MARYLAND HIGHWAY SAFETY OFFICE

2025 TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANTS AWARDED



FEDERAL AND STATE FUNDING

More than \$13.3 million in federal highway safety grants

More than \$1.5 million in state highway safety grants for pedestrian and bicycle initiatives



ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY OFFICE OF TRANSPORTATION



- Bike safety training, grades 3-5, in 9 schools
- Piloted in '23-'24 at 8 schools with SR2S funding
- Schools identified in Move Anne Arundel!



BALTIMORE METROPOLITAN COUNCIL



- Media campaign
- Efforts focused on Baltimore
 and Harford counties



Continue development of Local Road Safety Programs



CHESAPEAKE REGION SAFETY COUNCIL

• Six mock crashes throughout the state



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JDQ5BVyRcRo



JOHNS HOPKINS HOSPITAL ADULT TRAUMA SERVICE



 Interactive tools to educate adult/young drivers

- Debilitating effects of TBI after a motor vehicle crash (impaired and distracted driving)
- Focus on Baltimore City



UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND MEDICAL SYSTEM FOUNDATION

- Distracted driving simulator to enhance 20 pre-prom safety program
- Programs at high schools and at R Adams Cowley Shock Trauma Center





IMPACT TEEN DRIVERS



- Train the trainer programs - first responders, health professionals and educators
- Teaching teens the dangers of distracted driving
- Be the Change program at 10 schools throughout the state (Carroll)



BYKE COLLECTIVE



- Teach bike mechanics, safe ridership and community values in Baltimore City's marginalized neighborhoods
- Value of pedestrian visibility
- Youth ambassadors and professional contractor



FREE BIKES 4 KIDZ



- Supplement Howard County's bike education program in up to 12 schools
- Refurbish donated bikes, provide education, and donate bikes to underserved children



MARYLAND STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

- Expand on OC WalkSmart, DriveSmart, BikeSmart campaign
- Cheswick (10 years) rebranded for rural and urban areas
- Outreach personnel to teach pedestrian safety with Cheswick
- PSAP highest priority corridors Baltimore, Anne Arundel, and Howard Counties





MARYLAND STATE POLICE MOTORS PROGRAM



- Provides free training for motorcyclists
- Operated by Maryland State and local law enforcement agencies
- Includes classroom and practical training with individualized feedback for riders



MORGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

• Supporting eye tracking software for driving simulator



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UryUidrGUuk



STATEWIDE GRANTEES

- MADD
- National Study Center Washington College Crash Center for Research and Education (CORE)
- Maryland Department of Health (KISS)
- Maryland Institute for EMS Systems (MIEMSS)



ENFORCEMENT BALTIMORE METROPOLITAN REGION

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