#### Risk Control

## **Safety Academy**



RISK CONTROL

REDUCE RISK, PREVENT LOSS, SAVE LIVES.

### Agenda - Managing Distracted Driving in Law Enforcement Workshop

LENGTH

3.0 hrs.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This workshop is designed for local policymakers, law enforcement executives and command staff, acting supervisory staff, senior officers, field training officers and instructors who are responsible for controlling operations within their departments.

DESCRIPTION

This workshop is designed to explore ways law enforcement leadership can help eliminate and/or minimize distractions officers face while driving vehicles during everyday operations.

**COURSE OBJECTIVES** 

At the conclusion of the workshop, participants should be able to:

- Identify ways to minimize distractions and/or the impact of distractions on officers while driving
- Motivate change in officer's driving behavior to better manage distractions arising out of their duties
- · (Re)establish a standard of safety for prevention of distracted driving incidents

**AGENDA** 

- 1. Introduction
  - a. Distracted driving is a common error
  - b. Law enforcement officer crash statistics
  - c. Law enforcement associations' activities
  - d. Surveys and studies
- 2. What is distracted driving?
  - a. Visual, manual and cognitive
  - b. Multi-tasking while driving
  - c. What might encourage distracted behaviors (activity)?
- 3. Distraction prevention from top management to driver
  - a. Driver workstation design
  - b. Policies and procedures
  - c. Training
  - d. Supervision/Accountability
  - e. Management example and leadership

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- 8. Management example and leadership planning
  - a. Fleet safety management program
  - b. Clear and concise policies and procedures
  - c. Consistently model expected behaviors
  - d. Performance of fleet safety responsibilities is included in performance appraisals-
  - e. Public service messages
  - f. Enforce a standard of safety for prevention of distracted driving incidents
  - g. Self-evaluation and gap analysis
  - h. Action planning
- 9. Ending
  - a. Leadership tips
  - b. Some final considerations
  - c. Next steps
  - d. Questions



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