

DESCRIPTION

The Low Cost Safety Improvements class focuses on low-cost, ready-to-use engineering improvements that enhance the safety of highways with a focus on local road applications. The course reviews a wide range of countermeasures and their associated crash reduction factors as identified in the AASHTO Strategic Highway Safety Plan -- NCHRP 500 Guidebooks. Engineering countermeasures for specific areas of highway safety, including roadside hazards; signing, markings, and lighting; traffic control devices; intersections; traffic signals; and railroad grade crossings are discussed. The course also introduces recent low-cost safety improvements that have been developed by States and local engineers. Through exercises, participants learn how to analyze highway safety situations and apply appropriate countermeasures to those situations.

Contact the Baystate Roads Program for additional information at: info@baystateroads.org

Maximum class size is 35

SPEAKER

Mark Hood, P.E.

Mark is a Senior Technology Transfer Specialist and Traffic Safety Engineer with Pennoni Consulting Engineers and the Pennsylvania LTAP Center. He has over 19 Years of experience in Transportation Engineering and has been providing training and technical assistance on transportation safety and traffic engineering-related subjects to audiences around the country for the past thirteen years.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This program is designed for all municipal personnel who serve as their municipality's legal traffic authority and others (police safety officers, highway superintendents, engineers) who have an interest or involvement in municipal traffic safety and traffic control.

This course counts towards 1 Roads
Scholar Credit/0.6 CEUs



LOW COST SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS



March 10, 2011 Northampton

--The Clarion Hotel

March 11, 2011 Lenox

--The Cranwell Resort



This Baystate Roads Program (LTAP) workshop is a cooperative effort of the Federal Highway Administration, Massachusetts Department of Transportation and the University of Massachusetts Transportation Center.

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Agenda

8:00 AM	Breakfast/Registration
8:30 AM	Course Introduction/Objectives
	Identification of High Crash Locations
	Roadside Hazards
10:00 AM	Break
	Signs, Marking and Lighting
10:15 AM	Enhanced Traffic Control Device Applications
12:00 PM	Lunch
1:00 PM	Unsignalized Intersections
	Signalized Intersections
	RR Grade Crossings
	Innovative Low Cost Improvements
3:30 PM	Evaluations/Certificates/Adjourn

Workshops Coming Soon!!!

- Chainsaw Skills/Storm Debris Cleanup
- Bridge Inspection Reports
- Stormwater BMPs
- Invasive Species

Low Cost Safety Improvements

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The Clarion Hotel
1 Atwood Drive
Northampton, MA 01060
ph. (413) 586-7794

March 11, 2011

The Cranwell Resort
55 Lee Road
Lenox, MA 01240
ph. (413) 637-1364

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NAME: _____

Dates Requested: _____

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REGISTRATION FEE:

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\$50.00/municipal, \$75.00 private sector

Light breakfast, Lunch and
 Course Materials are Included

Make checks payable to:
 The University of Massachusetts

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