

Your monthly update from ITS Heartland

September 2012



ICM training a success!

Over 30 people attended the Integrated Corridor Management training session August 22 in Lee's Summit, Missouri. ITS Heartland hosted the FHWA primer to ICM that focused on devising strategies for integrated and active operation of multimodal corridors.

Michigan hosts largest multimodal test

USDOT launches \$25M connected vehicle study in Ann Arbor



SAFETYPILOT
CONNECTED VEHICLE TECHNOLOGY

Using 3,000 cars, trucks, and buses (and some infrastructure) equipped with wireless communications devices, this deployment creates a highly concentrated environment of vehicles "talking" to each other and exchanging valuable information. Read about the [Safety Pilot Program](#).

Connected Vehicles Workshop in Chicago

Free meeting is September 25 - 27

If you're interested in connected vehicle science, research or policy or just curious about the technology, attend the USDOT Connected Vehicle Workshop at the Hyatt in the Windy City. Registration is online at www.itsa.org/safetymeeting. Questions? Contact [Adam Hopps](#).

Can't make it to Chicago?

Connected Vehicles Workshop webinar offered

The meeting will focus on vehicle-to-vehicle safety, the current Safety Pilot Model Deployment, development of a robust vehicle-to-infrastructure environment, connected vehicle deployment strategies and preparation for NHTSA's 2013 decision. See a [preliminary agenda](#) or go ahead and [register for the webinar](#).

First ever Missouri Operations Summit



FHWA and MoDOT are hosting a Missouri Operations Summit on September 25 & 26 at the Doubletree Hotel in Chesterfield, Missouri. A [connected vehicles](#) session is planned as well as incident management and multi-agency collaboration. Details at the [Summit web page](#).

Chapter suggests Kansas City for 2016

Will ITS America Annual Meeting come to the Heartland?



What's Happening

National Rural ITS Conference

Biloxi, Mississippi
September 16 - 19

USDOT Connected Vehicle Workshop & Webinar

Chicago, Illinois
September 25 - 27

2013 ITS Heartland Annual Meeting

Topeka, Kansas
March 25 - 27, 2013

2013 ITS America Annual Meeting

Nashville, Tennessee
April 22 - 24, 2013

In the Classroom



Breaktimes at the Integrated Corridor Management training were great opportunities to network with colleagues.

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In August, we submitted a proposal to help stage the 2016 ITS America Annual Meeting in KC. We have received a positive note on our proposal and sometime this fall we will learn if we are finalists. The final selection should be made in December.

[Editor](#)

Mark your calendar!

Plans are underway for the 14th Annual Meeting **March 25 - 27, 2013** at the Capitol Plaza Hotel in Topeka, Kansas. Mark your calendars now for another great meeting opportunity for sharing ideas, networking, meeting new colleagues and having fun! We're in the process of finalizing session topics so if you have suggestions, please drop me an [email](#). Hope to see you there!

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ITS Heartland President

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