



## Update, 10-31-06

### TraCS Is Always Improving!

Both 103106 Violation Update and 103106 Patch are now available on our FTP site and are mandatory for workstations and field units. Please read installation instructions carefully.

### What's in the 103106 Violation Update?

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The 103106 Violation Update will update the statute table associated with the ELCI form to bring it current with recent law changes. To Install, download ViolationUpdate103106.exe from Software\Violation directory on our FTP server.

You have a choice between completely replacing this statute table, or doing a "soft update" and only incorporating the changes. If you choose to entirely replace your statute table, you will have to re-enter any local fees you may have for all the statutes in the table. Your previous local fee information will be lost. If you choose the "soft update", you will only have to add appropriate local fees to the new additions to the table. See Appendix A for a list of statutes included in this update.

#### Table Manager Utility

The Table Manager Utility is an add-on utility for TraCS to allow you to easily update code tables in the Support database. Use it to work with violations and ordinances, streets and intersections, towing companies, and insurance and property owner aliases. When you are done with your edits, you can create distribution files for field distribution at a touch of a button.

The Table Manager Utility replaces the tasks you learned about in labs 3 and 4 of the Badger TraCS Technical Workbook.

The 103106 Violation Update will install the TraCS Table Manager Utility if it has not been installed previously.

## What's in the 103106 Patch?

A Municipal Violation validation rule was changed for the Statute field to fix the problem where an officer enters a Statute with a severity and then has it replaced with a lesser severity upon hitting the Validation button. Also, the two empty boxes that appear at the bottom of the Municipal form were removed. To Install, download TraCSPatch103106.exe from Software\Patches directory on our FTP server.

The patch also includes court address changes and TAS numbers for certain agencies.

## Grants

The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) is pleased to announce that additional funds are available for the implementation or expanded use of TraCS. Funding may be used for hardware, software, programming, or other costs associated with TraCS. Contact information: Erin Egan (608) 266-1449, [erin.egan@dot.state.wi.us](mailto:erin.egan@dot.state.wi.us)

## Did You Know?

Floppies aren't the only media used to transmit ELCIs to circuit courts. Agencies are now using CDs, flash drives or email. Contact [BadgerTraCS@dot.state.wi.us](mailto:BadgerTraCS@dot.state.wi.us) for details.

Printers and laptops do have to be sent in for maintenance. This takes a unit out of service and officers do not like going back to the "old fashioned" way of issuing tickets and writing crash reports. Plan on purchasing a backup laptop and printer for your fleet.