



## VISION ZERO SAFETY ACTION PLAN





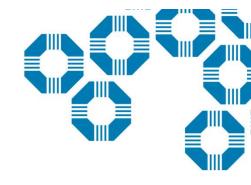






#### PRESENTATION TO SEMINOLE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS





## **Agenda**

- 1. Purpose and Background
- 2. What is Vision Zero?
- 3. Crash Trends
- 4. Scope of Work
- 5. Next Steps

### Purpose and Background

- Coordinated planning effort led by MetroPlan Orlando to identify safety projects
- MetroPlan Orlando and its government partners were awarded a \$3.79 million federal grant
- The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) established the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) discretionary grant program
  - \$5 billion in appropriated funds over 5 years, 2022-2026.
  - Types of grants:
    - (1) Planning/demonstration
    - (2) Implementation (must be a project in Action Plan)



## **Agency Roles**

### MetroPlan Orlando

- Regional plan (3-county)
- Leading a Regional Task Force (County has representation)
- Providing data and guidance

### County

- County specific plan
- Leading a Steering Committee (Cities have representation)

#### Cities

City specific plan

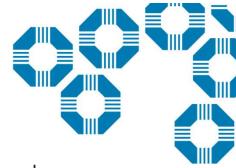




### What is Vision Zero?

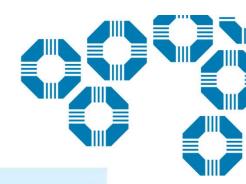


Memorial to people killed in traffic crashes. Source: Vision Zero Network



- Loss of life is not an acceptable price to pay for mobility
- Eliminate traffic deaths and severe injuries on the transportation system
- Proactive and preventive approach

# Vision Zero Approach and Why It's Different



#### TRADITIONAL APPROACH

Traffic deaths are INEVITABLE

**PERFECT** human behavior

**Prevent COLLISIONS** 

**INDIVIDUAL** responsibility

Saving lives is **EXPENSIVE** 

#### **VISION ZERO**

Traffic deaths are PREVENTABLE

Integrate HUMAN FAILING in approach

Prevent FATAL AND SEVERE CRASHES

**SYSTEMS** approach

VS

Saving lives is NOT EXPENSIVE

Source: Vision Zero Network













# Vision Zero – Who has been doing it?



### Sweden

Vision Zero – 1995 Launch

65%

Reduction in fatalities 1997 – 2021 Fatality rate of 2.2 per 100,000 population (2016)



Source: Vision Zero Network





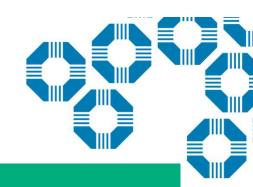








# Core Elements of Vision Zero Communities



## Meets the following minimum standards:

- Set clear goal of eliminating traffic fatalities and severe injuries
- Elected officials have committed publicly to Vision 7ero
- Data driven decision making
- Actionable Strategies are developed
- Key agency departments (including police, transportation, public health) are engaged
- Data driven, equity-focused decision making

### **Core Elements:**

- Leadership and Commitment
- Safe Roadways and Safe Speeds
- Data-Driven Approach, Transparency and Accountability





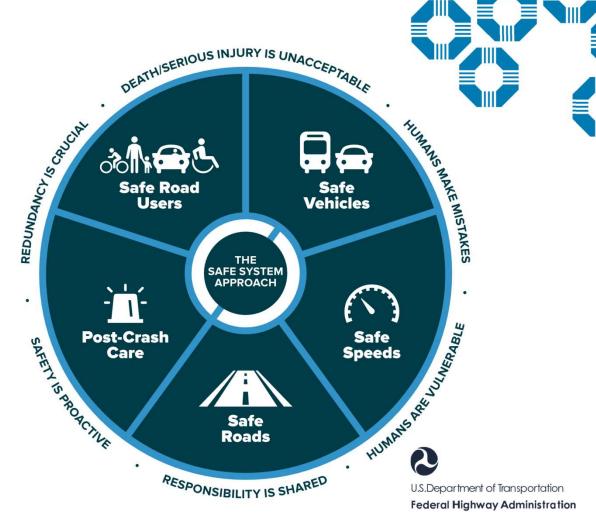








Zero is our goal. A Safe System is how we will get there.









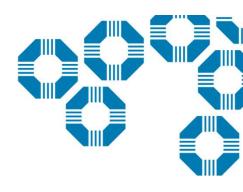


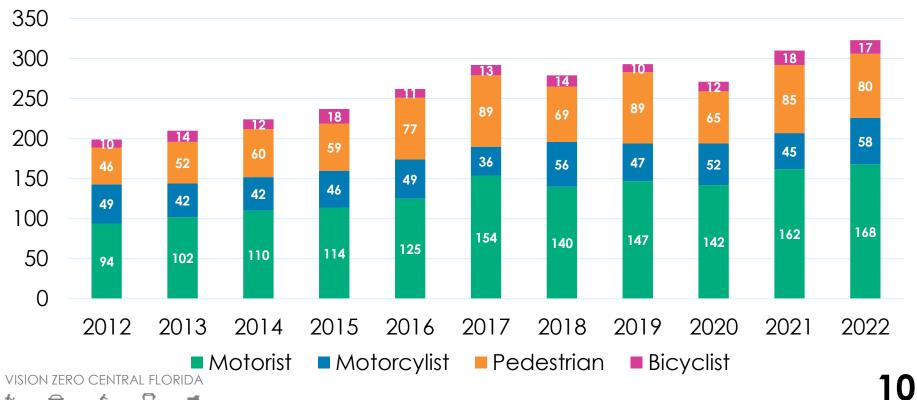




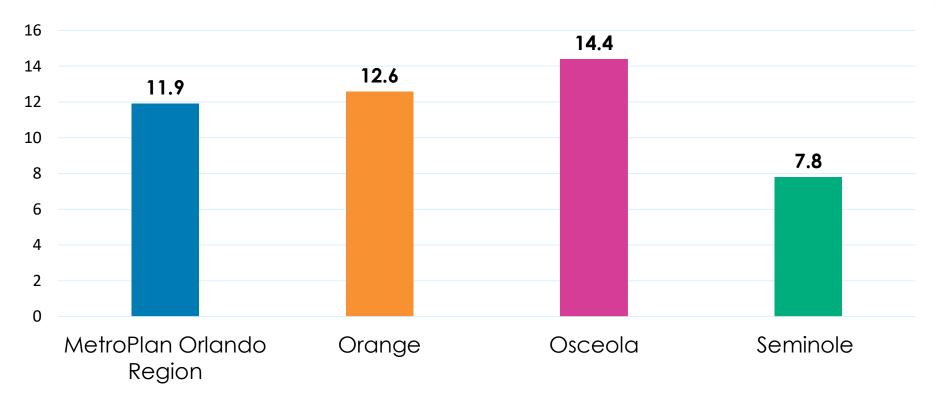


# MetroPlan Orlando Region – Fatalities



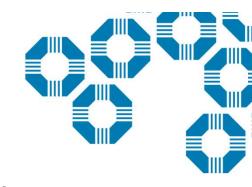


# Fatal Crashes per 100,000 Population – Average 2018-2022





## Scope of Work





**Steering Committee:** Engage diverse group of stakeholders (County staff and partners).

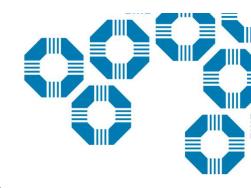


**Stakeholder Engagement:** Up to six public meetings / workshops.



**High Injury Network (HIN):** Analyze crash trends and areas with serious injuries and deaths.

## Scope of Work





**Policy Review:** Identify opportunities and barriers to reaching Vision Zero.



**Prioritize Projects and Strategies:** Data-driven process to prioritize safety projects and strategies



**Safety Action Plan:** Comprehensive plan, includes project selection, performance evaluation, and progress monitoring strategies.

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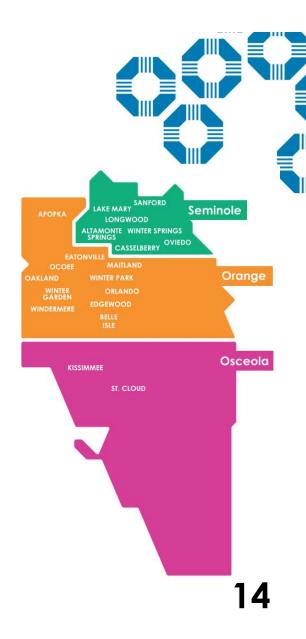
### Plan Outcomes

### MetroPlan Orlando

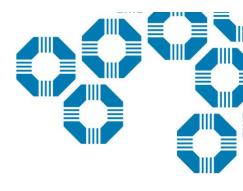
- Incorporate projects into 2050 Plan for prioritization and funding allocations
- Additional SS4A grant applications

### County

- Projects become grant eligible
- Ability to apply for SS4A implementation grant



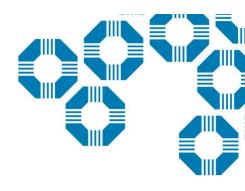
## **Next Steps**





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