 - udot.utah.gov/SNAP









Questions?

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