



Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission Policies

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WORK ZONES

Legislation enacted in 2006 (Senate Bill 872 – Sec. 304.580-304.585), imposed increased fines and assessments for repeated offenses in highway work zones. The legislation creates two additional categories of crime: endangerment of a highway worker and aggravated endangerment of a highway worker. In those cases where highway workers are injured or killed as a result of a work zone crash, a penalty of 12 points will be applied to the motorist's driver's license and the license will be suspended for one year. In addition a \$5,000 fine may be imposed if a worker is injured and a \$10,000 fine may be imposed if a worker is killed.