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Dear Traffic Safety Partner,

The Maine Bureau of Highway Safety (MeBHS) is accepting proposals (non-law enforcement patrol) for grant awards to organizations that want to implement traffic safety initiatives to reduce and eliminate motor vehicle crashes that cause fatalities, serious injuries, and property damage. This is a statewide effort to encourage organizations, schools, corporations, hospitals, and advocacy groups to become involved in traffic safety and to create and implement a plan to address behavioral highway safety.

The plans are required to address at least one of the goals of the MeBHS which include education, outreach, and prevention and will address behavioral problems. These problems include impaired driving, speeding, distracted driving, seat belt nonuse, child occupant protection, bicycle and pedestrian safety, motorcycle safety, and older and younger driver safety.

In your proposal, please provide the following information:

Introduction - Contact information and background information of your organization.

Problem Identification – Narrative describing the behavioral highway safety problem that you would like to address. Who is at risk? When and where is the problem occurring?

Goals and Objectives – What actions will you be taking to address the problem in your area?

Evaluation – Please explain how you will measure the success of the program.

Budget – Describe the possible costs/expenses associated with the proposed project.

E-mail completed proposals to BHSGrant.MDPS@maine.gov by June 15, 2026, by 4:00 p.m. MeBHS will review proposals and determine if they can be funded. You will be notified if approved and then projects may begin on October 1st.

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