# **Spot Safety Project Evaluation**

# **Project Information**

Order ID: 41000028028

Project ID: 07-03-210

Location: SR 3300 (South Elm-Eugene Street) and SR 3325 (Ritters Lake Road)

County: Guilford

City: Greensboro

Division: 7

Signal ID: 07-0977

Countermeasure: Install left-turn lanes on SR 3300 and a right-turn lane on SR 3325.

(Implemented November 2008)

Install a traffic signal (Implemented April 2009)

Project Completion: May 8, 2009 Project Cost: \$265,500

**Map and Aerial** (from Google Maps - 35.992441,-79.793348)





## **Naive Before and After Analysis**

Before Period: January 1, 2004 through October 31, 2009 (4 years 10 months)

Const. Period: November 1, 2008 through March 31, 2009

After Period: April 1, 2009 through January 31, 2014 (4 years 10 months)

Analysis Criteria: Treatment data consisted of all crashes within 150 feet of the subject intersection

for the SR 3300 and SR 3325 approaches.

Target Crashes: Frontal Impact Crashes (left-turn, same roadway; left-turn, different roadway;

right-turn, same roadway; right-turn, different roadway; head-on; and angle

crashes)

Treatment Information	Before	After	Percent Reduction (-) Percent Increase (+)
Total Crashes	25	14	- 44.0 %
Total Severity Index	5.74	3.11	- 45.8 %
Target Crashes	21	6	- 71.4 %
Target Crash Severity Index	6.29	4.70	- 25.3 %
Volume (2006, 2011)	6,000	7,000	+ 16.7 %

Injury Crash Summary	Before	After	Percent Reduction (-) Percent Increase (+)
Fatal injury Crashes	0	0	N/A
Class A injury Crashes	0	0	N/A
Class B injury Crashes	7	1	- 85.7 %
Class C Injury Crashes	9	3	- 66.7 %
Property Damage Only	9	10	+ 11.1 %

Additional Information	Before	After	Percent Reduction (-) Percent Increase (+)
Frontal Impact Crashes (Target)	21	6	- 71.4 %
Angle Crashes	18	3	- 83.3 %
Left-turn, different roadway	1	0	- 100.0 %
Left-turn, same roadway	2	3	+ 50.0 %
Rear End Crashes	2	7	+ 250.0 %

# **Overall Summary Results**

Total Crashes: - 44 % (reduction)

Total Crash Severity: - 46 % (reduction)

Target Crashes: - 71 % (reduction)

Target Crash Severity: - 25 % (reduction)

Volume: + 17 % (increase)

#### **Additional Summary Results**

Frontal Impact Crashes (Target): -71 % (reduction)

Angle Crashes: - 83 % (reduction)

Left-turn, different roadway: - 100 % (reduction)

Left-turn, same roadway: + 50 % (increase)

Rear End Crashes: + 250 % (increase)

#### **Items for Discussion/Concerns**

The target crashes (frontal impact crashes) experienced a 71% reduction (21 to 6 crashes). Angle crashes experienced an 83% reduction (18 to 3). Rear end crashes experienced a 250% increase (2 to 7).

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