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Introduction

Over the past 2 years, the Turner-Fairbank Highway Research Center (TFHRC) researchers conducted 170 research projects in support of the Agency's goals. Sixty-six of those projects were completed during the Fiscal Year (FY) 2004/2005 Plan timeframe. As a result, 50 ready-to-use products are now available to our customers. A total of 26 projects were completed in support of the Safety goal, and 40 projects were completed in support of the Mobility and Productivity goal. A number of these projects also support Agency objectives in the Environment and National Homeland Security goal areas.

Current and Future Project Distribution (End of FY 2005)



Eighty-nine projects from the FY 2004/2005 Plan are multiyear projects and will continue in FY 2006 or beyond. Further details on projects that were conducted and completed during the FY 2004/2005 period or that are ongoing for FY 2006 or beyond are available in the <u>Research Development and Technology</u> (RD&T) FY 2005 Research Project Status Tables.



FY 2004-2005 Projects Completed and Products Available by Goal *

Note: Seven research projects supporting the Safety or Mobility and Productivity goals also support the Environment and Security goal areas.

Funding challenges were an ongoing issue in FY 2005. RD&T worked through a number of changes to project schedules and delays. Many changes and delays were due to funding uncertainties caused by the numerous short-term extensions to FHWA's authorization prior to the passage of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU). Fifteen projects cited funding as a cause for delay or halting of research.

Comparative Project Status



RD&T Performance Measures Summary

The following chart depicts performance measures that are updated annually as a component of the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) Program Assessment Rating Tool (PART) for Federal R&D programs.

Measure	Target (2004)	Actual (2004)	Target (2005)	Actual (2005)
Number of deliverable research products, innovations, and technologies that support the accomplishment of USDOT and FHWA safety goals.	5	5	5	7
Number of deliverable research products, innovations, and technologies that support the accomplishment of USDOT and FHWA mobility goals in the area of infrastructure improvements.	5	10	5	7
Number of deliverable research products, innovations, and technologies that support the accomplishment of USDOT and FHWA mobility goals in the area of congestion mitigation.	3	7	3	12
Number of deliverable research products, innovations, and technologies that support the accomplishment of USDOT and FHWA environmental goals.	2	2	2	2
Number of deliverable research products, innovations, and technologies that support the accomplishment of USDOT and FHWA security goals.	2	2	2	1
The annual percentage of research projects reported on schedule. (<u>note1</u> .)	90%	71%	90%	62%
The annual percentage of all research projects that are completed within budget.	90%	99%	90%	100%
The percentage of customer satisfaction for deploying technology and innovation as measured by the <i>FHWA Satisfaction Survey-State/Other Local Partners National Report.</i>	70%	71%	80%	(See Note 2.)

Note 1: Delays were largely due to funding uncertainties caused by numerous short-term extensions to FHWA's authorization prior to the passage of SAFETEA-LU.

Note 2: FHWA's comprehensive annual State DOT partner satisfaction and MPO partner satisfaction survey has been discontinued. As a replacement, FHWA RD&T currently is developing a customer survey focused on FHWA research and technology.

The charts on the following pages detail RD&T Infrastructure, Operations, and Safety research, and identify the goals supported by the research. The charts also indicate which projects were completed during the FY 2004/2005 Plan period and which are ongoing for 2006 and beyond. The comment column provides more information about each project and, when necessary, an explanation of changes or deviations from the plan or schedule.

A complete list of acronyms can be found at the <u>acr</u> to assist in the interpretation of the acronyms used in the tables.

Infrastructure R&D Status

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Cost and Perform ance Benefits of Concret e Paveme nt Design Feature s*	Peter Kopa c HRDI -11 202- 493- 3151	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	Software is available for quickly assessing relative costs and benefits of incorporating the various design features.
Strategi c Analysis of Paveme nt Evaluati ons for Rehabilit ation (SAPER) Softwar e Tool	Jame s Sher wood HRDI -12 202- 493- 3150	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	The software product is currently being evaluated by FHWA prior to distribution.
Guidanc e for Constru cting Smooth, Long- Lasting Concret e Paveme nts*	Peter Kopa c HRDI -11 202- 493- 3151	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The guidance is available as a final report and TechBrief.



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Long Term Paveme nt Perform ance (LTPP) Binder (LTPPBi nd) Version 3.0	Aram is Lópe z HRDI -13 202- 493- 3145	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Feb 05	No	The beta version is available. The final version is pending and is awaiting the availability of funds for 508 compliance.				
LTPP Traffic Projectio n Softwar e	Aram is Lópe z HRDI -13 202- 493- 3145	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				No	Sep 05	No	This project currently is on hold, as recommended by the Traffic Expert Task Group, until final results of NCHRP 1-39 are available.				
Evaluati on of NCHRP 1-37A Mechani stic- Empirica I Design Models	Kath erine Petro s HRDI -12 202- 493- 3154	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				No	Dec 05	No	The model evaluation has started but a lack of resources has slowed the process.				
Guidanc e for the Use of Fiber Reinforc ed Polymer (FRP) in Concret e Paveme nts	Peter Kopa c HRDI -11 202- 493- 3151	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Oct 06	No	Guidance on the design of FRP CRCP is available in the final report. The field trial is scheduled for spring 2006.				

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Impact of Dynamic Modulus on Model Predictio n	Tom Harm an HRDI -11 202- 493- 3072	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		x			No	Dec 06	No	Equipment challenges have delayed the timely completion of this project.				
Cost and Perform ance Benefits of Concret e Paveme nt Design Feature s*	Peter Kopa c HRDI -11 202- 49- 3151	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	Software is available for quickly assessing relative costs and benefits of incorporating the various design features.				
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Lithium Technol ogy for Mitigatio n of Alkali- Silica Reactivit y (ASR)	Fred Farid azar HRDI -11 202- 493- 3076	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		x			Yes	Sep 07	Yes	The lithium guidelines annual report is currently available.		
Mixture- Specific Procedu re for Estimati ng ASR Potential	Rich ard Meini nger HRDI -11 202- 493- 3191	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	The report is being prepared.		
Charact erization of Modified Asphalts	Jack Yout cheff HRDI -11 202- 493- 3090	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		No	Mar 06	No	Equipment challenges have delayed completion of this project. The new estimated completion date is March 2006.		
Moisture Sensitivi ty of Asphalt Binders*	Jack Yout cheff HRDI -11	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		X			Yes	Dec 06	No	Work is underway to explore the applicability of the pneumatic adhesion tester to evaluate the effect of water on the adhesive and cohesive strength of asphalt binders. The short-term goal is to develop a protocol for evaluating the		



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	202- 493-		5	0	5	0				moisture susceptibility of asphalt binders. Once this is complete, the remaining effort will be
Determi nation of Lime in Hot Mix Asphalt*	3090 Jack Yout cheff HRDI -11 202- 493- 3090	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	directed at evaluating asphalt mastics. The report is being prepared.
Guidanc e on Compati bility of Mixture Compon ents	Peter Kopa c HRDI -11 202- 493- 3151	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	A three-volume final report is under review.
FHWA Dynamic Angle Validatio n Kit (DAVK)	Tom Harm an HRDI -11 202- 493- 3072	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		x			Yes	Jul 05	Yes	The original project to develop the DAVK is complete. This extension will incorporate mixless technology.
Comput er- Based Guidelin es for Concret e Paveme nts	Fred Farid azar HRDI -11 202- 493- 3076	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		No	Jan 06	No	The contract was modified to include a pocket PC-based system of guidelines on curing concrete. The development of HIPERPAV™ II software is complete. The Volume III report has been submitted for publication.
Season al Monitori ng Program *	Aram is Lópe z HRDI -13	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	No	Compl eted	Yes	The release was delayed due to 508 conversions. A set of three CDs (Version 1.2) is now available.



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LTPP Distress Identific ation Manual	Aram is Lópe z HRDI -13 202- 493- 3145	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The manual (FHWA-RD-03-031) was printed in December 2003. To date, more than 2,000 copies have been distributed.			
Fatigue Model	Kath erine Petro s HRDI -12 202- 493- 3154	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		No	Sep 04	No	This project involves the development of a viscoelastoplastic fatigue model for modified asphalt concrete (AC) binders using the results from accelerated loading facility (ALF) testing.			
Weigh in Motion (WIM) Paveme nt Smooth ness Specific ations	Aram is Lópe z HRDI -13 202- 493- 3145	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		No	Jan 05	No	Version 1.0 has been delayed.			
Anytime Weather Softwar e	Aram is Lópe z HRDI -13 202- 493- 3145	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				Yes	Feb 05	No	The alpha version is complete. The final version is pending and awaiting availability of 508 compliance funds.			
DataPav e Online	Aram is	Mobilit y and				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The product is available at http://www.datapave.com .			

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Compila tion and Evaluati on of Results from High- Perform ance Concret e (HPC) Bridge Projects	Jose ph Hart man n HRDI -06 202- 493- 3059	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	The study is complete and most results have been implemented. The report is in the publication process.			
Ultra- High Perform ance Concret e*	Jose ph Hart man n HRDI -06 202- 493- 3059	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		x			Yes	Oct 08	No	Several reports on material characterization and structural behavior are in the publication process. Optimized girder testing also is in progress.			
Curved Girder Bridge Strength Predictio n Equatio n	Willia m Wrig ht HRDI -06 202- 493- 3053	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	AASHTO SCOB T-14 balloted and accepted changes to the AASHTO bridge design code in June 2004.			
New FRP	Eric Munl	Mobilit y and				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The AASHTO materials specification is complete, and the FRP deck testing specification			



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Specific ations	ey HRDI -06 202- 493- 3046	Produ ctivity								is near completion. The FRP repair specification is in the early stages of development. The work now is focusing on building consensus.		
Standar d Tests Using a GeoGau ge	Mike Ada ms HRDI -06 202- 493- 3025	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The GeoGauge testing device has been validated and is commercially available to State highway administrations.		
Corrugat ed Web Plates for Steel Girders	Willia m Wrig ht HRDI -06 202- 493- 3053	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	No	The physical testing is complete, and report production is underway.		
Improve d Fracture Toughn ess Specific ations for High Perform ance Steel (HPS)	Willia m Wrig ht HRDI -06 202- 493- 3053	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		x			No	Jun 05	No	The physical testing is complete. Development of design criteria will be accomplished in cooperation with AASHTO SCOB T-14.		
Design Guidanc e for Compos ite Timber Bridges	Sheil a Duw adi HRDI -07 202-	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Dec 05	No	This study will produce design and material specifications for FRP-reinforced timber bridges for adoption by AASHTO.		

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Improve d Seismic Design Provisio ns for AASHT O Bridge Specific ations	Philip Yen HRDI -07 202- 493- 3056	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	No	Compl eted	No	This was a study on improving the current seismic design provisions for bridges. A new seismic design provision was proposed to and is being adopted by AASHTO.
Revising Propose d New Seismic Design Provisio ns for AASHT O Bridge Specific ations*	Philli p Yen HRDI - 0702 -493- 3056	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Jun 06	No	The purpose of this project is to revise the new, proposed seismic design guidelines (NCHRP 12- 49) based on the suggestions of the AASHTO SCOB. This project will change the design criteria and simplify the design procedures of the proposed provisions to be adopted by AASHTO.
Seismic Retrofit Manual	Philli p Yen HRDI -07 202- 493- 3051	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	This project involved a study of the seismic vulnerability of bridges and other structural highway components. The report is complete and is under final editorial review for publication.
Wind- Induced Vibratio n of Stay Cables	Harol d Bosc h HRDI -07 202-	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	No	Compl eted	No	This project studied the wind/rain effects on bridge stay cables for development of a design guide. The technical review and first editorial review are both complete. Comments are now being reviewed. The design guide will be published in 2006.



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Impleme ntation of New Small- Scale Wind Tunnel	Harol d Bosc h HRDI -07 202- 493- 3031	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				Yes	Sep 06	No	In this project, researchers will evaluate and enhance flow conditions in the new wind tunnel. They also will develop test apparatus and procedures to facilitate the use of the tunnel. Work is just beginning.		
Support for SPR- 3(078)- Wind- Induced Vibratio n of Cable- Stayed Bridges	Harol d Bosc h HRDI -07 202- 493- 3031	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				Yes	Oct 06	Yes	Work has started on the development of a guideline for mitigating the wind-induced vibration of stay cables. Two databases have been refined and are now available. Wind instrumentation for the Bill Emerson Memorial Bridge has been designed and procured. Analysis and parametric studies have been performed on a number of stay cable networks.		
Abutme nt Scour (ABSCO UR) Field Data (not included in FY 2004/20 05 Perform ance Plan)	Sterli ng Jone s HRDI -07 202- 493- 3043	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		No	Oct 04	No	The database has been upgraded for testing prediction methods. The ABSCOUR program used by the Maryland State Highway Administration is being evaluated and revised based on this data. The study is approximately 3 months behind schedule due to complications involving ABSCOUR discrepancies.		
Effects of Inlet Geometr y on Culvert Perform ance*	Sterli ng Jone s HRDI -07 202-	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		No	Oct 04	No	This study is approximately 6 months behind schedule due to difficulties in getting a contract underway to fabricate models.		

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Example s for Design of Seismic Isolation Bearing s	Hami d Ghas emi HRDI -07 202- 493- 3042	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The draft final report is available.			
A Risk- Based Methodo logy for Assessi ng the Seismic Perform ance of Lifeline Systems Report	Philli p Yen HRDI -07 202- 493- 3056	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Dec 05	No	This project involves developing computer software to help State DOTs assess the seismic risk to bridges. The project research is nearly complete and is now being validated.			
Design Procedu re for Bottoml ess Culverts	Sterli ng Jone s HRDI -07 202- 493- 3043	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity, Enviro nment			x		No	Dec 04	No	This study was interrupted to conduct additional scour tests on the Woodrow Wilson Bridge. Results will be presented at the 2006 National Hydraulics Engineering Conference.			
Tacoma Narrows Technol ogy Demons tration and Researc h Project	Hami d Ghas emi HRDI -07 202- 493- 3042	Safety , Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Dec 06	No	Several studies under this project are on schedule. One study concerning health monitoring is behind schedule.			



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Seismic Retrofitti ng Manuals : Part III: Truss Bridges with Long Spans	Philli p Yen HRDI -07 202- 493- 3056	, Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Dec 05	No	This is a study of the seismic vulnerability of long truss and other special bridges for design and retrofitting. The manual is 90 percent complete and will be reviewed by the Highway Seismic Research Council.			
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Measure ment of the Benefits of Infrastru cture R&D	Sheil a Duw adi HRDI -07 202- 493- 3106	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	This project produced a methodology to measure the benefits of research. The final report and a CD containing the methodology were delivered to FHWA. As it is an in-house report, it has not been published.			
Guidelin es for the Ultrason ic Inspecti on of Hanger Pins	Hami d Ghas emi HRDI -07 202- 493- 3042	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The report is complete and has been published.			
Guidelin es for the Use of High- Energy Radiogr aphy for Structur es	Hami d Ghas emi HRDI -07 202- 493- 3042	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	This study investigated the use of nuclear methods for evaluating bridges and bridge materials.			
Covered Bridge Manual*	John O'Fal Ion HRDI	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	This manual is a guide to rehabilitating, restoring, preserving, and reconstructing historic covered bridges.			



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Fatigue Retrofit Manual	Willia m Wrig ht HRDI -06 202- 493- 3053	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The manual is complete.		
Corrosio n Perform ance of Epoxy- Coated Rebar in Concret e (10- Year Laborat ory Study)	Paul Virm ani HRDI -10 202- 493- 3052	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	This report is printed and available online at <u>https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/publications/researc</u> <u>h/infrastructure/structures/04090/index.cfm</u> <u>structur/pubs/04090</u> <u>/index.htm.</u>		
Ultrason ic Methods for Health Monitori ng of Prestres sing Tendons	Hami d Ghas emi HRDI -07 202- 493- 3042	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	No	This study investigated the use of ultrasonic methods for examining bonded strands for corrosion or breakage.		
Bridge and Tunnel Surveilla nce: A State-of-	Sheil a Duw adi HRDI -07 202-	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity, Securi ty			X		Yes	Jan 05	No	This project developed a protocol for assessing security and surveillance systems.		

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Guidelin es for Corrosio n Control Design of Bridges	Willia m Wrig ht HRDI -06 202- 493- 3053	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				Yes	Apr 05	No	This effort will coordinate closely with AASHTO SCOB T-9 to develop best practice guidance using FHWA (and other) research results as a baseline. The effort started in FY 2004.			
Life Cycle Cost Analysis (LCCA) for Bridges	Joey Hart man n HRDI -10 202- 493- 3059	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	No	An article on this project appeared in the December 2005 issue of <i>Public</i> <i>Roads</i> Magazine.			
Best Practice s Manual for Quality Bridge Coating s	Willia m Wrig ht HRDI -06 202- 493- 3053	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Sep 05	No	This effort will produce a training course and national level inspector certification program. Program to be available in January 2005.			
Thermal Imaging System for Crack Detectio n*	Fran k Jalin oos HRDI -10 202- 493- 3082	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity			x		Yes	Sep 06	No	This project will develop a method for detecting cracks and preventing the failure of steel structures. Test setup is complete, and laboratory testing is in progress			
Corrosio n- Resistan t Alloys	Paul Virm ani HRDI	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity		x			Yes	Aug 06	No	This study will identify cost-effective clad or alloyed reinforcement for concrete bridge members to provide 75 years of service life.			



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HERME S II Ground Penetrat ing Radar System*	Fran k Jalin oos HRDI -10 202- 493- 3082	Mobilit y and Produ ctivity	x				Yes	Oct 08	No	This project will help develop tools to rapidly survey concrete decks for deficiencies. A prototype system currently is undergoing expanded testing under a new workplan in cooperation with State partners.																												

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Infrastructur e Consortium (IC) Prototype I Intersection Collision Avoidance (ICA) Projects*	Gene McHal e HRD O-04 202- 493- 3275	Safety			x		No	Apr 05	No	These projects were mostly completed by September 2005. However, the completion date for all of the projects was extended due to the significant Cooperative Intersection Collision Avoidance Systems (CICAS) support required by the IC. The final reports are expected in the near future.				
CICAS IC*	Gene McHal e HRD O-04 202- 493- 3275	Safety	x				Yes	Aug 2010	No	Partnering with automobile manufacturers, the IC will design, develop, and test prototype CICAS technologies in support of the USDOT's CICAS Initiative. Following testing of prototype systems, the IC will support field operational testing of the CICAS technologies.				
Human Factors Assessment of Infrastructur e-Based ICA Devices- Phase II	Greg Davis HRDS -07 202- 493- 3367	Safety				×	Yes	Compl eted	No	Research for this study was conducted on a closed test course. The goal was to gather deceleration profiles and reaction time data for drivers responding to warnings given close to and far from an intersection. A paper on this project was accepted by TRB.				
Enhanced Digital Mapping	Toni Wilbur HRD O-01 202- 493- 3269	Safety				x	No	Compl eted	Yes	The final report is complete and available at <u>http://nhtsa-</u> <u>nrdweb.nhtsa.dot.gov/</u> <u>pdf/nrd-12/CAMP/</u> <u>EDMap%20Final%20Report/</u> <u>Main%20Report/</u> <u>FinalRept_111904.pdf.</u> (Download Acrobat Reader)				
Work Zone ITS for	Peter Huan	Safety				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	For Phase I of this project, researchers developed the				



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Crash Avoidance- Phase I*	g HRD O-04 202- 493- 3484									operational concept for work zone crash avoidance and tested the concept using a driving simulator. They also developed hardware requirements and tested several types of sensor applications in the field. The final report was completed in March 2005.				
Work Zone ITS for Crash Avoidance- Phase II*	Peter Huan g HRD O-04 202- 493- 3484	Safety		x			Yes	Apr 06	No	In this phase, a prototype system will be developed, tested, and demonstrated. A public demonstration will be held at the ChryslerTM proving ground in the first quarter of 2006.				
Transportati on Manageme nt Center (TMC) National Pooled Fund Study Results	Raj Gham an HRD 0-03 202- 493- 3270 Thom as Grand a HRDS -07 202- 493- 3365	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity	NA	NA	NA	NA	Yes	Ongoin g	Yes	This is a study of the operational and human centered issues common among agencies that manage and operate TMCs. States contribute to this pooled fund project on a yearly basis and select projects on an ongoing basis depending on the availability of funds.				
Traffic Control Device Consortium Pooled Fund Study	Joe Moyer HRDS -07 202- 493- 3370	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity	N A	NA	NA	NA	Yes	Ongoin g	Yes	A consortium of State, regional, and local entities, FHWA, and other partners are evaluating innovative traffic control devices. The results will be included in the <i>Manual on</i> <i>Uniform Traffic Control</i> <i>Devices</i> (MUTCD). This study				



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Real-Time Linux [®] Oper ating System for Advanced Traffic Controllers *	David Gibso n HRD O-04 202- 493- 3271	Mobility and Product ivity		x			Yes	Sep 06	No	The purpose of this project is to connect the Linux real-time operating system to advanced transportation controllers. This will provide the support necessary for faster detector polling and information processing, which is required for CICAS and vehicle infrastructure integration (VII) research. Phase I is complete. Phase II should be complete by September 2006.				
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Adaptive Control System (ACS) "Lite"-Field Tests	Raj Gham an HRD O-03 202- 493- 3270	Mobility and Product ivity		x			No	Jan 06	No	Econolite [™] controller testing was completed in Gahanna, OH. The remaining field tests with Eagle controllers are planned for Houston, TX. The test with Peek SM controllers is planned for St. Petersburg/Tampa FL, and the field test of McCain controllers is planned for San Diego, CA. The estimated completion date is January 2006.				
Surface Transportati on Security and Reliability Information System Model Deployment (iFlorida)	Toni Wilbur HRD O-01 202- 493- 3269	Safety, Securit y, Mobility and Product ivity		x			No	Jun 08	No	This project will demonstrate and evaluate how security, reliability, and safety can be enhanced through the widespread availability of real- time information. The deployment phase is nearing completion.				
Coordinated Freeway and	Jame s Colyar	Mobility and			x		No	Dec 04	No	The final report is under development.				

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Arterials Plans and Procedures Handbook	HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Product ivity												
Ramp Metering 2000 Software Expanded Simulation Testing*	Debor ah Curtis HRD O-03 202- 493- 3267	Mobility and Product ivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	FHWA determined that the developer owns the software rights. Distribution is at the discretion of the developer.				
Ramp Manageme nt Handbook*	Jame s Colyar HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Mobility and Product ivity			x		No	Jun 05	No	This is a followup document to the <i>Freeway Management and</i> <i>Operations Handbook</i> (FHWA- OP-04-003). The draft handbook is finished, and the final handbook now is under development.				
Integrated Corridor Manageme nt (ICM) Initiative- Phase I: Foundation al Research*	Dale Thom pson HRD O-03 202- 493- 3420	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity				×	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	The foundational research to initiate the ICM program is complete. ICM stakeholder involvement will continue through Phase II (ICM Research and Systems Development). During Phase II, researchers will address integration issues, initiate research projects, develop ICM analysis tools, and establish demonstration sites. More information is available at: http://www.itsa.org/icm.html.				
Integration of DynaMIT, CLAIRE, and the Advanced Incident Detection Algorithm	Henry Lieu HRD O-03 202- 493- 3273	Mobility and Product ivity			x		No	Apr 06	No	The goal of this project is to integrate DynaMIT, CLAIRE, and AIDA to facilitate real-time traffic management on arterials in Los Angeles, CA. The data collection process has proven more time consuming than anticipated so the target				

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(AIDA) for Real-Time Traffic Manageme nt on Arterials: Field Test in Los Angeles, CA*										completion date has been reevaluated. The new estimated completion date is April 2006.				
Integration of DYNASMA RT-X, CLAIRE, and RHODES® f or Real- Time Traffic Manageme nt: Field Test in Houston, TX *	Henry Lieu HRD O-03 202- 493- 3273	Mobility and Product ivity	x				No	Dec 07	No	The goal of this project is to integrate DYNASMART-X, CLAIRE, and RHODES into TranStar SM in Houston, TX. This will allow for real-time traffic management to alleviate traffic congestion, particularly congestion caused by freeway reconstruction and flooding. The project was delayed by 1 year due to contracting issues that have now been resolved. The project started in early 2005 and is projected to be completed in December 2007.				
Winter Weather Maintenanc e Decision Support System (MDSS) Deployment Assistance*	Rand all VanG order HRD O-03 202- 493- 3266 Rudy Persa ud HRD O-04 202- 493- 3391	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment			x		Yes	Sep 06	Yes	This project will provide deployment assistance to ensure that the MDSS technology is transferred successfully to the private sector. The project also will complete all programming, documentation, and evaluations from the second year of the MDSS demonstration.				

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Winter Weather MDSS Pooled Fund Study	Rudy Persa ud HRD O-04 202- 493- 3391	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment			x		Yes	Jun 06	No	This project is a pooled fund study involving seven States. The project goal is to develop an MDSS to help maintenance crews better plan and respond to winter weather and road conditions.				
Clear Roads Pooled Fund Study*	Rudy Persa ud HRD O-04 202- 493- 3391	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment		x			Yes	Dec 07	No	Clear Roads is a new pooled fund research project aimed at rigorous testing of winter maintenance materials, equipment, and methods for use by highway maintenance crews.				
Empirical Studies of Traffic Flow in Inclement Weather*	Jame s Colyar HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity		×			Yes	Dec 06	No	This project involves collecting traffic and weather data from Baltimore, MD; Minneapolis, MN; Phoenix, AZ; and Seattle, WA. After the data are collected, the relationship between adverse weather and traffic operations will be researched.				
Traffic Detector Handbook	David Gibso n HRD O-04 202- 493- 3271	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity				x	No	Compl eted	No	The update to the handbook is complete, and a peer review currently is underway. The estimated publication date is March 2006.				
Traffic Detector Video*	David Gibso n HRD O-04 202- 493- 3271	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity	x				No	Sep 06	No	The video script has been approved, but the project is being delayed while the contractor searches for an appropriate installation to film the video. The estimated completion date is September 2006.				

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Pedestrian Stereo Imaging Sensor*	David Gibso n HRD O-04 202- 493- 3271	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity	x				Yes	Sep 07	No	This project will investigate the uses of stereo imaging to detect and trace pedestrians near intersections. Phase 1 was completed in September 2005. A second phase has been recommended, with an estimated completion date of September 2007.
Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) for Aerial Surveillance	David Gibso n HRD O-04 202- 493- 3271	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity					No	NA	No	This project was terminated due to contactor fiscal problems.
		Tra	affic	An	alys	is T	ools/Sin	nulation a	nd Mod	eling
Emergency Vehicle Network Delay Study	Gene McHal e HRD O-04 202- 493- 3275	Mobility and Product ivity				x	No	Compl eted	Yes	This project was delayed due to other priorities related to TSIS/CORSIM software. The expected completion date was December 2004. The project now has ended, and a final report is available.
CORSIM Application Guidelines	Jame s Colyar HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Mobility and Product ivity			x		No	Sep 05	No	The start of the project was delayed, but the draft report is now complete. A final report is being written. The new target completion date is January 2006.
Federal Facility Evacuation Study	Jame s Colyar HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	Project completed.

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Next Generation Simulation Modeling (NGSIM)	Jame s Colyar HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Mobility and Product ivity		x			Yes	Dec 07	Yes	 The following tasks or products are complete and available at http://ops.fhwa.dot.gov/traffican alysistools/ngsim.htm/: Algorithm assessment and algorithm prioritization reports. High-level project development plans. Prototype and full vehicle trajectory dataset on I-80 in Emeryville, CA. Open-source version of MITSIMLab, a simulation package used for algorithm validation. Freeway lane selection algorithm. The following tasks and products are under development: Freeway dataset on Highway 101 in the Los Angeles, CA, area (January 2006). Arterial dataset of the Los Angeles, CA, area (February 2006). Commercial validation of freeway lane selection algorithm (December 2005). Cooperative freeway merge algorithm (July 2006). Arterial lane selection algorithm (August 2006).

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										see <u>http://ops.fhwa.dot.gov/</u> trafficanalysistools/ngsim.htm.				
Traffic Analysis Tools Case Studies and Best Practices	Jame s Colyar HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Mobility and Product ivity				x	No	Compl eted	Yes	Project completed.				
Strategic Work Zone Analysis Tools (SWAT)	Debor ah Curtis HRD O-03 202- 493- 3267	Mobility and Product ivity				x	No	Compl eted	No	Work is underway on the final draft report.				
QuickZone Work Zone Delay Estimation Tool	Debor ah Curtis HRD O-03 202- 493- 3267	Mobility and Product ivity				x	No	Compl eted	Yes	The software is available from the Mc <i>Trans</i> Center.				
QuickZone Partnership Program	Debor ah Curtis HRD O-03 202- 493- 3267	Mobility and Product ivity				x	Yes	Compl eted	No	No further funding and no additional States are being added. FHWA, however, is maintaining a working relationship with the current seven partner States.				
Exclusive Truck Lane Simulation	Jame s Colyar	Safety, Mobility and				х	Yes	Compl eted	Yes	Study completed.				



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Safety Study*	HRD O-03 202- 493- 3282	Product ivity								
DynaMIT-P- Field Test in Hampton Roads, VA*	Henry Lieu HRD O-03 202- 493- 3273	Mobility and Product ivity			x		No	Apr 06	No	The Phase 1 offline evaluation work was completed in July 2004. The Phase 2 online evaluation work started in September 2004. The estimated target completion date is April 2006.
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Global Positioning System (GPS) Surface Observation System Installation for Integrated Precipitable Water Vapor (IPWV)	Jame s Arnold HRD O-04 202- 493- 3265 Rudy Persa ud HRD O-04 202- 493- 3391	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment, Securit y		x			No	Dec 07	No	The installation of GPS Surface Observation System (GSOS) meteorological sensors at NDGPS sites provides useful weather observations and the information needed to calculate atmospheric water vapor. Funding was not available to meet the December 2005 target date. The new estimated completion date is December 2007.
NDGPS Reference Station Modernizati on	Jame s Arnold HRD O-04 202- 493- 3265	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment, Securit y		x			No	Dec 08	No	This project involves research to define existing GPS capability. The December 2008 target completion date is based on anticipated funding.
High- Accuracy NDGPS	Jame s Arnold	Safety, Mobility and		x			Yes	Dec 07	No	This is a research program to evaluate the potential for achieving very high-accuracy



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	HRD O-04 202- 493- 3265	Product ivity, Environ ment, Securit y								navigation solutions using existing infrastructure.				
Precipitable Water Vapor for Weather Forecasting	Jame s Arnold HRD O-04 202- 493- 3265	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment, Securit y		x			Yes	Dec 07	No	This is a research program to develop and evaluate a precipitable water vapor algorithm, which will help improve weather forecasting.				
Dedicated Short- Range Communica tions/ Wireless Access for Vehicular Environmen ts*	Jame s Arnold HRD O-04 202- 493- 3265	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment, Securit y			x		Yes	Dec 08	No	This project involves the development of telecommunications technology. Researchers will obtain a spectrum allocation from the Federal Communications Commission; develop licensing rules, standards and, prototypes; and perform an initial deployment of the technology.				
Telecommu nications Interference Model for Predicting Ionospheric Changes*	Jame s Arnold HRD O-04 202- 493- 3265	Safety, Mobility and Product ivity, Environ ment, Securit y	x				Yes	Dec 08	No	This is a research program to develop and evaluate an ionospheric model for predicting interference levels with telecommunication systems.				
Identify Mobility Applications for VII	Bob Ferlis HRD O-02 202- 493- 3268	Mobility and Product ivity			x		Yes	Jan 06	No	This project will identify promising mobility applications that will be enabled by the anticipated VII infrastructure. Candidate applications will include innovations of current services and technologies, such				

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										as adaptive cruise control, and new concepts that use vehicle control technologies to achieve significant mobility improvements.

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Requireme nts for High- Conspicuit y Traffic Signs	Carl Ander sen HRDS -05 202- 493- 3366	Safety	x				No	Mar 04	No	The study plan is complete, but the human factors studies are delayed until FY 2005 due to a lack of funding.
Guidelines for Maintainin g Night Visibility of Traffic Signs	Ken Opiela HRDS -05 202- 493- 3371	Safety			x		No	Sep 07	No	Research is in progress, and draft versions of parts of the final report have been reviewed.
Driver Recognitio n of Traffic Control Color Coding	Carl Ander sen HRDS -05 202- 493- 3366	Safety	x				No	Sep 06	No	No work has been done to date due to a lack of funding. This project was intended to follow work on high- conspicuity signs.
The Effects of Innovative Application s of Pavement Markings and RRPMs on Driver Performan ce	Ken Opiela HRDS -05 202- 493- 3371	Safety			x		Yes	Mar 06	No	Field data has been gathered to allow work to begin using a highway driving simulator. Subject testing started in March 2005.
Visibility Requireme nts for Novel Pavement Marking	Ken Opiela HRDS -05 202-	Safety	x				No	Sep 08	No	This effort would follow completion of the above project.



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Guidelines for Maintainin g Night Visibility of Pavement Markings	Ken Opiela HRDS -05 202- 493- 3371	Safety	x				Yes	Jun 07	No	Contract initiated in August 2005.
Requireme nts for Light Emitting Diode (LED) Traffic Signals	Carl Ander sen HRDS -05 202- 493- 3366	Safety	x				No	Jun 06	No	This project has not yet been initiated.
Develop Design Guidelines for Crosswalk Lighting*	Carl Ander sen HRDS -05 202- 493- 3366	Safety			x		Yes	May 06	Yes	Phases I, II, III are complete, and a draft report is being prepared.
Wet Night Visibility of Pavement Markings*	Carl Ander sen HRDS -05 202- 493- 3366	Safety			x		Yes	Mar 07	No	A draft report on static testing is under review.
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Guardrail Blockout Surrogate Test	Ken Opiela HRDS -04 202- 493- 3371	Safety		x			No	Sep 06	No	This project initially on hold. Work is currently in progress.

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Mailbox Surrogate Test	Ken Opiela HRDS -04 202- 493- 3371	Safety		x			No	Jun 06	No	Project efforts were restarted with a series of pendulum tests.
Cable Median Barrier Developm ent	Ken Opiela HRDS -04 202- 493- 3371	Safety	x				Yes	Sep 06	No	Work in progress.
Vehicle Impacts for Median Landscape Treatment s	Ken Opiela HRDS -04 202- 493- 3371	Safety	x				Yes	Jun 07	No	Work will begin in March 2006.
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Study of the Characteri stics of Emerging Road and Trail Users and Their Safety	Ann Do HRDS -06 202- 493- 3319	Safety				x	Yes	Comple ted	No	A TechBrief (FHWA-HRT-04-104) on this study is available at <u>https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/research/p</u> <u>ublications/technical/</u> .
Pedestrian Bicycle Crash Analysis Tool (PBCAT) Version 2.0	Ann Do HRDS -06 202- 493- 3319	Safety			×		Yes	May 06	No	Version 2 is currently under review in FHWA's Office of Safety. PBCAT Version 1.0 currently is available.
Evaluation of Safety Design and	Ann Do HRDS -06	Safety			x		No	Apr 06	No	The publication will be available in April 2006.

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Hazard Index for Assessing Pedestrian and Bicyclist Safety at Intersectio ns	Ann Do HRDS -06 202- 493- 3319	Safety		x			No	Sep 06	No	This project is ongoing.
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Results of Field Tests on Impacts of Setting and Enforcing Rational Speed Limits	Ray Kram mes HRDS -05 202- 493- 3312	Safety			x		No	Dec 05	No	Two demonstration projects are complete. Five demonstration projects are underway. The revised target completion date for all demonstrations is December 2006.
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Divergent Diamond Interchang e and Double Crossover Intersectio n and Pedestrian Performan ce	Joe Bared HRDS -05 202- 49- 3314	Safety, Mobility and Produc tivity				×	Yes	Comple ted	Yes	A paper on this project was presented at the International Symposium on Highway Geometric Design in June 2005.
Safety Evaluation of Michigan U-Turns	Joe Bared HRDS -05 202- 49- 3314	Safety	x				Yes	Jul 06	No	The contract for this project has been awarded. Less than 25 percent of the project work is complete at this time.

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Safety Analysis of Interchang es	Joe Bared HRDS -05 202- 49- 3314	Safety	x				Yes	Mar 07	No	Work on this project has started, but less than 25 percent is complete at this time.			
Roundabo ut Accessibilit y Study	Greg Davis HRDS -07 202- 49- 3367	Safety				x	No	Aug 04	No	Study has been completed. Report is in publication process.			
Novel Intersectio ns- Divergent Diamond Interchang es	Greg Davis HRDS -07 202- 49- 3367	Safety	x				No	May 07	No	This project started in FY 2005, and is targeted for completion in May 2007.			
Evaluation of Separator Islands at Nonsignali zed Intersectio ns	Joe Bared HRDS -05 202- 49- 3314	Safety		x			No	Sep 09	No	The start of the contract for this project was delayed due to funding limitations in FY 2004. The revised target completion date is September 2009.			
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Roadway Safety Hardware Managem ent Systems*	Kerry Perrill o Childr ess HRDS -05 202- 493- 3318	Safety, and Produc tivity				x	Yes	Comple ted	Yes	This is a final report on transportation asset management for roadway safety. It includes case studies and a primer on implementation of asset management systems.			
Rollover Causation Study	Mort Oskar d	Safety			x		No	Sep 06	No	This project was partially completed and then was terminated.			

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Pavement Edge Dropoff Study	Kerry Perrill o Childr ess HRDS -05 202- 493- 3318	Safety		x			Yes	Jun 07	No	The project scope has changed, and this is now a pooled fund study to evaluate the effectiveness of the Safety Edge. Participating States include California, Georgia, Indiana, Mississippi, New York, North Carolina, and Utah. The new project completion date is December 2007.
Safety Analyst	Mike Griffith HRDS -02 202- 493- 3316	Safety			x		Yes	Nov 06	Yes	White papers and functional specifications for the software are currently available.
Evaluation of Low- Cost Safety Improvem ents	Kerry Perillo Childr ess HRDS -05 202- 493- 3318	Safety	x				Yes	Dec 2010	Yes	This pooled fund study (involving 26 States) includes multiple products. A database for installation of safety strategies has been completed. Evaluations are ongoing of four safety strategies from the AASHTO NCHRP Report 500 guidebooks.
Safety Effects of Using Narrow Lanes and Shoulder- Use Lanes to Increase the Capacity of Urban Freeways"	Carol Tan HRDS -06 202- 493- 3315	Safety				×	Yes	Comple ted	Yes	The paper was published in June 2005.

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Safety Evaluation of Red Light Running Cameras*	Mike Griffith HRDS -02 202- 493- 3316	Safety				x	Yes	Comple ted	Yes	This study documented findings from evaluations of red light running cameras in several jurisdictions.
Advanced Research- Digital Highway Measurem ent Vehicles	Pete Mills HRDS -02 202- 493- 3338	Safety			x		Yes	Dec 07	No	This project involves ongoing, long- term research that will validate the performance of a prototype instrumented vehicle.
Human Centered Systems										
Personal Transporta tion Technolog y: Segway® Human Transporte r	Carol Tan HRDS -06 202- 493- 3315	Safety			×		Yes	Jun 06	No	Data collection is in progress.
In- Roadway Warning Lights Study	Thom as Grand a HRDS -07 202- 493- 3365	Safety			×		No	Dec 05	Yes	Budget limitations and system installation delays at the field sites have slowed this project. Interim findings were presented at the ITE Annual Meeting in August 2004.
Traffic Control Device Consortiu m Pooled Fund Study Projects	Joe Moyer HRDS -07 202- 493- 3370	Safety, Mobility and Produc tivity		x			Yes	Sep 06	Yes	This pooled fund study encompasses a series of ongoing research projects. Four studies are complete, and two are planned for completion in September 2006.
Work Zone Safety										

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Improving Visibility of Work Zone Features to Aid Drivers	Ken Opiela HRDS -05 202- 493- 3371	Safety	x				No	Jun 06	No	There currently is no funding to initiate this effort, but alternative funding sources are being pursued.
Guidelines for Work Zone Safety Impacts Analysis	Ken Opiela HRDS -05 202- 493- 3371	Safety	x				No	Dec 09	No	There currently is no funding to initiate this effort, but alternative funding sources are being pursued.

*Addition to FY 2004/2005 Performance Plan

Acronym List	
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ABSCOUR	abutment scour
ASR	alkali-silica reactivity
CICAS	Cooperative Intersection Collision Avoidance Systems
CORSIM	CORridor SIMulation
CRCP	continuously reinforced concrete pavements
DAVK	Dynamic Angle Validation Kit
FRP	fiber reinforced polymer
FY	fiscal year
GPS	global positioning system
GSOS	GPS surface observation system
HERMES	High Speed Electromagnetic Roadway Measurement and Evaluation System
HPC	high performance steel
HPS	high performance concrete
IC	Infrastructure Consortium
ICA	intersection collision avoidance
ICAS	intersection collision avoidance system
ICM	integrated corridor management
IPWV	integrated precipitable water vapor
ITE	Institute of Transportation Engineers
ITS	intelligent transportation system
LCCA	life cycle cost analysis
LTPP	Long Term Pavement Performance
MDSS	Maintenance Decision Support System
MITSIM	Microscopic Traffic Simulator
MPO	metropolitan planning organization
NCHRP	National Cooperative Highway Research Program
NDGPS	Nationwide Differential Global Positioning System
NGSIM	Next Generation SIMulation
OMB	Office of Management and Budget
PART	Program Assessment Rating Tool
R&D	research and development
RD&T	research, development, and technology
RHODES	Real-Time Hierarchical Optimized Distributed Effective System
RRPM	raised retroreflective pavement markers
SAFETEA-LU	Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users

SAPER	Strategic Analysis of Pavement Evaluations for Rehabilitation
SCOB	Subcommittee on Bridges
SWAT	strategic work zone analysis tools
TMC	transportation management center
TRB	Transportation Research Board
TSIS	Traffic Software Integrated System