

Safety Bulletin VDOT Traffic Control Assistance

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There is now a new safety resource provided by the Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) for field personnel to utilize.

The VDOT Safety patrol vehicle can be requested to assist in traffic control and road closure for interstate 66. They have two units staffed during the day from Mile Marker 1 to Mile Marker 40. These two units are designated to cover our area.

The VDOT Safety Patrol vehicle may be requested through Fauquier County ECC. The unit will be staffed from 0600- 1800 and tones can be activated through ECC. Over the next few weeks, we will be working with ECC to have these tones automatically used whenever we have an incident on the interstate.

The Safety Patrol will be designated as on call during 1800 – 0600 and will have a one-hour response time. Utilize ECC to request this resource.

Question regarding this safety bulletin should be directed to Battalion Chief RJ Arft.