

Change Management Board Meeting

Tuesday, March 5, 2013

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Welcome and Call for Quorum

Javier Rodriguez, CMB Chairman





Time	Item	Lead
1:30 – 1:35	Welcome and Call for Quorum	Javier Rodriguez
1:35 – 1:40	Previous Meeting Recap and Action Item Review	Javier Rodriguez
1:40 – 1:50	Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Wide Area Network (WAN) Update	Randy Pierce and Frank Deasy
1:50 – 2:00	Release 6.0 Schedule	Arun Krishnamurthy & Robert Heller
2:00 – 2:20	Architecture Update/ D5	Jeremy Dilmore & Arun Krishnamurthy
2:20 – 2:40	SunGuide and Lonestar	Arun Krishnamurthy
2:40 - 3:00	Video on Desktop	Clay Packard
3:00 – 3:10	Break	





Time	ltem	Lead
3:10 – 3:30	Traffic Signals	Arun Krishnamurthy & Pete Vega
3:30 – 3:50	Wrong Way Detection	Arun Krishnamurthy
3:50 – 4:05	Construction Events in SunGuide and 511	Clay Packard
4:05 – 4:15	Priority Items by District	Arun Krishnamurthy
4:15 – 4:20	Review Action Items	Javier Rodriguez

CMB agenda, slides, and attachments posted here: http://www.dot.state.fl.us/trafficoperations/ITS/Projects_Deplo y/CMB.shtm



Previous Meetings Recap and Action Items Review

Javier Rodriguez, FDOT





- **1.** CO to follow-up on HAR Vendor
- 2. CO to evaluate the 2,000 remaining alerts
- 3. CO to continue research on PostgreSQL and Cloud computing
- 4. Co to further investigate SunGuide installer improvement
- 5. Co to further develop the concept / solution to the multiple agency Road Ranger coordination
- 6. Co to provide list of functional report changes





- 7. SwRI to help Districts send up historical event and gap detector data to RITIS
- 8. SwRI to look into hot fix for FP 1559 for 5.1.1
- 9. CO to provide Pete with 2 Blue TOAD plugins
- 10. CO to coordinate a concept discussion for low visibility warning system



Randy Pierce, FDOT and Frank Deasy, Telvent





- Connecting D1 & D7
 - ITS WAN equipment operational
 - UniCast connectivity is operational
 - MultiCast connectivity in process
- Connecting D3 RTMCs Tallahassee
 - Tallahassee RTMC fiber connection in process
- FTE RTMC Pompano
 - FTE switch configuration and connection to ITS WAN still in process
 - Fiber outage on mainline being addressed by FTE
 - Need date for completion from FTE





- FHP CAD
 - Available to Districts connected to ITS WAN
- MultiCast Re-Addressing
 - Districts should re-address their multicast devices now to resolve any overlapping addresses
 - D4 completed their multicast addressing
 - D5 & D6 have committed to multicast readdressing and are in process
 - What is the status of this effort in D1, D2, D3, D7, FTE and MDX?
 - VAS can then receive MultiCast video without the need for further re-addressing
- FL-ATIS & VAS
 - Replacing dedicated circuits with ITS WAN connectivity





• QUESTIONS?

- Randy Pierce & Frank Deasy
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- Frank.Deasy@dot.state.fl.us



SunGuide Release 6.0 Schedule

Arun Krishnamurthy, FDOT and Robert Heller, SwRi





- SQL Server Database Compatibility & Database ID Modification
- Color DMS
- Scheduling Feature in SunGuide for travel times & camera
- Multiple Footprints

http://www.sunguidesoftware.com/releases/f uture-modifications





Release 6.0 media shipped end of June (6/25)

Software Development and Dry Run Completed – 4/19

Software Testing

- Factory Acceptance Testing: 4/22 to 4/25
- Independent Verification & Validation (Multiple Iterations): 5/13 to 6/21



Environment Preparation



• Database Purchase

- If you choose to purchase SQL Server, please plan to purchase prior to end of June.
- We need advance notice if you plan to not use Oracle so we can transition those licenses to OIS or other Departments.
- Any concerns about SQL Server capability?

Demo on March 19.

- Any interest in PostgreSQL?
 - Analysis underway, preliminary analysis indicates no or little changes needed to make it compatible.









Architecture Update / D5

Jeremy Dilmore, FDOT and Arun Krishnamurthy, FDOT



Reasons for the Review



New to the job

- Several major projects involving ITS
- Renewed emphasis in Systems Engineering from FHWA
- Several ITS Local Area Projects



Methodology



 Reviewed stakeholder inventoryunderway

- Review with Local Agencies
- Used consultant resources to refine data flows
- Require architecture updates with each project



Findings



- Older projects with retiring subsystems still included
 - iFlorida
- Connections to Local Agencies made outside of projects missing
 - Flagler County/City of Palm Coast
- More recent projects missing
 - I-4 Ultimate/I-4 Ultimate Extensions
- Data duplicated
 - Lynx, FDOT/Lynx
- Project responsibilities shifted
 - Sunrail



Findings (cont.)



Many unknown connections shown

 Checking firewalls/fiber documentation to determine if connections are in place

Identified a need for training

- Project Managers not familiar with D5 Architecture and how to utilize it
- Local Agencies depending on our PMs for guidance





PDF of changes to stakeholder inventory shows details

Includes change to D5 and local agencies

- Still to review with local agencies



Conclusion



- Several changes being proposed
- Does not represent new deployments of technology
- Effort is updating current configurations and those in PD&E
- More to come in terms of details as work with Local Agencies and work on data flows continues
- Recognize the need to create a process for project deployment (LAP and DOT) as well as inhouse work to update the architecture regularly



Integration of TxDOT and FDOT ATMS Software

Arun Krishnamurthy, FDOT





• Make the FDOT and TxDOT ATMS software identical.

Sharing the same software is common in the industry.



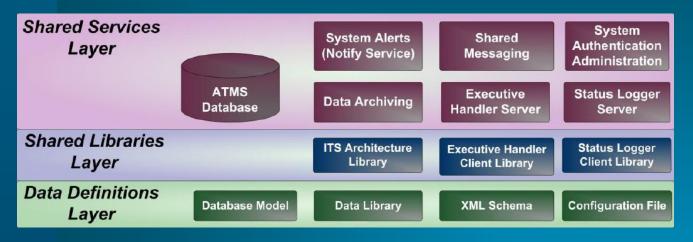


- Reduced Development Cost Makes modifications by one agency available to the other at NO COST.
- Reduced Support Cost Makes defects fixed in one software easily transferrable to the other.
- Example:
 - We are spending \$125k to use TxDOT's version of enhanced user permissions (we also added new features).
 - We spent \$300k for SQL Server that TxDOT already had.
 - We plan to spend \$500k to move Admin Editor into SunGuide as TxDOT has.





Harmonize low level software.



Then tackle one or more subsystem at a time ... DMS, CCTV, TSS.





FDOT and TxDOT reviewing each others software to gain better understanding.
We can start the shared services first if approved by CMB.



Impact to the state



• None

- All enhancements go through the CMB and the features that we agree at the state-level will be available in SunGuide.
- As the code base is the same, all unwanted features will be in the software but configurable.
- We could also make a custom installer that does not include these unwanted features.



Benefit from this effort



- FDOT's annual software expense ~ \$ 0.8 Million in development.
- TxDOT's annual software expense ~ \$ 1 Million in development

• So even if we spend money to integrate, it will make for a good benefit cost ratio.





Questions?

APPROVED ?



Video on Desktop

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Break



Traffic Signal Interface

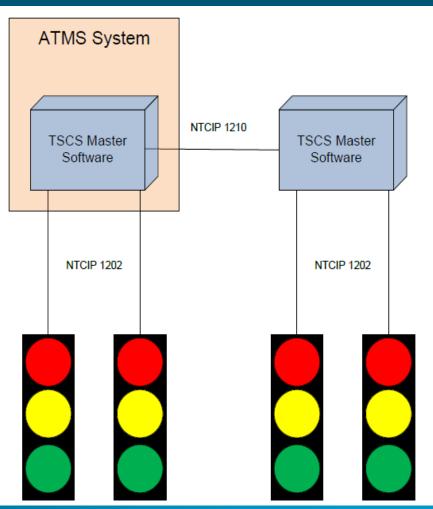
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Existing Traffic Control Systems

- Current ATMS systems have the traffic signal control built into the ATMS
- NTCIP
 - 1202 master to signal
 - 1210 master to master
- Communicate to traffic signal controllers via NTCIP
- Expensive to implement



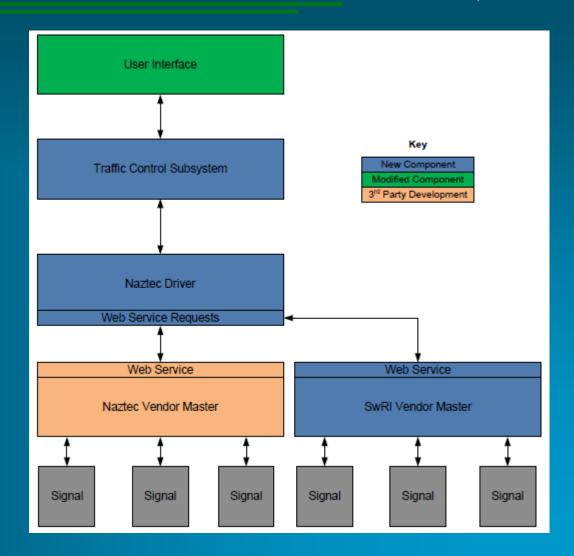


SwRI Internal Research



 New Traffic Control Subsystem

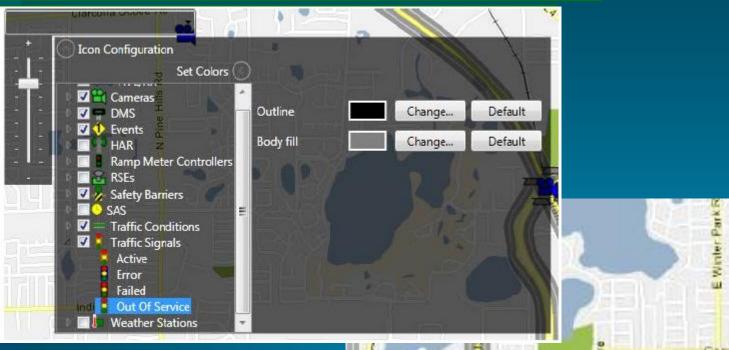
 Leverage existing
 Vendor
 Master
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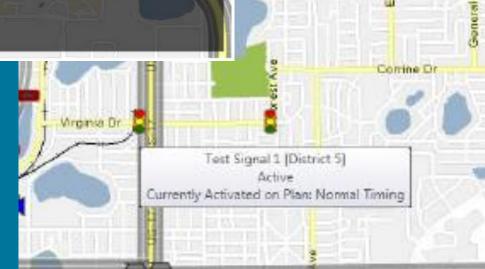


User Interface





- Standard User
 Configuration
- Icons with status and current active plan





New Timing Plan Activation



List of available plans

- Affected controllers
- Plan descriptions

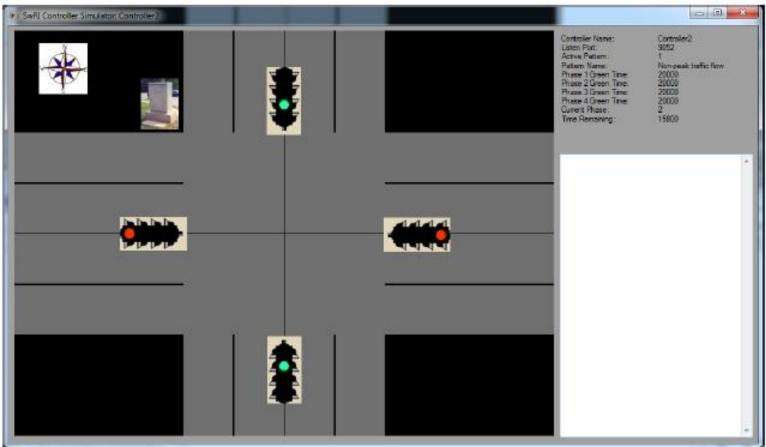
 Activation of a new plan requires explicit permission

Plans	· Affected Signals
Normal Timing Short Timing Long Timing	Test Signal 1 Test Signal 2 Find all on Map -Plan Description Used on the Test Signal 1 and 2 Controllers
	Activate



SwRI POC Vendor Master





 SwRI custom software that shows POC for doing NTCIP directly to the controller, bypassing the Vendor Master



Wrong Way Driving Countermeasures

Arun Krishnamurthy, FDOT





- Central Office formed a task team, per request from Secretary Prasad, to determine actions that state would take to counter WWD events.
- Scope of this effort
 - Conducting Literature Review of existing WWD Studies in the nation
 - Evaluating WWD vendor products
 - Reviewing FDOT Plans Package and improving the WWD plans in it for future projects
 - Enhancing SunGuide to include response for WWD events
 - Conducting field test with Turnpike





Fatalities few but fatality rate 12 times more than other crashes due to head-on collisions.

Typical characteristics: impairment and Police: Wrong-way teen causes crash Five K





FDOT's Wrong Way Driving Statistics for 2009 - 2011



Roadway Facility	# of Crashes	# of Fatalities	# of Injuries
Urban Interstate	66	13	76
Rural Interstate	15	5	20
Urban Toll Roads	24	2	30
Rural Toll Roads	3	1	6
Urban Other Limited Access	19	0	25
Urban Ramps	8	0	6
Rural Ramps	38	0	32
TOTAL	173	21	195

Note:

1. Each crash could result in one or more fatalities or injuries.

2. This data is cumulative for three years from 2009 to 2011.



Pensacola Wrong Way System











NTSB recently published a WWD report

- Texas is active in WWD detection with ITS technologies
- OOCEA is currently conducting research with UCF
 - Contact Corey for more details





 Freeway product (Can detect wrong way vehicle with Click 512 module)

- Wavetronix HD
- Ramp offering (Blank our sign or static sign with event driven beacon actuation)
 - Тарсо
 - Information Display
 - Unipart Dorman



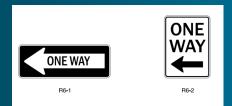
WWD Plans in FDOT's Standard Plans

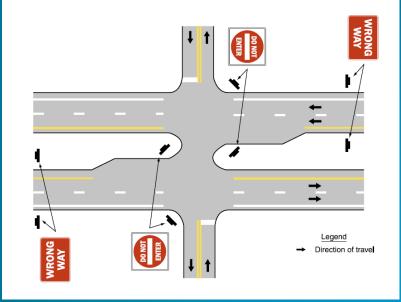


Traditional and innovative signing and pavement marking techniques

MUTCD Recommended Signage:
 Figure 2B-2. Typical Wrong-Way Signing for Divided Highways









Signing and Pavement Marking



• MUTCD Recommended Signage:



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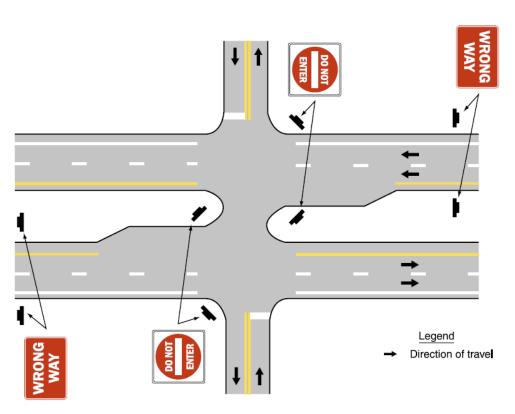


Figure 2B-2. Typical Wrong-Way Signing for Divided Highways

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Innovative Signage



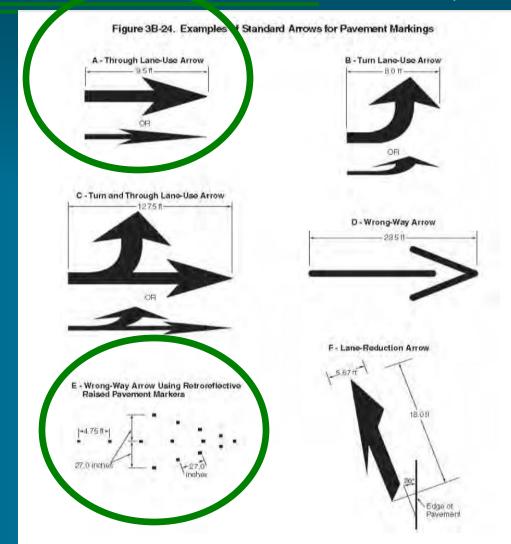




Pavement Markings



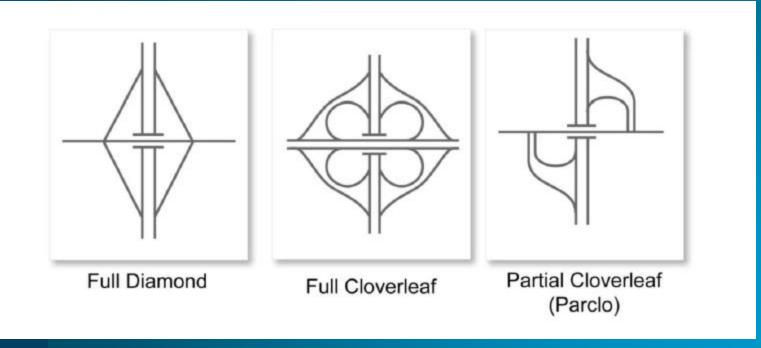
 Through Lane **Use Arrow** • Wrong Way Arrow using Retroreflective Raised **Pavement** Markers Use of Stop **Bar where** possible







Full cloverleaf has least WWD events.
Partial interchanges have twice the possibility of WWD events.







 Raised curb medians for partial interchanges

- use channelized medians or islands
- Separate on ramp

 Use straight arrow on traffic signals.



pall





- Static Signs with Flashing Beacons (flash all the time or during nights)
- Static Signs with Flashing Beacons that are triggered by a WWD event.
- Blank-out sign with Flashing Beacon that is triggered by a WWD event







ITS Solutions



• Use Wavetronix HD detectors to detect wrong way events on freeway.

- Automatically post wrong way events on Dynamic Message Signs.
- Notify law enforcement of wrong way events.
- Identify other cost effective solutions for deployment on freeways.
- Deploy ITS on ramps to detect and notify TMC and Law enforcement officers.



Future Incorporation in SunGuide Software



Possibilities:

- Modification to receive WWD events from device.
- Automated response on DMSs
- Automated notification to law enforcement
- Automated email dissemination to preconfigured list
- Automatically launch the video on the computer screen
- Integration with Connected Vehicle technology





 Work with John to determine locations for this WWD field testing

 Work with Safety office to map WWD prone areas in Turnpike





Questions?



Construction Events in SunGuide and 511

Clay Packard, Atkins





 Need a way to send construction event to 511

- ...with an affected area, not a single point location
- Also applies to Special Event, Bridge Work, Visibility, Weather or Flooding



Existing Event Congestion Fields



Impact on Roadways			Save
Event Location / Congestion	Before MM 202	No Congestion	
Event Location County: Leon Road: I-10 Direction: Eastbound Reference Point: SR-61 Thomasville Rd.	Distance From Exit (ft): 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	Congestion Head County: Leon Road: F10 Direction: Eastbound Reference Point: SR-61 Thomasville Rd.	Distance From Exit (ft): 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 3 3 3 3 3 4 4 4 4 4 5 5 5 5 5 5 6 6 6 6 6
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Congestion		Congestion Tail County: Leon	Distance From Exit (ft):
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Small change to user interface

- Labels only change
 no change to user controls
- "Congestion" changes to "Affected Area"
- Change applied to following event types:

Construction – Visibility
Special Event – Weather
Bridge Work – Flooding



Changes to User Interface



Impact on Roadways Save No Congestion Leon on I-10 Eastbound, Before MM 202 Event Location / Congestion **Congestion Head** Event Location Distance From Exit (ft): Distance From Exit (ft): County: County: Leon • lo Ŧ 0 Road: Road: 1 I-10 I-10 Ŧ 1 • 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 23 2 3 4 5 6 7 2 3 2 2 2 3 4 2 3 4 5 6 7 2 3 4 5 6 7 2 3 4 2 3 4 5 6 Direction: Direction: 3 3 Eastbound • Eastbound Ŧ 4 4 4 4 5 6 7 5 6 7 5 5 5 5 Reference Point: Reference Point: 6 6 6 6 SR-61 Thomasville Rd. • SR-61 Thomasville Rd. Ŧ 7 7 7 7 Relationship To Exit: Relationship To Exit: . 8 9 8 9 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 9 9 9 • 9 9 before: MM 202 • 9 9 9 before: MM 202 Mile Marker: Mile Marker: **Congestion Tail** Congestion Distance From Exit (ft): County: LCC -0 Road: Alternate Roads: None I-10 Ŧ 1 1 1 1 1 23 2 3 2 3 4 5 6 7 2 3 4 5 2 3 4 5 6 0 Direction: None Eastbound • 4 4 Primary: US-90 5 5 **Reference Point:** Secondary: SR-27 6 6 6 ---Between---• 7 7 7 7 Relationship To Exit: , 8 9 8 8 8 8 at: Location A 9 9 9 9 • Mile Marker: Save Location / Congestion





- No change to protocols or schemas
- Currently, the event's Event Location is sent as the primary location in C2C data
- This enhancement will use the affected area's head as the primary location in C2C
- The tail will continue to be used as the secondary location
- Operators will need to be aware of the change and set the head and tail of the affected area accordingly for these event types and publish them to FL-ATIS



Construction Events Requirements



• GUI:

When a Construction, Special Event, Bridge Work, Visibility, Weather or Flooding event is created, the user shall have the ability to set the head and tail of the <u>affected area</u>.



Construction Events Requirements



• C2C:

When an "affected area" event is selected and the user has set the head and tail of the event, the head of the event shall be sent as the primary event location and the tail of the event shall be sent as the secondary event location





QUESTIONS?

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Priority Items by District

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Review Action Items

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