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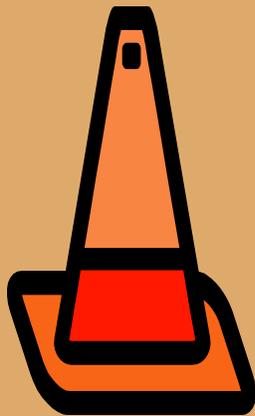
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Uniformed Law Enforcement in Work Zones

MDOT, in cooperation with the FHWA, has established a guidance document for uniformed law enforcement in work zones. The guidance document was created by a cross sectional team of MDOT and FHWA staff. The process, procedures and guidance document were approved by the Engineering Operations Committee (EOC).

Effective immediately project staff may begin to use and program project funding for work zone law enforcement in accordance with the guidance document.

The process is described in detail in Guidance Document 10202. Guidance documents are located on the department's Intranet website under the Policies and Procedures link under the main MDOT heading.

Regions and TSCs are required to provide the following information to the Statewide Work Zone Office (SWZO):

- Job numbers of projects that will or currently have uniformed law enforcement.
- Preliminary budgeted amounts for work zone law enforcement, as determined during the scoping and development process.
- Copies of monthly funding reports/invoices received during active work zone law enforcement.
- Any speed observations and associated analysis and conclusions completed by regions or TSC's.
- Post-construction critiques and surveys of work zone law enforcement by project or law enforcement personnel.