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**From:** Bell, Tammi [DOT]  
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**Subject:** REMINDER - Local Road Safety Workshops and Peer Exchange

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Tom McDonald, Jack Latterell, and Office of Local Systems

**FROM:** Office of Local Systems

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Peer Exchange

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Included with this note is a [registration brochure](#) for five scheduled Local Roads Safety workshops. Rural issues will be addressed at the workshops on October 21, 30, and November 18; and Urban issues will be addressed at the workshops on October 30 and November 18. Counties and cities are encouraged to register for the location and date most convenient for your agency. The format of these workshops will be very similar to the workshops held the past four years. The presentations this year will provide insights on how to deal with many of the safety issues using low cost solutions.

The principal instructor will be Jack Latterell who served as the FHWA safety engineer for many years and is currently providing consultant services on many safety topics. In addition, Tom McDonald, Safety Circuit Rider at CTRE and representatives from the FHWA and Iowa DOT will be present to provide information and answer question.

I think you will find this a very interesting workshop and attendance is encouraged. Crash maps will be provided to counties and cities that preregister at least two weeks before the workshop they plan to attend. Completion certificates will also be provided for your continuing education credits.

To register, please follow the instructions on the registration brochure.

**Please do not hit the reply option in your e-mail note.**

LeRoy H. Bergmann and Donna L. Buchwald  
Office of Local Systems

Note: Documents are in Adobe Acrobat's pdf format. If you do not have the Adobe Acrobat Reader software, you can download it free of charge at <http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep.html>.

Mailings are available at the Local Systems Weekly Mailing web address [http://www.iowadot.gov/local\\_systems/mailing/main\\_mailing.htm](http://www.iowadot.gov/local_systems/mailing/main_mailing.htm)

# Low Cost Safety and Traffic Studies Workshop



A Series of Workshops for Cities, Counties, and Planning Agencies

## Dates and locations:

### Rural sessions

**October 21, 2008 - Ames, IA**

Quality Inn & Suites Starlite Village Conference Center

**October 30, 2008 - Carroll, IA**

Carrollton Inn & Suites

**November 18, 2008 - Iowa City, IA**

Quality Inn & Suites Highlander Conference Center

### Urban sessions

**October 22, 2008 - Ames, IA**

Quality Inn & Suites Starlite Village Conference Center

**November 19, 2008 - Iowa City, IA**

Quality Inn & Suites Highlander Conference Center

**Cost:** Free!

## Registration:

Mail or fax your information no later than seven days before the workshop you plan to attend to:

Georgia Parham  
Center for Transportation Research and Education  
2711 South Loop Drive, Suite 4700  
Ames, IA 50010

Fax: 515-294-0467  
E-mail: [gparham@iastate.edu](mailto:gparham@iastate.edu)  
Phone: 515-294-2267

Or register online at [www.ctre.iastate.edu/events/](http://www.ctre.iastate.edu/events/)

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## Questions:

Contact Tom McDonald, [tmcdonal@iastate.edu](mailto:tmcdonal@iastate.edu),  
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## Agenda:

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| 8:00 am  | Registration                              |   |
| 8:30     | Introduction                              | Tom McDonald,<br>CTRE                                       |
|          | Planning Issues                           | Roger Larson,<br>Iowa DOT                                   |
|          | Local Systems                             | LeRoy Bergmann<br>or Donna Buchwald,<br>Iowa DOT            |
|          | High Visibility<br>Enforcement<br>in Iowa | Randy Hunefeld,<br>Iowa Governor's<br>Traffic Safety Bureau |
| 10:00    | Break                                     |   |
| 10:15    | Best Practices Handbook                   | Bob Sperry,<br>CTRE   |
|          | Simplified Traffic Studies                | Bob Sperry,<br>CTRE   |
|          | Low Cost<br>Safety Studies                | Jerry Roche,<br>FHWA  |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch (provided)                          |   |
| 12:45    | Crash Analysis<br>Demonstration           | Jerry Roche,<br>FHWA  |
|          | Multi-Disciplinary<br>Safety Issues       | Jack Latterell,<br>safety consultant                        |
| 2:00     | Break                                     |   |
| 2:15     | Multi-Disciplinary Safety Issues (cont.)  |   |
|          | CHSP - Local Roads Team Report            | Tom McDonald,<br>CTRE                                       |
|          | Closing Comments/Certificates             | Tom McDonald,<br>CTRE                                       |
| 3:00     | Adjourn                                   |   |