

**Commercial Vehicle Information Systems
and Networks (CVISN) Team Meeting Notes
February 24, 2015 – Tuesday, 1:30 pm**



Attendees:

Tom Beitelman, FDOT Permits
Stacie Blizzard, FHWA
Paul Clark, FDOT
Jeff Jordan, DACS, Ag Law
Richard Mechlin, FHP CVE
Tim Rutherford, DACS Ag Law
Keith Westphal, Brant

David Binder, Drivewyze
Jerry Bullard, FDOT MCSAW
David Helton, DHSMV
Ronnie Martin, FDOT Permits
Jeff Pouliotte, FDOT Permits
Marie Tucker, FDOT
Craig Wilson, FDOT MCSAW

AGENDA ITEMS:

Welcome and Introductions

Paul Clark welcomed everyone to the meeting and everyone went around the room/phone and introduced themselves.

Current Project updates and/or discussion

Pre-Clearance at Motor Carrier Compliance Weigh Stations

Jerry Bullard reviewed the information that was provided in the handouts. He continued to state that the Drivewyze information is now included in the handouts and we should continue to see steady increases for their activity.

Pre-Clearance at Agriculture Sites

Tim Rutherford reviewed the data provided in the handouts. He then informed the group that Drivewyze is now up and running at the interdiction stations. Only one side station could not be included due to the location being close to the weigh station. He then stated that Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (DACCS) has collected over \$61K due to the Container Number Database and the working relationship with Florida Highway Patrol (FHP) Commercial Vehicle Enforcement (CVE) has been good and they are always helpful.

Automated Permitting System Utilization

Ronnie Martin reviewed the stats for the Permit Application System (PAS), see below.

November 2014 – January 2015:

Stats:

- Total # of registered Internet Subscriber Account (ISA) users = 5,078 (Less than a 10% decrease from last quarter)
- Total # of account profiles = 2,025 (14.5% increase from last quarter)
- Total # of applications submitted by Industry = 13,651 (in the last quarter)
- Total # of applications processed by the Permit Office = 7,382 (in the last quarter)
- Total # of permits issued using PAS = 139,959 since PAS was deployed in August 2013

Summary:

- Of the 5,078 total registered ISA users, only 510 (or 10%) are single use applicants. This means that over 90% of our registered users are utilizing the Account Profile feature in PAS.
- The stats to date indicate that annual permit issuance has risen to over 100,000 since the deployment of PAS. Previous years indicated that permit issuance had decreased to approximately 85,000 annually.
- Self-Issuance of permits by Industry is currently at 54%.

R. Martin then stated that the Permits Office is looking into putting together Saturday training classes for the industry. Richard Mechlin stated that it has also been a discussion within FHP CVE to hold Saturday classes throughout the state to help educate carriers. R. Martin stated that the Permits Office would be willing to attend those classes and demonstrate PAS.

BOL Program

Lynn McElroy was not in attendance and did not provide any updates.

E-Credentialing System Usage Stats

David Helton stated that the numbers are still steadily increasing. P. Clark mentioned that a task work order (TWO) was recently issued for a grant project regarding outreach for online permits and e-credentialing. He stated that the consultant would be in contact with R. Martin and D. Helton.

MCSAW Grant Projects

Craig Wilson stated that the mainline weigh-in-motion (WIM) project is moving forward and he is working with the Districts regarding coordination of power.

Container Number Database

P. Clark stated that several enhancements have been suggested and he is currently looking for funding.

DACS Grant Projects

Jeff Jordan stated that latest upgrade projects are completed. He then stated that DACS is looking into moving the cameras to poles and replacing the illuminators.

Trucking Industry Update

Tisha Keller was not in attendance and did not provide any updates.

Other Items

P. Clark stated that a TWO will be issued in the near future to look into bypassing trucks that have oversize/overweight permits. He also stated that language has been included in the FDOT package to make Florida a port-of-entry state.

With no further items for discussion, the meeting was adjourned at 2:30.

Next CVISN Meeting

May 20, 2015, 10:00am to 12:00pm, Conference Room 308, 3rd Floor in the Rhyne Building, 2740 Centerview Drive, Tallahassee, FL 32301. Call in Number: 850-410-5666; Toll Free: 866-374-3368 ext 5666