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Pedestrian Safety Initiatives in the Takoma/Langley Crossroads

- I. Description of the Takoma/Langley Crossroads
 - a. Multi-jurisdictional Community (where three jurisdictions meeting)
 - b. Brief History of Crossroads
 - c. Community Demographics
 - d. Vehicular/pedestrian traffic in the Crossroads
 - e. 13 pedestrian fatalities in the roadway since 2003
 - f. Other pedestrian fatalities and accidents in shopping center parking lots

- II. What is the Maryland International Corridor CSAFE Program
 - a. Grant-funded multi-jurisdictional safety initiative (core is high-risk offender supervision, but also focuses on quality of life issues/concerns)
 - b. Coordinates crime prevention and reduction activities among three police departments: Takoma Park Police Dept, Montgomery County Police Dept and Montgomery County Police Dept.

- III. CSAFE and Police response to pedestrian safety concerns
 - a. Coordinated joint enforcement and educational activities
 - b. Role of Police – Enforcement and Community Policing
 - c. Role of Multi-lingual Community Volunteers – Translation, flier/brochure distribution
 - d. Role of the Media

