

Texas Motorcycle Safety Coalition Quarterly Meeting

March 11, 2021

10:00 am - 11:30 am







## Agenda

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Opening Remarks & Introduction (Chris B)
10:00 - 10:05
                  Webex refresher (Mike)
10:05 - 10:10
10:10 - 10:40
                  Task Force Activity Update (Chris S)
                  Task Force Membership Request (Chris S)
                  Task Force Legislative Update (Jude)
10:40 - 10:50
                  Forum Update, Forum Marketing (Mike, Cathy)
10:50 - 11:00
                  Invitation for Free Safety Presentations (Jude)
                  Meetings (12/3, 3/11, 6/24, 9, 2) and Forum (5/1) (Mike)
11:00 - 11:10
                  Updates, Open Forum (Chris B)
11:10 - 11:30
                  Adjourn (Chris B)
12:30
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## WebEx Refresher

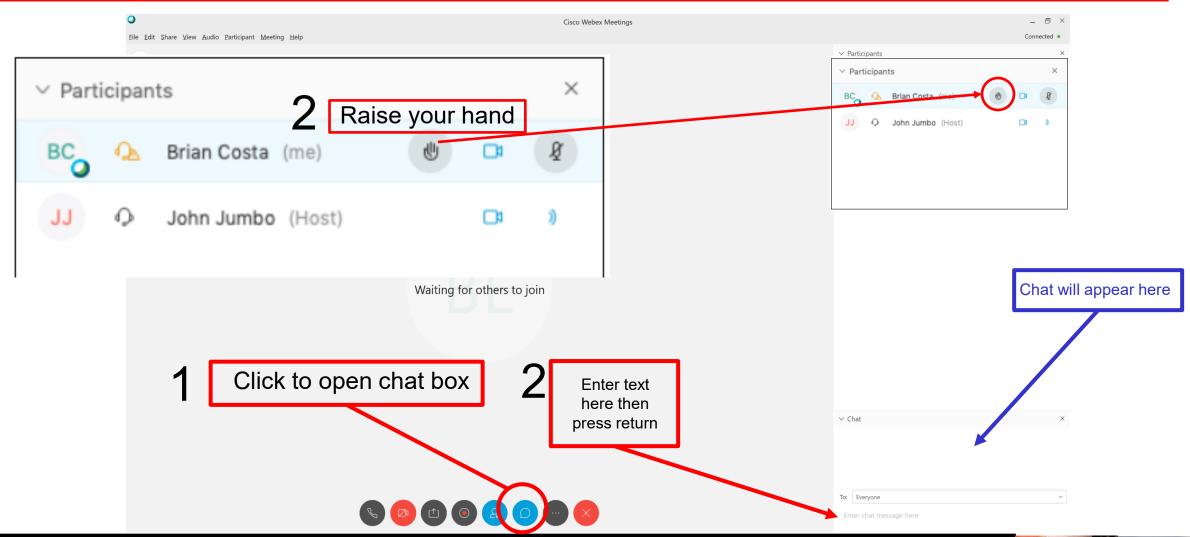
- Please stay muted (Jack will help with this)
  - This limits distracting sounds and noises that detract from the meeting. TTI will also be muting people.
- Don't put us on "hold".
- Participate in the meeting.
  - Use WebEx chat.
  - Or after the meeting, send us a note using the Contact Us page on looklearnlive.org.







## WebEx Refresher









## TMSC Task Force Overview

#### Purpose

 To help the TMSC by focusing on key motorcycle safety issues and making recommendations back to TMSC members.

### Meetings

 The Task Force will be meeting quarterly (short and productive) or more frequently depending on work product and members' availability.







# TMSC Task Force Update

Task One: Identifying a Rider Safety Topic to Pursue

- The TF examined several different topics which included:
  - 1. Rider licensing
  - 2. Rider training
  - 3. Impaired riding







# TMSC Task Force Update

**Topic Focus:** Rider Impairment

### **Next Steps**

- Gather background information and data
- Analyze data to narrow target audiences and geography
- Identify specific areas to address
- Develop campaign strategies and materials
- Implement pilot







# TMSC Task Force Update

#### **Other Duties**

- Forum planning
- Texas Motorcycle Safety Award review nominations and present three from each category to the Coalition for a blind vote.
- Other TMSC support as needed

#### JOIN US!

- We are looking for a few more members
- Interested? Notify Dr. Mike(m-manser@tti.tamu.edu)







## TMSC Task Force

## Legislative Update







## Forum Update and Forum Marketing

Date: May 1

Time: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm

Location: Virtually meeting, log in from your computer or phone

Cost: Free

#### Registration

- Will be open soon.
- Visit looklearnlive.org/safety-forum/ for more information and upcoming registration link.
- Will send out a link via the LLL distribution list.







	Introduction from the Texas Motorcycle Safety Coalition Introduction from the Texas Department of Transportation	
3:50- 9:35	Session 1A: How Motorcyclists are Helped at the National Level LaCheryl Jones, NHTSA Yusuf Mohadmedshah (FHWA)	Session 1B: Rider Behaviors that Increase Risk Eva Shipp (TTI) (committed) Shane McLaughin (VTTI) (committed)
9:35- 9:45	Break	
9:45– 10:30	Session 2A: Increasing Training and Licensing Sarah Buzzell, WisDOT Marcie Perez, TTI	Session 2B: How You Can Help Reduce Rider Crashes Through Effective Communication Jack Wenzel, TTI Chris Sharman, Sherry Matthews Group
10:30– 10:40	Break	
10:40-11:25	Session 3A: How to Educate Motorists About Rider Safety Nina Jo Saint, Driver's Education Lora Dane, Texas COC&I Ford Strawn, TDLR	Session 3B: How Can Clubs and Groups Improve Rider Safety BACCA, Texas COC&I Other Riding Groups
11:30-11:45	Awards	
11:45 <b>–</b> 12:00	Closing Comments: Michael Manse Adjourn	
	Transportation Institute  Texas Department of Transportation	

Welcome & Housekeeping

3:30<del>-</del> 8:45

## Forum Update and Forum Marketing

### **GETTING THE WORD OUT**

TMSC Distribution List

TCoC&I Regions

Gold Wing Road Riders Association

Center for Transportation Safety Distribution List

TxDOT Traffic Safety Specialists

### WHO ELSE? HOW ELSE?







## MC Safety Presentations

TMSC – Focused on data and practical riding information.



TxDOT – Focused on data and what riders can do to improve safety.







# Updates, Open Forum, New Stuff







# Look Twice for Motorcycles Campaign

#### **Volunteers Needed**

- The campaign is looking for riders to share stories about crashes with vehicles.
- These would be Zoom interviews to capture your story to share with media.
- Interested?

**Contact:** Mark Evans (marke@sherrymatthews.com)











Novel Highway Signs Study to Support Infrastructure-Based Motorcycle Crash Countermeasures—Phase II

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https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/publications/research/safety/21010/21010.pdf









# Texas Motorcycle Safety Coalition Quarterly Meeting Adjourn





