

# 12th ASECAP Road Safety Conference

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# ASECAP

## European Association of Operators of Toll Road Infrastructures

- ❖ Gathering **22 countries**
- ❖ Representing **190 companies**



**50,452 Km**  
of motorways are  
Operating using tolling  
system



# ROAD SAFETY

## First priority of the ASECAP Members

A Motorway is an infrastructure designed and built according to the highest quality and technological standards, in order to guarantee 7/24/365 the best safety conditions, high levels of service and driving comfort in all weather conditions, for all users.



**€12 billion**

*Savings for governments  
every year, allocated to  
any other social  
priorities*



**€7 billion/year**

*concessionaire  
companies investment*



**50,000**

*ASECAP members  
direct employment*

# ASECAP Network. A Credible and Modern Road Network



# ROAD SAFETY

The key components of safety oriented Traffic Management Systems:

## Maintain Excellent Road Conditions



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The key components of safety oriented Traffic Management Systems:

## Provide Real Time Traffic Information



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The key components of safety oriented Traffic Management Systems:

## Accident Prevention by Taking Appropriate Measures & Actions



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The key components of safety oriented Traffic Management Systems:

## Rapid Accident Response



# Financial Contribution to Road Safety



**€5 billion/year**  
*in operation and  
road maintenance*



# TOLL INFRASTRUCTURE

## Highest Standards of Safety

**ASECAP Members fatality-rate**



**64%**

reduction of  
fatalities on the  
ASECAP  
Road Network  
2001-2017

**ASECAP Fatality Rate: 2.3 fatalities per billion kilometres driven on Motorways (2017)**

# *But... we still need to work towards EU Commission's Expectations*



One of the main causes identified so far by the road traffic safety experts is:

**"DISTRACTED DRIVING"**  
**...mainly due to the use of mobile devices**

# Distracted Driving

....Internet....**Texting**....Social Networks....Mailing.....



**A Survey conducted by FORD on 7,000 young people in Europe between 18 and 24 years old:**

- 35% watch social networks and the Internet while driving.
- 25% of them took a selfie.
- more than 50% have already taken at least one photo while driving (which, on average, represents 7 seconds in a row without looking at the road, that is to say around 500 meters on the Motorways)

# Distracted Driving



**A survey conducted by ASFA on 1,200 drivers indicated :**

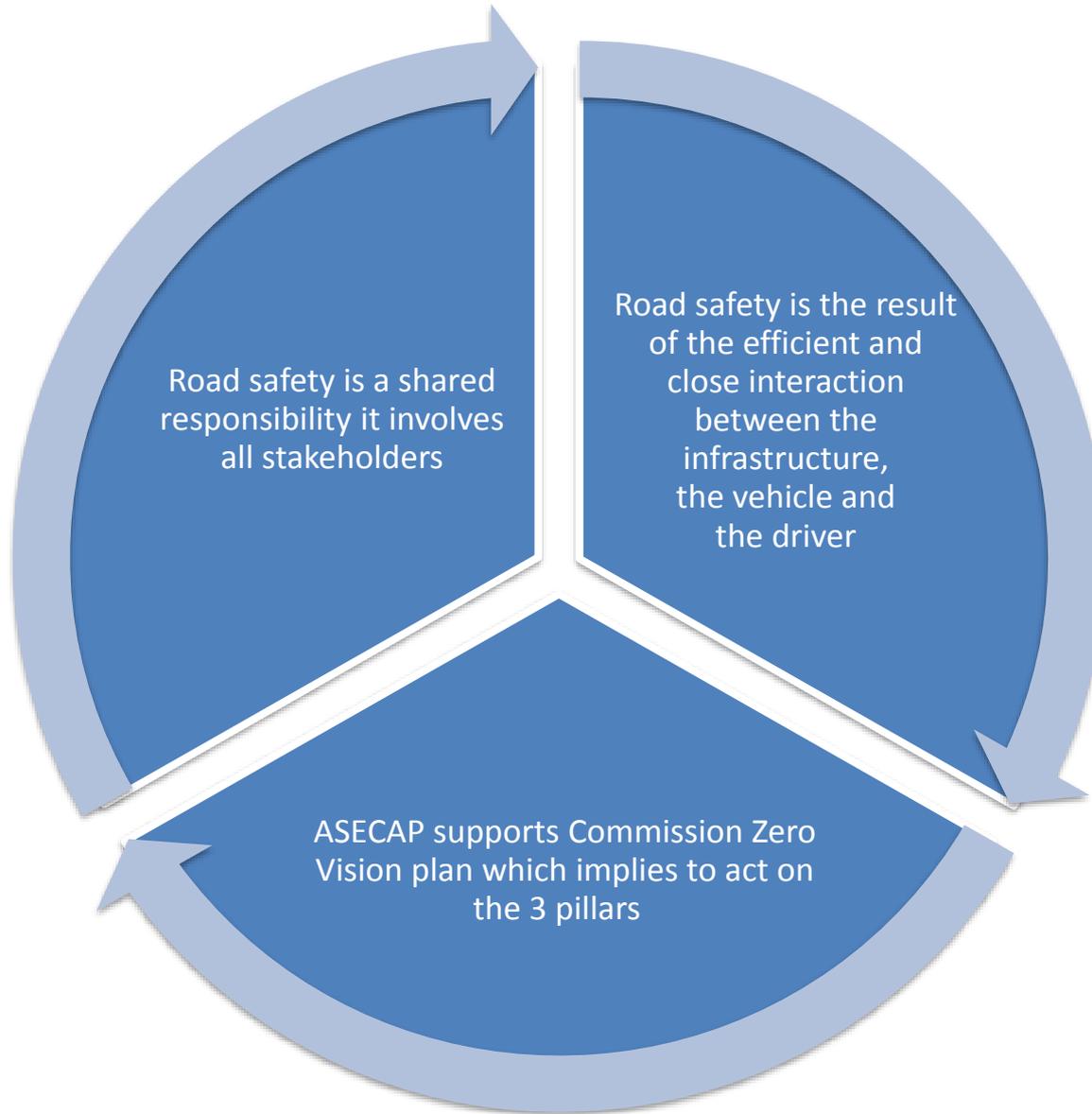
- **96%** drivers are receiving text or e-mail while driving
- **24%** are sending e-mails
- **71%** are using mobile phone while driving

*Dramatically increased cause of accidents in the last years*

**ASECAP Dedicates the  
12<sup>th</sup> Road Safety Conference to**

**Distracted Driving!**

# We shall all be involved in saving lives!



# ASECAP Strongly Supports EU Strategy on Safe Mobility

## ASECAP would like to take the opportunity :

- To congratulate the provisional agreement reached by the European Council and the European Parliament on the proposal to strengthen road infrastructure management to reduce road fatalities and serious injuries
- To highlight the adoption of new rules stepping up the deployment of Cooperative Intelligent Transport Systems (C-ITS) on European roads

**Contributing to EU's long-term goal of moving close to zero fatalities and serious injuries by 2050 ("Vision Zero")**

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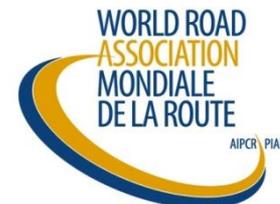
## A Shared Responsibility

ASECAP members are strongly committed to road safety and willing to share their knowledge, experience, best practices with other experts and the European Commission

- MoU will be signed today between ASECAP & IRF
- Tomorrow Joint workshop between ASECAP and PIARC experts.



International Road Federation  
Fédération Routière Internationale  
Federación Internacional de Carreteras



***THANK YOU!***



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