



ITS FLORIDA AWARDS ROAD RANGER OF THE YEAR AND TMC OPERATOR OF THE YEAR TO DISTRICT SIX STAFF

The Intelligent Transportation Society of Florida (ITS Florida) recognized two District Six staffers with their inaugural Road Ranger of the Year and TMC Operator of the Year Awards. District Six consultant staff members, Yoel Banobre and Bryan Salcedo were recognized with the Road Ranger and TMC Operator Awards, respectively.

Representatives from ITS Florida's Board of Directors presented them with a plaque and a cash award during a socially distanced award ceremony held in District Six in March.

Mr. Banobre is a 21-year incident management veteran whose contributions helped to shape the Road Ranger fleet we see today. He often works seven days a week and manages the fleet both on and off the roadways.

Mr. Banobre and Mr. Salcedo provide great value to the incident management community.

He played a critical role in implementing several Road Ranger services and was a member of the inaugural fleet that introduced the first express lanes pilot project in Florida. He became certified as an emergency medical technician (EMT), obtained certifications in hazardous materials (HAZMAT) and maintenance of traffic (MOT), completed his emergency vehicle operator course (EVOC), and obtained his commercial driver's license (CDL).

Mr. Salcedo joined District Six in 2014 and quickly moved up the ranks thanks to his work ethic and leadership skills. In his current role as Supervisor, he oversees a team of approximately 15 operators who handle 95 Express and Ramp Signaling operations. Mr. Salcedo graduated from the police academy and is HAZMAT, MOT and incident management certified.

Mr. Banobre and Mr. Salcedo provide great value to the incident management community. District Six is proud they were selected by ITS Florida, one of the industry's premier organizations, for these awards.

WHAT'S NEW?

- 511 Traveler Information System Now has Streaming Capabilities



DISTRICT SIX HOSTED VIRTUAL SAFETY COURSE FOR TIM RESPONDERS

The TSM&O Office recently provided first responders with a safety course that focused on standardizing TIM strategies and improving stakeholder communication while on the scene.

The course provides a platform for partner agencies to better understand each other's roles and responsibilities. It is designed to promote cross-agency education to improve scene safety and reduce secondary crashes. Attendees range from Florida Highway Patrol to Fire Rescue, and others. The four-hour

course is open to all responders and is provided on a quarterly basis throughout the year.

Attendees receive a certificate of completion which shows they have been trained in the latest strategies and information. For more information about all TIM-related news and events, please visit the TIM section of www.sunguide.info.

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT AT A GLANCE

(January 1, 2021 - March 31, 2021)

ROAD RANGER STATS

14,402

Total Responses

26,041

Total Activities

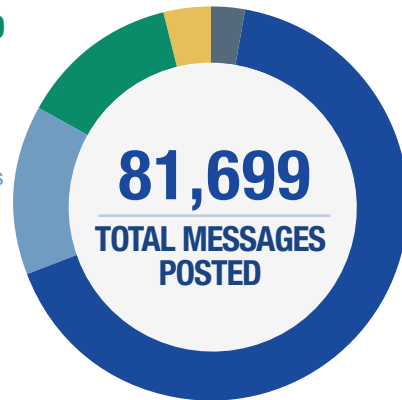
10:17 min

Average Response Time
For events not detected by a Road Ranger

DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGN POSTS

Construction: 10,529
 Safety Messages: 3,179
 Other Agency Incidents: 2,463

Vehicle Alerts: 11,498



FDOT D6 Incidents: 54,030

RISC STATS

District Six implemented the Rapid Incident Scene Clearance (RISC) Program in 2009 to reduce the impact of large-scale traffic events along our roadways. The program covers: Interstates 75, 95, 195, 395, State Road 826, Krome Avenue, Okeechobee Road, the MacArthur Causeway, and US-1 in Monroe County.

9 RISC Activations
56 min* Arrival Time
48 min* Travel Lane Clearance Time
135 min* Total Incident Clearance Time

* These numbers are an average

LANE BLOCKAGE EVENTS & AVERAGE RESPONSE TIMES**

** The figures presented are based only on travel time blockage and events not detected by a Road Ranger.

I-95
Including GGI

724 Events
10:12 min Avg. Response Time

I-75

26 Events
7:36 min Avg. Response Time

SR 826

442 Events
9:54 min Avg. Response Time

I-195

53 Events
13:54 min Avg. Response Time

95 Express

320 Events
10:44 min Avg. Response Time

75 Express

0 Events
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Palmetto Express

95 Events
10:02 min Avg. Response Time

I-395

85 Events
10:23 min Avg. Response Time

For more information on FDOT District Six's Incident Management Program, please visit: www.sunguide.info

