

**Governor's Council on Impaired Driving
Meeting Agenda and Banquet Program
May 2-4, 2006
Parkway Plaza, Casper**

Tuesday, May 2, 2006

4:00 **Welcome**

4:15 **Governor's Council White Papers**

Council members will work in sub-committees to complete each of their four white papers.

6:00 **Dinner**

8:00 **Adjourn**

Wednesday, May 3, 2006

7:45 **Breakfast**

8:00 **Governor's Council White Papers**

Completed drafts of each white paper will be reviewed and edited. The Council will reach consensus regarding the final version of each paper to submit to the Governor.

12:00 **Lunch**

1:00 **Governor's Awards Banquet: Updates and Final Preparations**

Final planning will be completed for the Awards Banquet including Council member assignments, speaker introductions, banquet orchestration and choreography, and any remaining concerns.

2:00 **Priority Issue Updates**

Ignition Interlock passed the 2006 Legislative Session, but DUI Child Endangerment did not. What happens now? What other issues of interest passed/failed during the session? What opportunities exist for additional public education and input?

3:00 **Miscellaneous Items for Council Discussion**

Several items have previously come up for discussion including the development of Governor's Awards for prosecutors, correspondence from the District Attorney's office in Casper regarding hearing examiners and driver licensing, and amendments to the Council's By-Laws. Sub-committees working on each of these issues will provide updates to the full Council.

4:00 **Break**

Governor's Awards Banquet Program

- 4:30 **Registration and Open Seating**
- 5:00 **Gordon Graham, Keynote Speaker**
- 5:45 **Dinner**
- 6:20 **Citizen Awards presented by Governor Freudenthal**
- 6:40 **Break**
- 7:00 **DUI Enforcement Awards presented by Governor Freudenthal (and desert)**
- 8:00 **Adjourn**

Thursday, May 4, 2006

- 7:45 **Breakfast**
- 8:00 **Awards Banquet 'Debriefing'**
How did the banquet go? What direction should the Council take next? The meeting will conclude with a brief discussion of potential agenda items for the next Council meeting in August.
- 9:00 **Closing Remarks and Adjourn**

Governor's Council on Impaired Driving May 2 - 4, 2006 Meeting Minutes

The quarterly meeting of the Governor's Council on Impaired Driving was held May 2-4, 2006 at the Parkway Plaza in Casper prior to and following the Governor's Awards Banquet. The meeting began with a welcome from Council Co-Chair Mary Frank, followed by Council member introductions.

Council members worked in sub-committees to complete a draft of each of their four white papers. The completed drafts were reviewed, edited and finalized by the full Council. Formatting edits will be completed before the papers are submitted to the Governor later in May.

Council members orchestrated final plans for the Awards Banquet including member assignments, speaker introductions, banquet orchestration and choreography, and any remaining concerns.

Updates on the Council's priority issues were provided by members. Ignition Interlock was passed by the legislature and will go into effect July 1. WYDOT Driver Services is

promulgating rules and regulations, working with vendors, and notifying potential applicants. DUI/Child Endangerment will come back again next year, and will likely begin in the Senate. Toni Reichenbach will contact John Barrasso regarding possible sponsorship in the Senate. Updates on keg registration (passed in a compromised format) and open container (failed but will return once again) were also provided by Council members.

The “Last Drink” survey conducted by the Sheriff’s and Chief’s Association began earlier this month. A letter of support from the Council to the sheriffs was drafted, reviewed and approved. The By-laws sub-committee (Tim Day, Mary Frank, Brenda Eickhoff-Johnson and Steve Weichman) will bring recommendations regarding revisions to the Council in August. They will focus specifically on the process for making appointments and filling vacancies. The statewide telephone survey about alcohol use, underage drinking and drunk driving includes questions about sobriety checkpoints, dram shop, mandatory drug/alcohol testing of drivers involved in fatal crashes and an individual’s right to refuse to submit to chemical testing following a DUI arrest. A discussion about how the Council can best use the data followed. Susan Janke offered to help develop a one-page briefing paper or Fact Sheet about the Council’s issues.

The Council selected meeting dates and locations for the next 12 months:

- August 15-16, 2006 in Lander (at the Best Western Inn)
- November 14-15, 2006 in Casper (at the Parkway Plaza)
- January 23-24, 2007 in Cheyenne
- May 1-3, 2007 in Casper

The Governor’s Awards Banquet was held during the evening. Ten citizen awards and 140 DUI Enforcement Awards were presented by Governor Freudenthal; 198 people attended the Governor’s Awards Banquet.

The Governor’s Council decided to sponsor a statewide conference on May 2, 2007. Decisions about the conference focus and format will be made during the August meeting. Council members were asked to forward suggestions for agenda topics to Lorrie Pozarik by late July.

The next meeting of the Governor’s Council on Impaired Driving will be held on Tuesday, August 15 – Wednesday, August 16, 2006 at the Best Western Inn in Lander.