## Crash Types









Out of Control

#### Passing

#### Rear End

#### Others

## Fatal Crashes in Missouri



## I-270 Predictive Layered Operation Initiatives

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## I-270 North Project

- \$278 million
- Safety, reliability, deteriorated infrastructures, and Nonmotorized users
- Largest work zone area in the St. Louis
- 4 years duration



# I-270 North Project









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Contact Us	WASHINGTON – The U.S. Department of Transportation's Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) today awarded a \$1 million Advanced Transportation and Congestion Management Technologies Deployment (ATCMTD) grant to the Missouri Department of Transportation for its Predictive Layered Operation Initiative (PLOI) on I-270. The ATCMTD program this year awarded grants valued at \$43.3 million to ten projects that use cutting-edge technologies to improve mobility and safety for America's travelers.				
FHWA Office of Public Affairs - Nancy Singer U.S. Department of	"This \$43.3 million in federal funding will advance innovative technologies that will improve mobility and safety in America's transportation network," said U.S. Transportation Secretary Elaine L. Chao.				
Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, Office of Public Affairs 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590 United States	The Missouri project will deploy a predictive analytics platform that uses complex algorithms based on traffic, weather and incident data to improve response and operations. The system will use predictive models that consider several different factors, traffic volumes, weather or special events, to determine the likelihood of crashes and identify response times. The project aims to improve public safety by modeling, for example, whether crashes would increase as the result of traffic increases from a major sporting event.				
Email: <u>Nancy.Singer@dot.gov</u> ₪ Phone: <u>202-366-0660</u> →	FHWA's ATCMTD program funds early deployments of forward-looking technologies that can serve as national models. This year, the grants will fund projects that use advanced real-time traveler information, vehicle communications technologies, artificial intelligence, regional approaches and bicycle-pedestrian safety features.				

"The program selections this year aim to benefit communities across the country by improving safety and efficiency on our roads through the deployment of advanced technologies," said Federal Highway Administrator Nicole R. Nason. "State-of-the-art systems will improve winter maintenance and traffic incident management along I-270 in Missouri."

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## I-270 PLOI Goals

- Improve Safety
- Improve Mobility
- Improve MoDOT
  Emergency Response (ER)
  vehicle response time
- Improve return on investment and realize cost savings

## Predictive Analytics

- Rekor
- Crash Risk Area Prediction
- Incident Identification







Live Map Data Hub



## Video Analytics



- Traffic Vision
- Incident Identification and Detection



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## Weather Analytics



- Synesis
- Integrated Modeling Road Condition Prediction (IMRCP)

#### 🚱 Map 🗐 Create Scenario 👁 View Scenarios 🕂 Create Report 💷 View Reports 🤀 Help 🖙 Logoff



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# Verification & Evaluation

- Verify **accuracy** of each platform
- Evaluate **effectiveness** of each platform
- Calculate return on investment and realize cost savings
- Document lessons learned
- Make **recommendation** for continued use of technologies

## Verification

#### Rekor

- Accuracy of Crash Risk Areas
- Accuracy of Incident Detection

#### **TrafficVision**

- Accuracy of Each Alert Type
- Identification of Locations with Most Alerts

#### IMRCP

 Accuracy of Road Predictions During Winter Weather Events

# Rekor Verification Results

## **Crash Risk Areas**

**No. of Total Crashes Predicted** 



#### January Crash Risk Areas 752 Visible & 351 Non-Visible

## Incident Detection Comparison

#### **Rekor vs. Standard Operating Procedures**

January 2023 Results	Incident First Reported by others tools	Incident First Reported by Rekor	Report Time (Same Time)	
Average time difference	0.20	0.08		
Average for incidents below 1 hour duration	0:14	0:07		Rekor
Average for incidents above 1 hour duration	3:11	1:47		Verification
Total Incident Count (383)	163	196	24	verniednon
Total Incidents below 1 hour	157	194		
Total incidents above 1 hour	6	2		Kesults
Percent incidents first reported by other tools	42.6%			
Percent incidents first reported by Rekor		51.2%		
Percent reported same time			6.3%	
Percent reported with long delay	1.6%	0.5%		

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Rekor

### Incident Detection Comparison **Rekor vs. Standard Operating Procedures**



Results

Rekor

## TrafficVision Verification Results

#### January 2023 Percentage of True Alerts





## Verification of Incident Alerts

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# TrafficVision Verification Results



### Composition of True and False Alerts – January 2023

## IMRCP

1/25/2023 Winter Weather Event

#### Create and Edit Groups

A scenario consists of groups of road segments associated with actions

Groups cannot be added until a forecast model is selected. Once a group is added, the forecast model cannot be changed

Enter a name and left-click "Add Group" to create a new group

Valid characters for scenario and group names include a-z, A-Z, -, and \_

Add/remove segment mode Edit action/values mode Remove group

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Left-click "Run" to submit the saved scenario template for processing.

Left-click "Load" to load an existing scenario template

Left-click "Restart" to remove current scenario and start over

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## Evaluation – Staff Interviews

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### Operators

#### • Benefits:

- Rekor and TrafficVision identify unknown incidents
- Helps pinpoint location of incidents

#### • Difficulties:

• Duplicate incident listings create additional work

#### Emergency Response Operators

- Benefits:
  - Gives operators map of incidents
  - Rekor reduces radio traffic
- Difficulties:
  - GPS location issues
  - Cannot keep tablet on while driving
  - Safety protocols prevent full use

### MoDOT Supervisors and Managers

#### • Benefits:

- Consolidated Information
- Creates historical data
- Provides organizational experience

#### • Difficulties:

- Not all platforms were user ready
- Prediction accuracy

## Lessons Learned

- Internal and External knowledge and expectations
- Level of trust in data and result
- Frequency of use
- Data availability, relevance, and cost
- Limitation due to Covid
- Staffing levels
- Integration of multiple technologies
- Weather
- Rules, policies, requirements, etc.
- Duration of the project

## What's next.....



## Thank you

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