# IN MOTION

### **Collier Metropolitan Planning Organization**



# Safety Advice from the Florida Highway Patrol

# TARGET ZERO

Target Zero is FDOT's statewide initiative to reduce the number of transportation-related serious injuries and deaths in Florida to ZERO.

This is a data-driven effort that focuses on improving driving behavior and roadway safety through education to eliminate serious injuries and fatalities on Florida's roadways before they occur. Click <u>here</u> to learn more.

Traffic fatalities are on the rise again nationally and locally. As reported by Tomas Rodriguez in the Naples Daily News on June 16, 2022, an early estimate released by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration shows the highest number of road deaths in 16 years. Lt. Greg Bueno, spokesperson for the Florida Highway Patrol in southwest Florida, urges residents and visitors to drive responsibly, put your phones down, drive sober, wear a seatbelt, and have patience.

## **MPO SUMMER ACTIVITIES**

The Collier MPO Advisory Committees and Board are in summer recess. During this time MPO staff work on a variety of items to prepare for the upcoming year's meetings and activities. It's also the MPO's time to "spring" clean by organizing hard copy and electronic files and updating the website, attend conferences and training sessions, and prepare documents for committees to review in the fall. The MPO's regular meeting schedule resumes in August. Click <u>here</u> to download the 2022 MPO meeting calendar.

### The Collier MPO is Seeking Volunteers!!!



Want to have an impact in the community? The Collier MPO is seeking volunteers to serve on the MPO's Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) for one at-large seat, BCC Districts I & 5, and the City of Marco Island. The Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) has one vacant at-large position. Joining an advisory committee provides an opportunity to be directly involved in the transportation planning process. If you are interested in joining the CAC, please contact Ms. Brandy Otero at (239) 252 -5859 or Brandy.Otero@colliercountyfl.gov. For information regarding the BPAC, contact Mr. Scott Philips at (239) 252-5850 or Scott.Philips@colliercountyfl.gov



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