

Activity L15 Incident Response by Maintenance

Description

Activity L15 involves similar duties as Activity L14, but this work is performed by maintenance personnel on an occasional or as needed basis, rather than as dedicated duties.

General Information

Refer to discussion in the General Instructions section preceding Activity L10 in this section of the *Maintenance Guide* for additional information including environmental and traffic control recommendations and other important considerations.

Refer to Activity L14 for dedicated incident responders.

Refer to Activities 174 and 303 for normal road patrol activities.

Refer to Activity 149 for cleaning up and repairing crash or incident damage.

Refer to Activity 305 when there is a responsible party and the highway damage costs are \$100 or more or if there is no highway damage but traffic control costs are \$500 or more.

Maintenance employees are expected to respond to incidents as appropriate when traveling to or from workstations in a state vehicle.

If ODOT resources must move a vehicle(s) or materials to open the roadway to traffic, refer to the Highway Clearing Guidelines in the Emergency and Incident Response section of this Guide.

As needed, refer to instructions in the ODOT *First Responders Guide to Highway Incident Response* and in the *Emergency Response Guidebook*.

Also refer to discussion in the Emergency Operations and Incident Response section of this Guide.

Maintain contact with the Transportation Operations Center to request assistance, including that from emergency response agencies, and provide information on road and traffic conditions, crashes, and incidents.

Measurement of Accomplishment, Expenditure Account, Charge Activity

Measurement is number of worker hours involved. Expenditure account type is Highway EA; use a sub job appropriate for the crew performing the work.

- Charge all work to Activity L15.