

RITIS User Group

Inaugural Meeting • December 15, 2016





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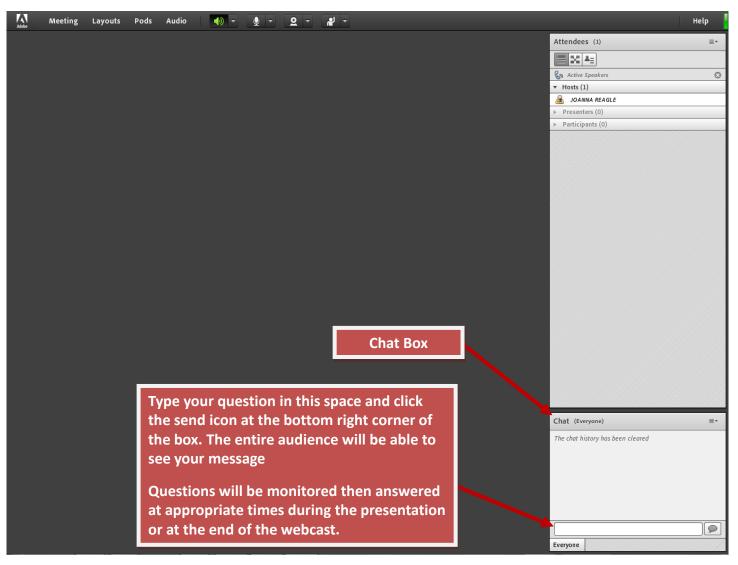
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Asking Questions



Welcome & Introductions



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Director

Meeting Agenda

- Our Mission
- Our Organization
- Logistics
- RITIS Overview
- Spotlight Presentation
- Agency Input Session
- Next Steps

Our mission

✓ Advance TSMO and multi-agency collaboration within the Coalition.

- ✓ Bring together Operations & Planning.
- ✓ Share best practices.
- ✓ Ensure members have access to the best available technologies and tools.



How we will achieve our mission:

- 1. Sharing Agency Knowledge
- 2. Advance Regional Capabilities
- 3. Disseminate Member Usecases

- ✓Incident Response
- ✓ Regional **Operations**
- ✓ Performance Management
- **✓** Evacuation Coordination
- ✓ Data Sharing
- ✓ Significant events



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- 3. Disseminate Member Usecases

✓Prioritizing RITIS feature enhancements

✓ Provide feedback to RITIS developers

✓Inform others of agency ATMS advancements and changes



How we will achieve our mission:

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 Advance Regional

Capabilities

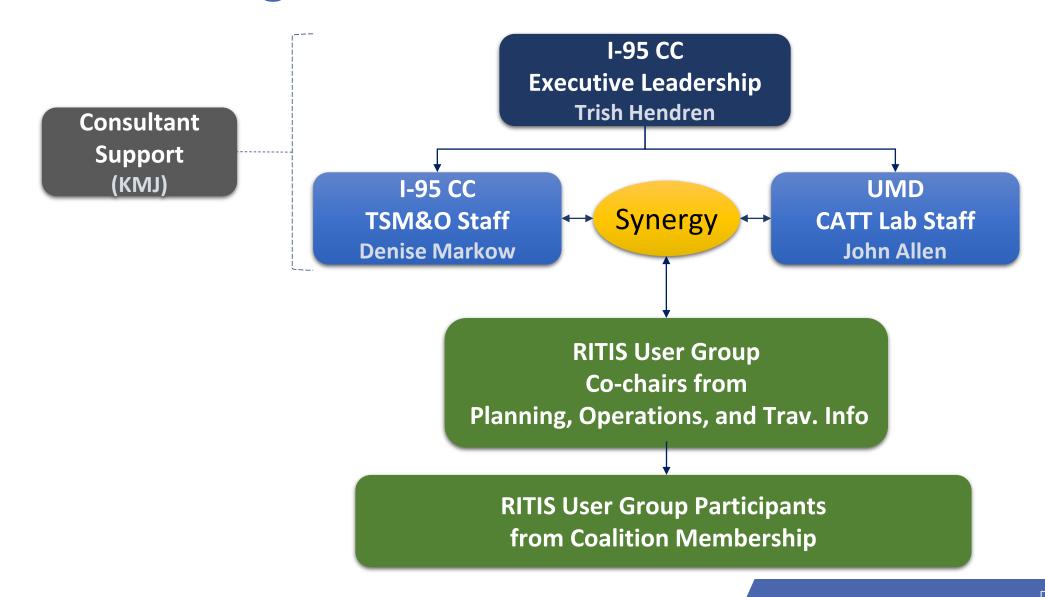
DisseminateMember Usecases **✓**Best Practices

✓ Lessons Learned

✓After-Action Reviews of Major Events



How we're organized



When & how we will meet



- > Quarterly
- > Web-based

>optional in-person every other quarterly meeting

- > for hands-on training,
- > testing,
- > agency info-sharing, and
- > networking

> special sessions as needed

- > significant event preparation
- > immediate input needed,
- > working groups, or
- > other emergency needs



Who is invited: All Coalition Members

State Agencies

Maine DOT

Maine Turnpike

New Hampshire DOT

Vermont AOT

Massachusetts DOT

Rhode Island DOT

Connecticut DOT

New York State DOT

NY State Thruway

Port Authority of New York

& New Jersey

New Jersey DOT*

New Jersey Turnpike*

Pennsylvania DOT

Pennsylvania Turnpike

Delaware DOT

Maryland SHA-CHART

Maryland Transportation

Authority

Washington DC DOT

Virginia DOT

North Carolina DOT

South Carolina DOT

Georgia DOT

Florida DOT

Regional **Systems Users**

New England Regional 511

NITTEC

Transcom

RIMIS

RITIS

STIX

Etc.

Others MPOs

Law Enforcement

EMAs

Towing & Recovery

3rd Party Providers

TransUrban

Local DOTs

Etc.

Coordinated & **Informed Coalition Members**



High-Level RITIS Overview

Some of you will already know this, but...

Let's all get on the same page



Planners Operators Managers **Transit First Responders Dispatchers** Police & LEOs Researchers **Travelers Elected Officials The Military Emergency Mgmt. PIOs**

For Operations, RITIS will not replace your ATMS

An ATMS typically provides...

- Monitoring and command & control of ITS devices
- An input tool used by DOT operators to respond to changing conditions
- Supports traveler information for the roads covered by the operating agency

RITIS value-adds your ATMS by...

- > Merging freeway and signalized arterial operations
- Ingesting detailed data from law enforcement, local agencies, surrounding states or other non-traditional partners
- > Providing advanced analytics and visualizations for:
 - DOT and Public Safety fleet management
 - Freight and commercial vehicle operations
 - Transit (bus & rail)
 - Evacuation plans & pre-evacuation, interagency decision support tools
 - Performance reporting and after-action review capabilities
- Creating and publishing dashboards
- Making archived ops data and advanced analytics available for planners and researchers
- Testing new datasets, like CC transactions, C/AV, etc.
- Shares information safely outside of your ATMS: can be leveraged by managers, public officials, EMAs, MPOs, and others for reporting, sharing and communication purposes

RITIS has Many Uses & Users

> Operations Examples

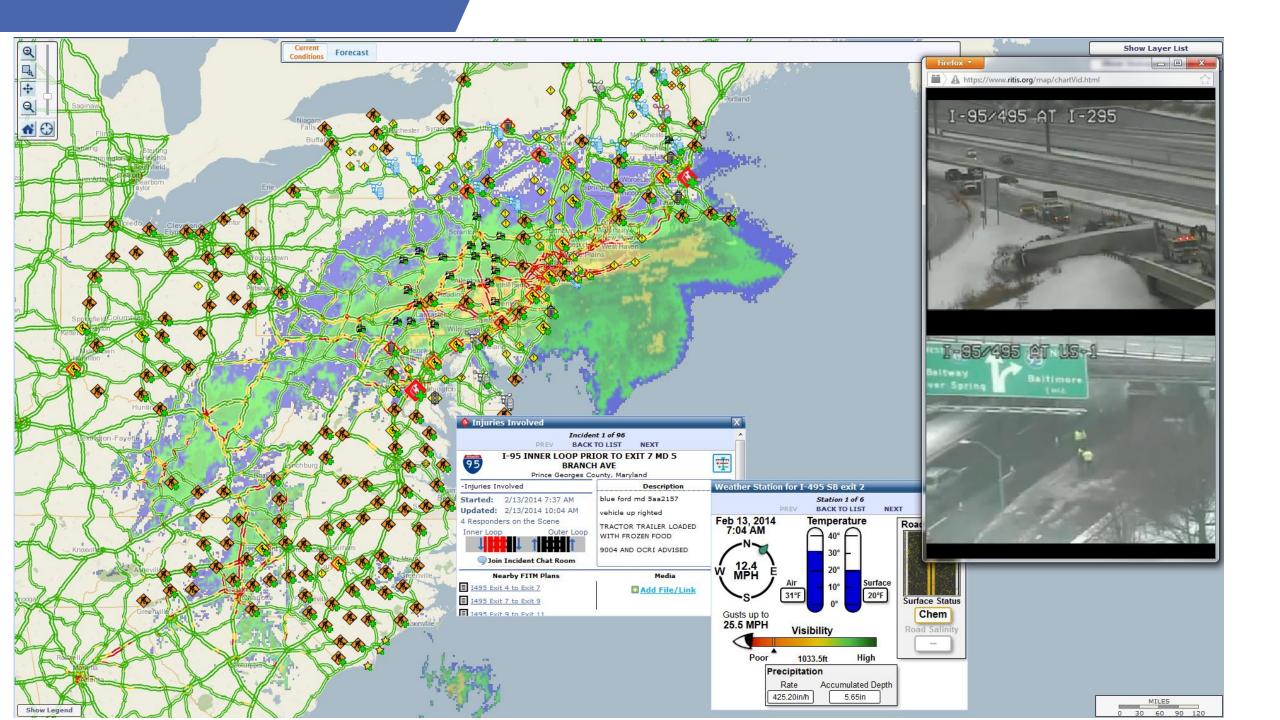


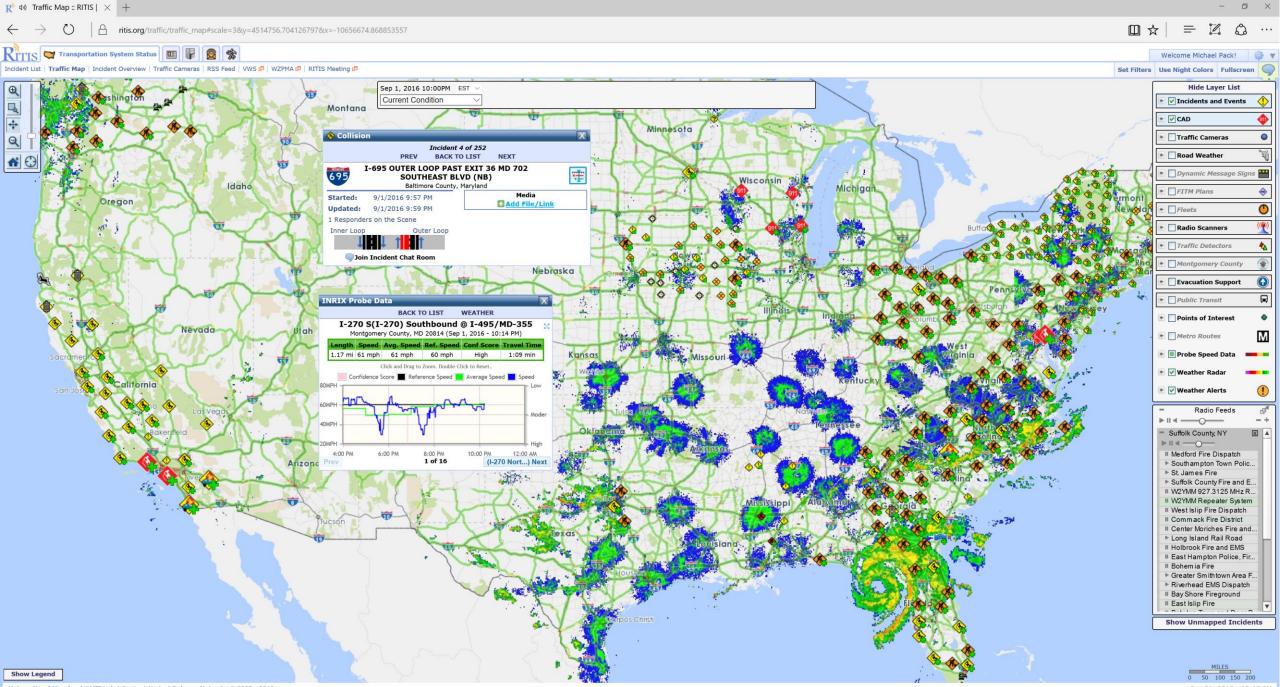


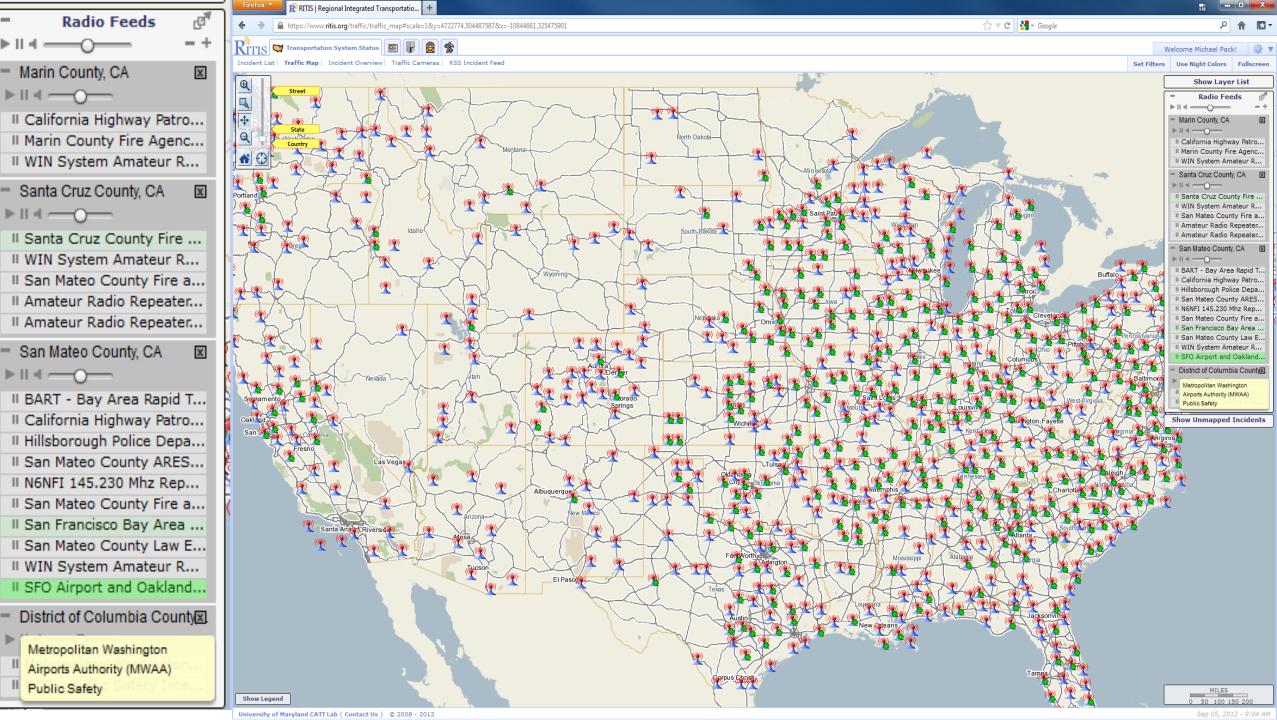


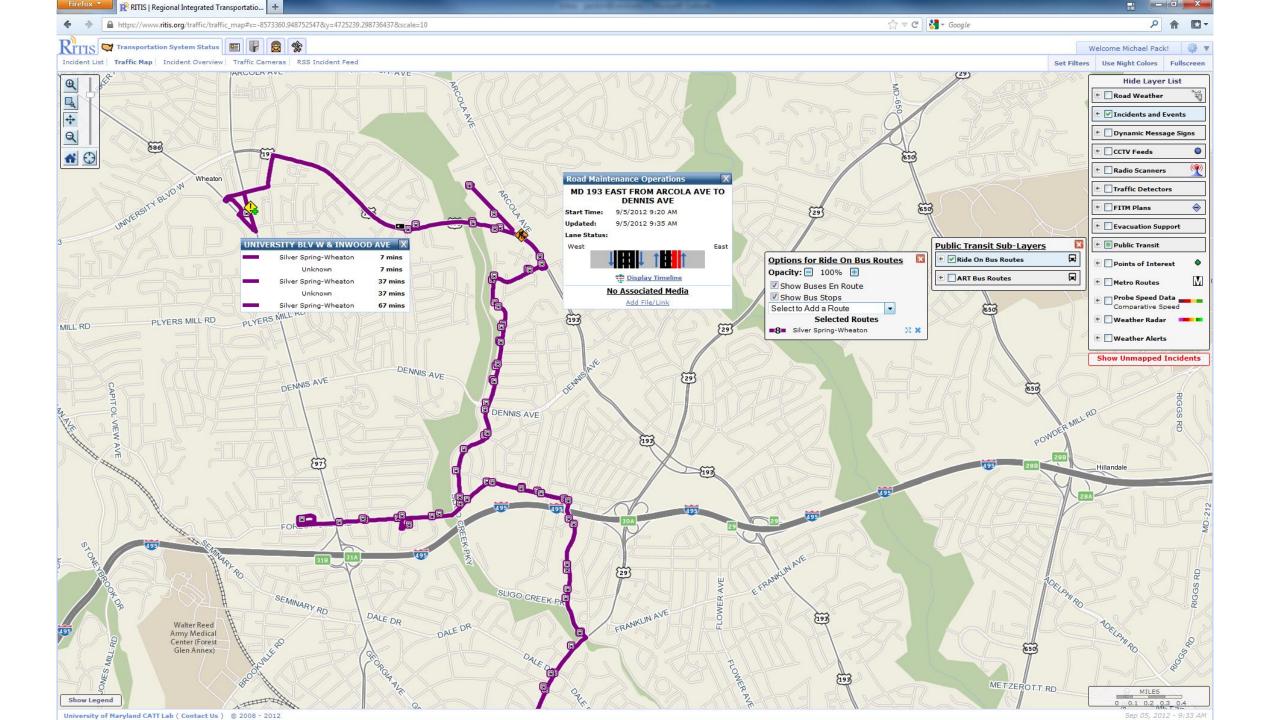


Better visualizations and Enhanced Situational Awareness









RITIS for evacuation support

Emergency contingency plans can be stored as layers in RITIS, for wide distribution and easy access to help coordinate an event response (see also *RITIS Meeting*). Later, RITIS reports that show what happened can be used for after-action review and updating the plans.



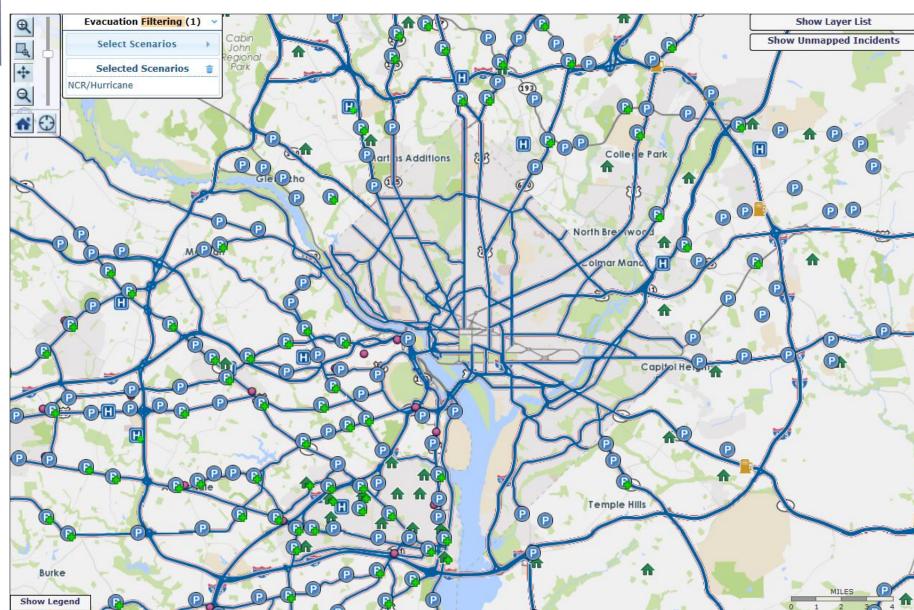




Evacuation Support



Evacuation Routes

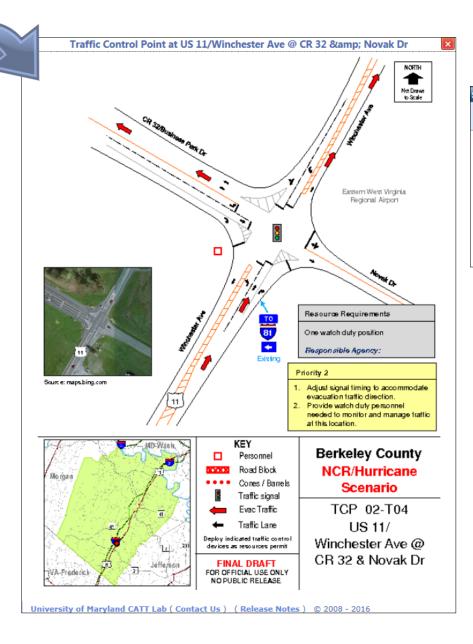


Evacuation Support

Traffic Control Point at US 11/Win... X

US 11/Winchester Ave @ CR 32 & Novak Dr 1-267 Novak Dr WV 25405 **Berkeley County**

NCR/Hurricane





PREV

Avail. Space: 396

Truck Access: No



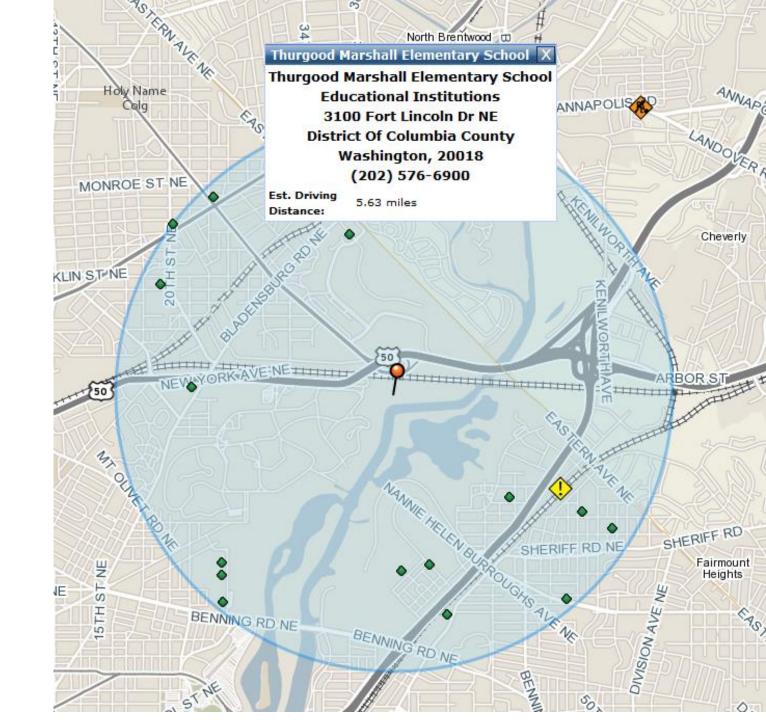


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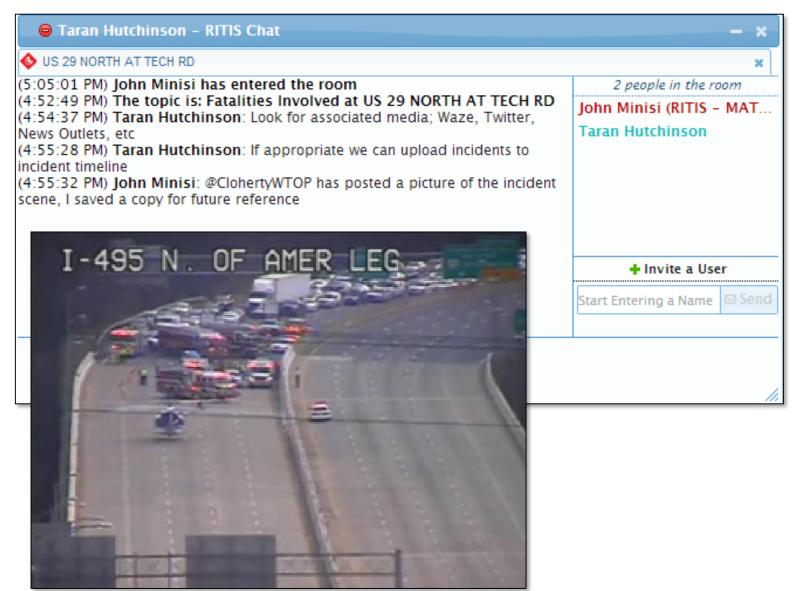
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National Points of Interest Database

- HazMat incidents
- Locating Resources
- Addresses
- Phone Numbers



Chat & File Sharing Functionality









Welcome Michael Pack!



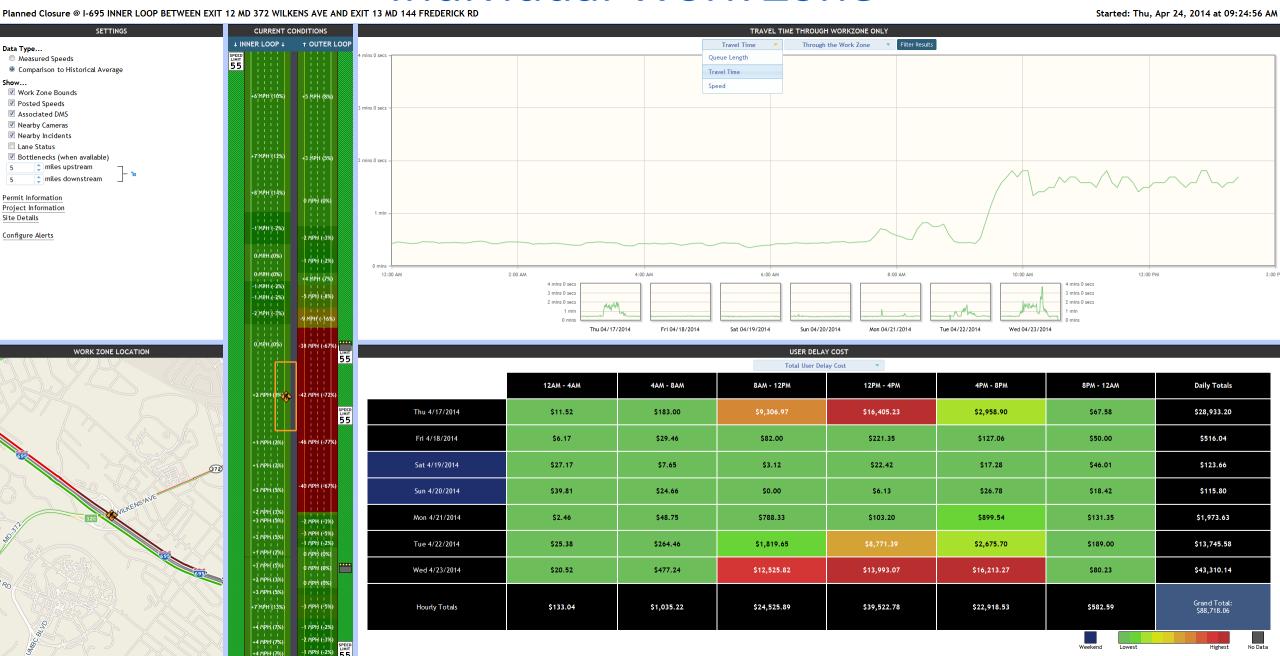
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	Wed 4/09/2014	\$2,678,358.64	\$626,606.88	\$229,861.28	\$48,652.15	\$3,583,478.94	
	Thu 4/10/2014	\$1,239,852.54	\$1,050,702.81	\$301,406.33	\$77,104.65	\$2,669,066.33	
	Fri 4/11/2014	\$1,806,342.05	\$1,105,801.53	\$474,634.47	\$107,010.25	\$3,493,788.29	
	Sat 4/12/2014	\$3,367,462.75	\$179,057.99	\$107,675.02	\$6,721.70	\$3,660,917.46	
	Sun 4/13/2014	\$2,548,281.10	\$37,468.98	\$83,927.57	\$8,015.17	\$2,677,692.82	
	Mon 4/14/2014	\$2,661,674.91	\$323,977.01	\$198,868.28	\$184,730.13	\$3,369,250.33	
13	Tue 4/15/2014	\$2,838,798.60	\$905,736.49	\$258,710.91	\$125,311.87	\$4,128,557.87	
	Wed 4/16/2014	\$2,937,018.16	\$500,186.92	\$212,687.02	\$83,203.90	\$3,733,096.00	
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Individual Work Zone



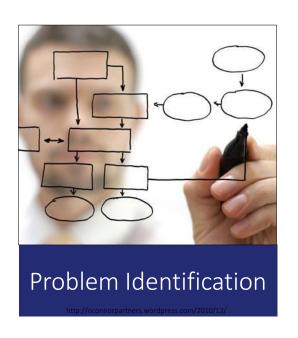
RITIS for collaborative decision-making

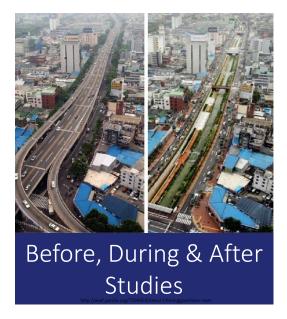


The RITIS Meeting tool provides a hassle-free way to conference up to 300 participants before, during, and after major events.

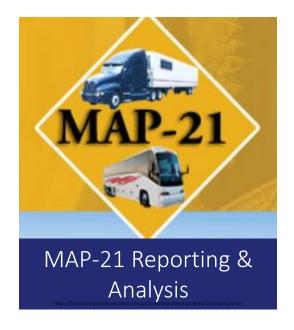
RITIS has Many Uses & Users

> Planning Examples



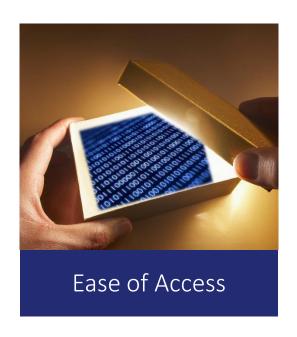




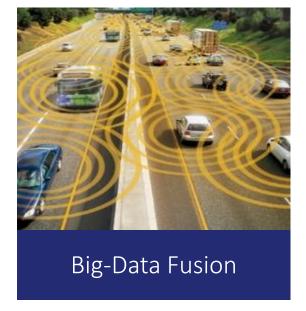


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> Research Examples

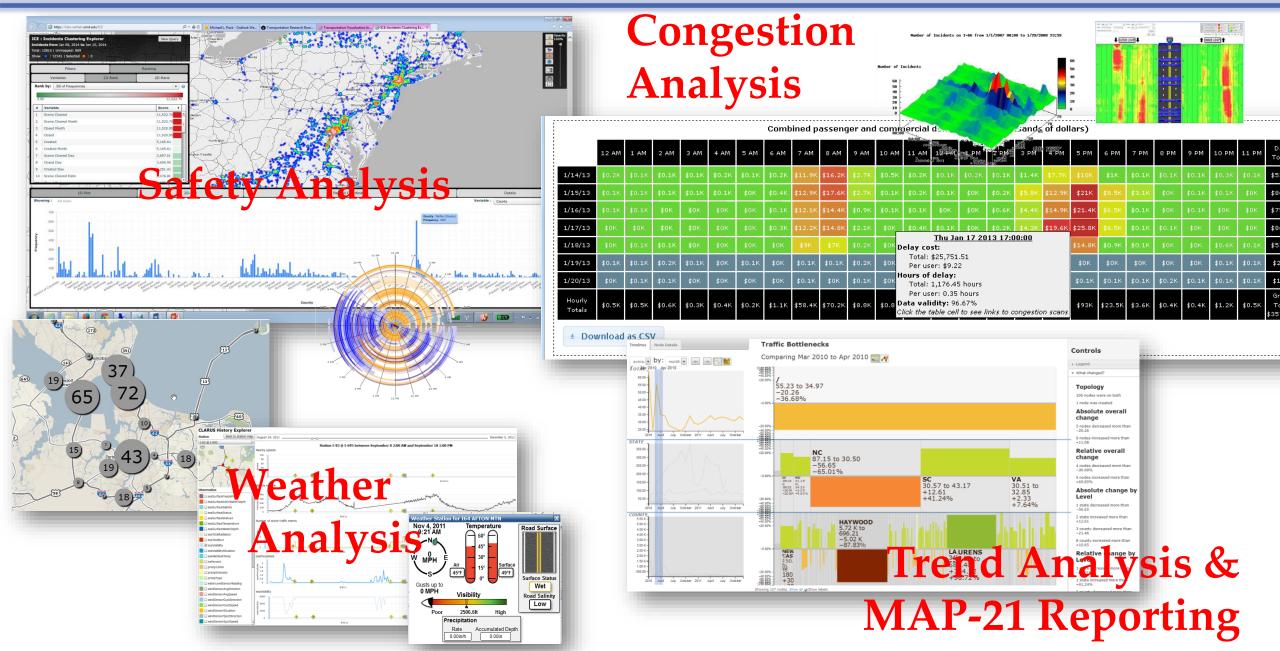






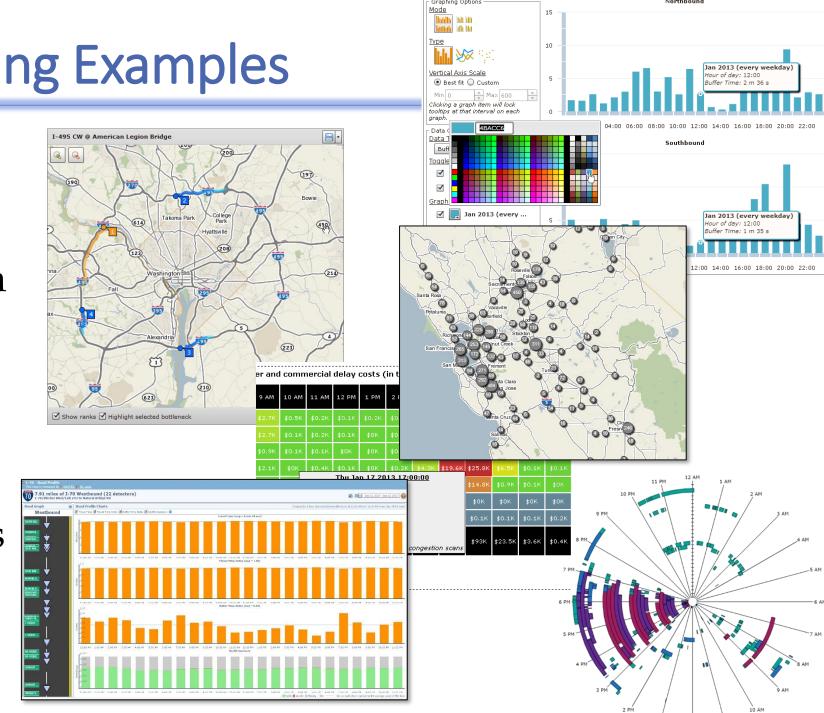


Planning & Research



Congestion Reporting Examples

- System Performance Reporting
- Problem Identification
- Project Prioritization
- After Action Incident Review
- Before & After Studies
- Operations



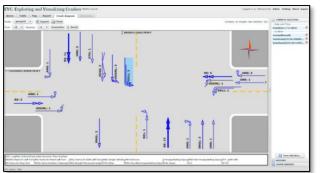
Congestion Reporting

- Travel Time Analysis
- Work Zone Monitoring
- Detector Health & Maintenance



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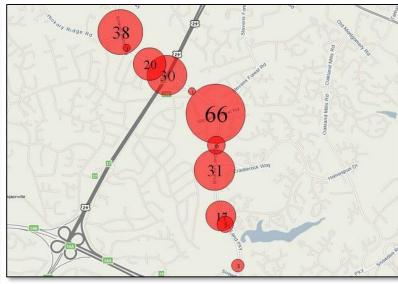
ATMS & Safety Data Analysis & Reporting

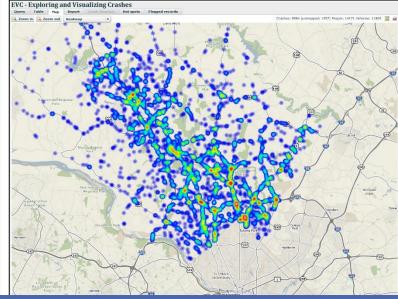












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> Traveler Information

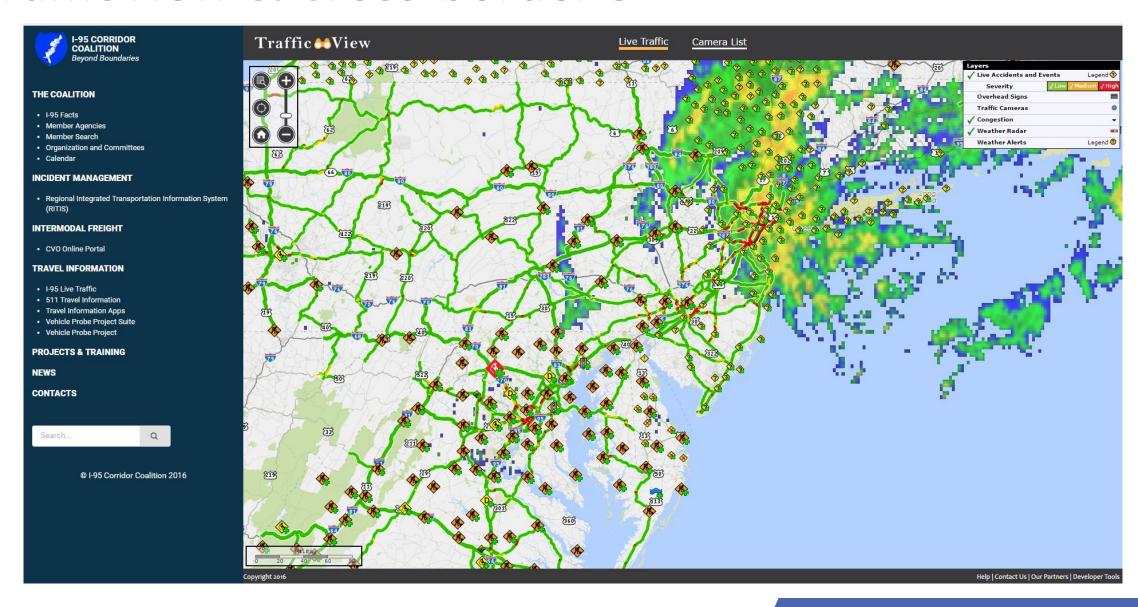




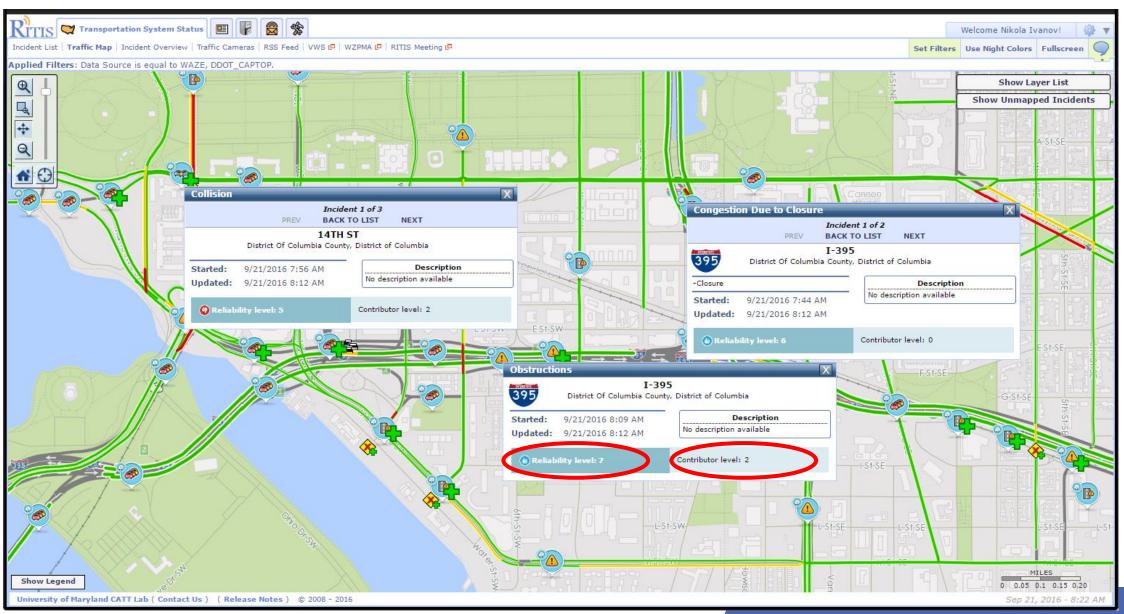




TrafficView & Cross-border 511

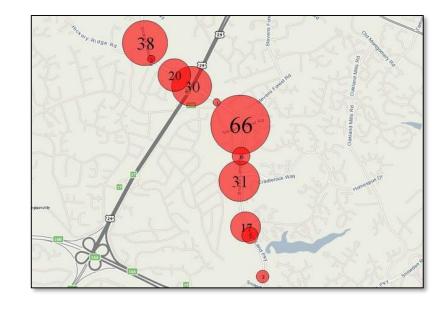


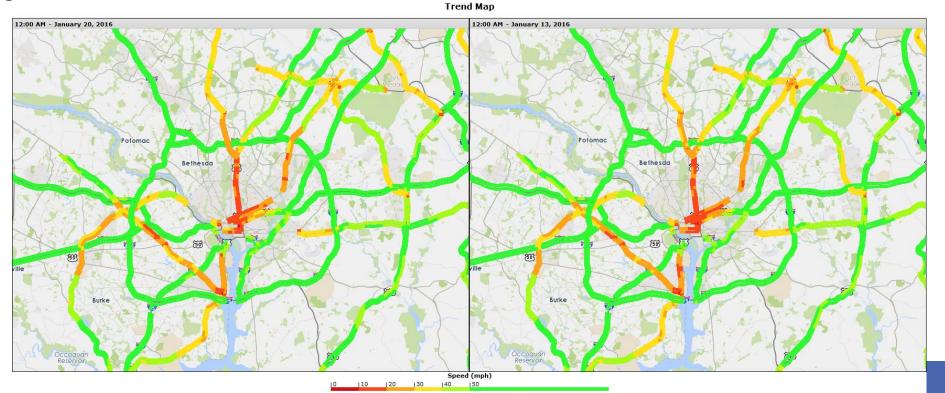
Crowd-sourced Data Integration for SA & Trav Info



Press Releases & Communication

- RITIS as an investigative option for PIOs
- RITIS answers questions FAST!
- RITIS generates easy to understand graphics
- Many graphics can be exported or embedded





Real-world use cases

Some examples of how RITIS is helping agencies do their job:

- > Performance-based planning (SJTPO)
- > DC Metrorail shutdown impact (MWCOG)
- > Winter storm impact analysis (MWCOG)
- > Papal visit to Philadelphia (PennDOT)

- > Mobility reporting (Maryland SHA)
- > Work zone travel time monitoring (NCDOT)
- > Amtrak derailment impacts (DVRPC)
- > I-95 reconstruction in Philadelphia (PennDOT)







Things we're working on

- Connected Vehicles Data Integration
- HD Signal Systems Data Integration
 - SPaT
 - Reidentification / Origin-Destinations,
 - Travel Times)
- Work Zone Performance Management App (for all of Coalition)



MATOC Mission and Operations

- A joint program between DC DOT, Maryland DOT, Virginia DOT, & WMATA to improve inter-agency information sharing and coordination
 - Regional focus on DOT Operations and Traffic Incident Management
- MATOC's mission is to provide situational awareness of transportation operations in the National Capital Region (NCR)
- **Develop tools and processes** that enables operating agencies and the traveling public to make appropriate decisions
- The Regional Integrated Transportation Information System (RITIS) is MATOC's core tool to support its day-to-day operations





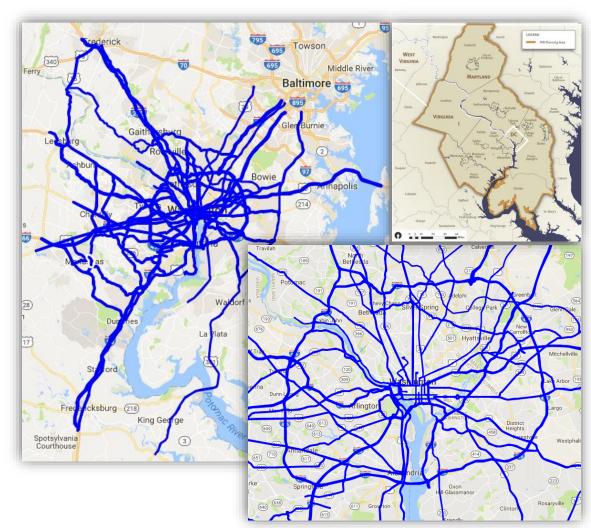








MATOC Area of Interest



Routes monitored by MATOC

National Capital Region "+1"

 Coverage expands/contracts based on several factors; time of day, weather, planned events, etc.

Focus Areas

- Interstates and major arterials
- Jurisdictional borders and river crossings
- Incidents or events that may impact multiple jurisdictions or transportation modes
- MATOC member agency systems cover the majority of this network, all accessible through RITIS



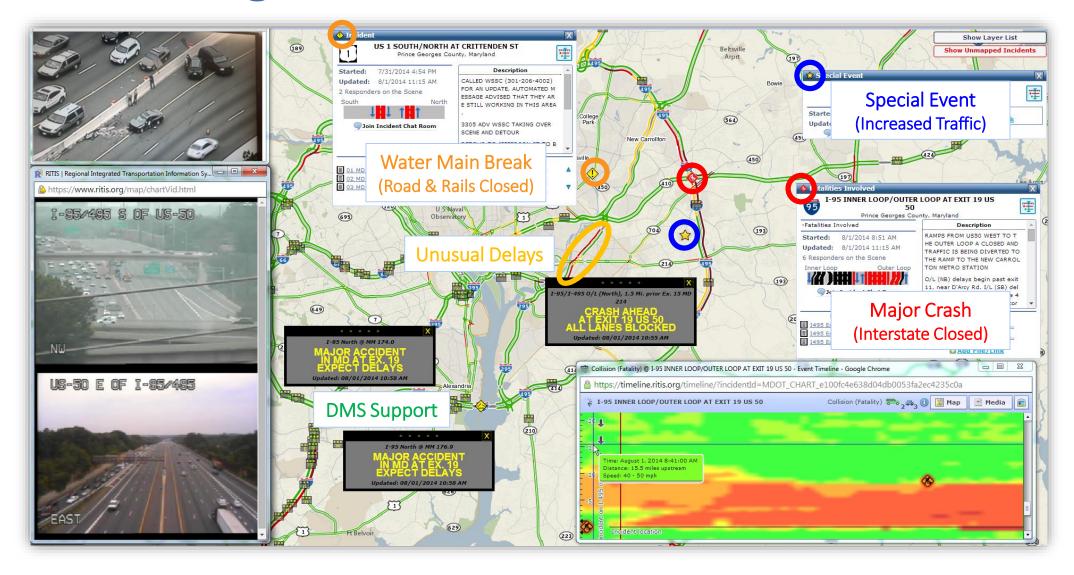
MATOC Operations, College Park, MD



- Hours of Operation
 - Monday-Friday: 4:30am-8:00pm
 - After Hours & Weekends: On-Call
- MATOC Staff monitor Regional Integrated
 Transportation Information System (RITIS) and other public safety/emergency management applications
- Serves as a transportation watch desk / information clearing house / resource desk for its stakeholders
- RITIS provides users a common operating picture of a region's transportation network
 - Puts MATOC Staff in a position of identifying actions/responses that would be helpful when transportation incidents occur in the NCR



Connecting the DOTs





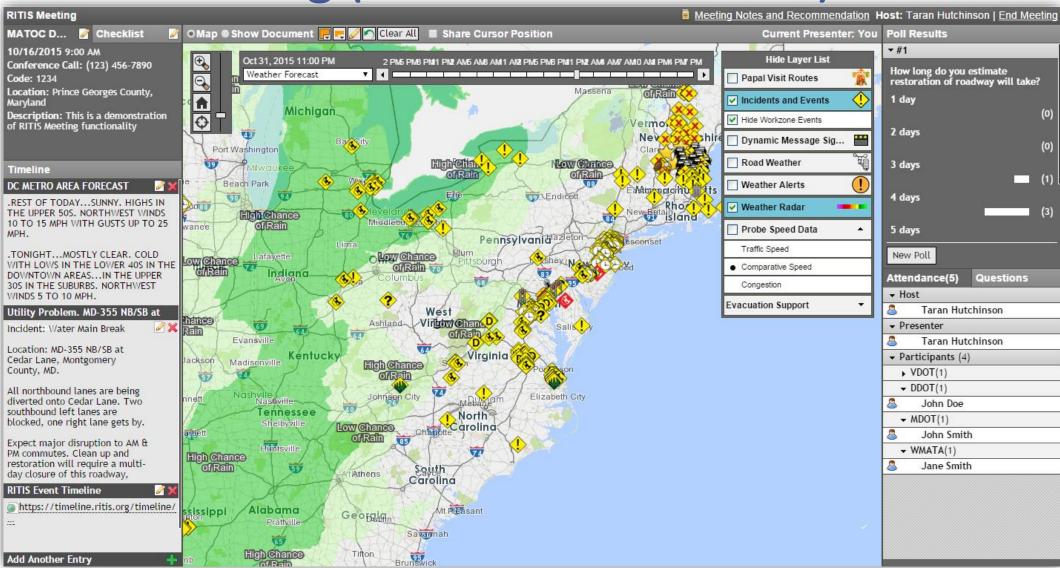
RITIS Meeting



- A "Collaborative Decision Tool"
- Used regularly by MATOC to streamline coordination efforts related to severe weather event and major traffic incidents
- Simple RITIS-based webinar function that allows for:
 - Faster call/meeting management
 - Works on all internet browsers, no plugins
 - Attendee roll call
 - Multiple-presenter functionality
 - Shared view of an event or incident
 - Interactive mapping, document and image sharing, drawing functions
 - Document meeting minutes
 - Allows for open and transparent decision-making (e.g., real-time polling)
 - Participants receive a PDF meeting summary at the conclusion of the meeting

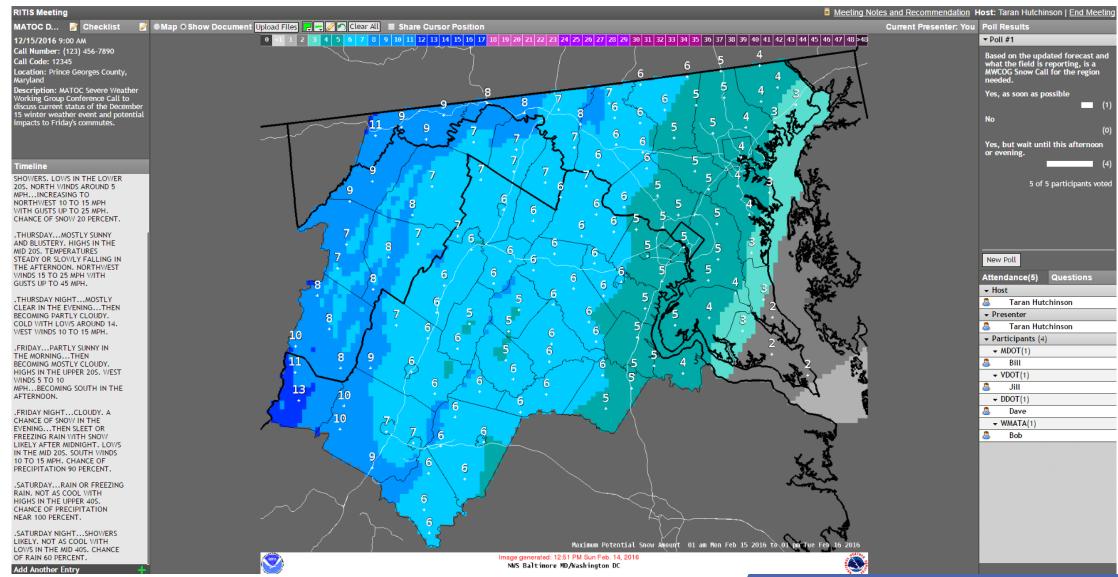


RITIS Meeting (For Weather Events)



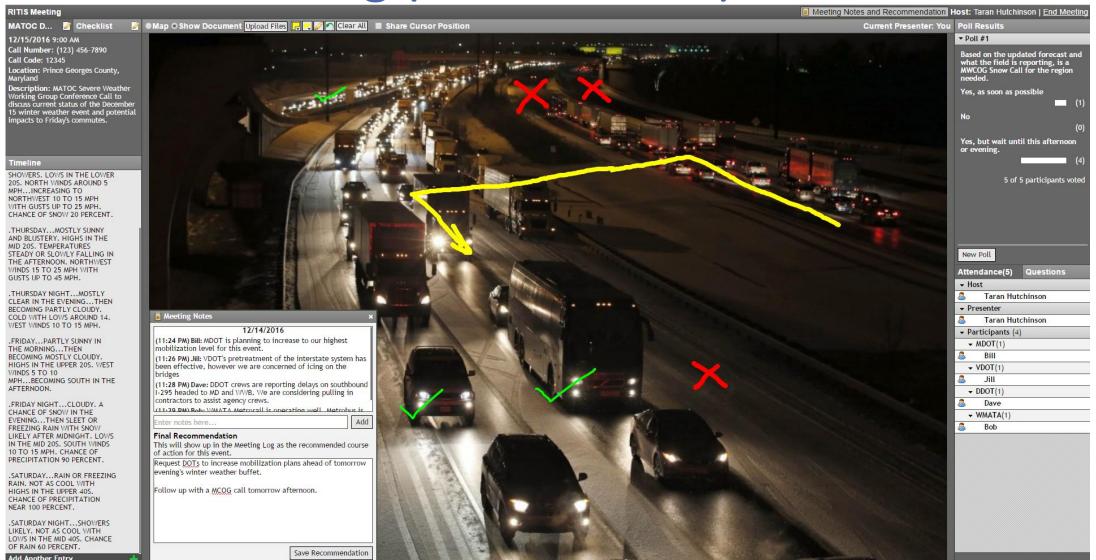


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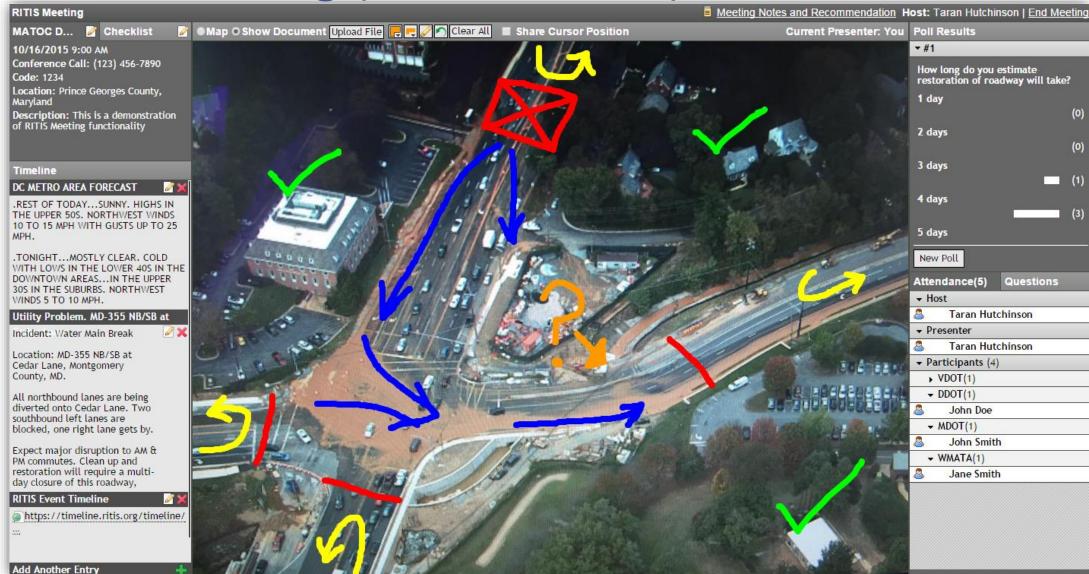


RITIS Meeting (For Incidents)





RITIS Meeting (For Incidents)







MATOC DOT Weather Call: December 15, 2016 Event (Call #1)

Dec 15, 2016 09:00 AM

Prince Georges County, Maryland

MATOC Severe Weather Working Group Conference Call to discuss current status of the December 15 winter weather event and potential impacts to

RECOMMENDATION

Request DOTs to increase mobilization plans ahead of tomorrow evening's winter weather buffet.

Follow up with a MCOG call tomorrow afternoon.

NUMBER OF ATTENDING PARTICIPANTS 5

TIMELINE

WASH DC GREATER METRO AREA FORECAST

WASHINGTON DC GREATER METROPOLITAN AREA FORECAST 931 PM EST WED DEC 14 2016

.REST OF TONIGHT...MOSTLY CLOUDY WITH ISOLATED SNOW SHOWERS, LOWS IN THE LOWER 20S. NORTH WINDS AROUND 5 MPH...INCREASING TO NORTHWEST 10 TO 15 MPH WITH GUSTS UP TO 25 MPH, CHANCE OF SNOW 20 PERCENT.

.THURSDAY...MOSTLY SUNNY AND BLUSTERY, HIGHS IN THE MID 20S, TEMPERATURES STEADY OR SLOWLY FALLING IN THE AFTERN NORTHWEST WINDS 15 TO 25 MPH WITH GUSTS LIP TO 45 MPH

.THURSDAY NIGHT...MOSTLY CLEAR IN THE EVENING...THEN BECOMING PARTLY CLOUDY, COLD WITH LOWS AROUND 14, WEST WINDS

.FRIDAY...PARTLY SUNNY IN THE MORNING...THEN BECOMING MOSTLY CLOUDY, HIGHS IN THE UPPER 20S. WEST WINDS 5 TO 10 MPH...BECOMING SOUTH IN THE AFTERNOON.

FRIDAY NIGHT...CLOUDY, A CHANCE OF SNOW IN THE EVENING...THEN SLEET OR FREEZING RAIN WITH SNOW LIKELY AFTER MIDNIGH. LOWS IN THE MID 20S, SOUTH WINDS 10 TO 15 MPH, CHANCE OF PRECIPITATION 90 PERCENT

SATURDAY...RAIN OR FREEZING RAIN, NOT AS COOL WITH HIGHS IN THE UPPER 40S. CHANCE OF PRECIPITATION NEAR 100 PERCENT

SATURDAY NIGHT...SHOWERS LIKELY. NOT AS COOL WITH LOWS IN THE MID 40S. CHANCE OF RAIN 60 PERCENT.

Polls

Poll#1	11:31 PM
Based on the updated forecast and what the field is Call for the region needed.	reporting, is a MWCOG Snow
Yes, as soon as possible	(1)
No	(0)
Yes, but wait until this afternoon or evening.	(4)

(11:24 PM) Bill: MDOT is planning to increase to our highest mobilization level for this event.

(11:26 PM) Jill: VDOT's pretreatment of the interstate system has been effective, however we are concerned of icing on the bridges (11:28 PM) Dave: DDOT crews are reporting delays on southbound I-295 headed to MD and WWB. We are considering pulling in contractors

(11:29 PM) Bob: WMATA Metrorail is operating well. Metrobus is experiencing major delays on the arterials region wide.

SHARED MEDIA

Taran Hutchinson Dec 15, 2016 10:06 PM

MATOC SWCWG Road Condition Table



MATOC Severe Weather Coordination Working Group Transportation System Status Levels

TABLE 1: Transportation system status levels		
Road Condition 5: IMPASSABLE/ DANGEROUS/		
TREACHEROUS		

Some roads could be temporarily impassable. This may be the result of severe weather (low visibility, etc.) or road conditions (drifting, excessive unplowed snow, glare, ice, accidents, stranded vehicles, etc.) Skeletal transit services. Limited above-ground rail service if more than 8" of accumulation. Lane drops in certain sections



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ATTENDANCE

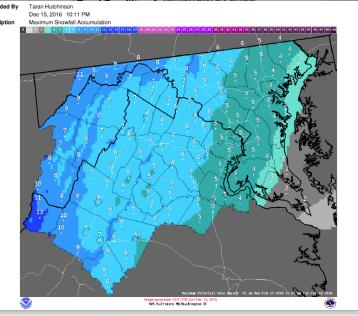
Taran Hutchinson

Organization	Participant		
MDOT	Bill		
WMATA	Bob		
DDOT	Dave		
VDOT	Jill		
MATOC	Taran Hutchinson	Taran Hutchinson	

POLL INFORMATION

Poll #1: Based on the updated forecast and what the field is reporting, is a MWCOG Snow Call for t		
Participant	Vote	
Bob	Yes, but wait until this after	
Dave	Yes, but wait until this after	
Bill	Yes, but wait until this after	
Taran Hutchinson	Yes, but wait until this after	
Jill	Yes, as soon as possible	

Dec 15, 2016 10:12 PM Most Likely Ice Accumulation



End Member Spotlight

Member involvement

The **key** to success of the RITIS User Group is **your** involvement:

- > Share common or unique use of the tools in your work
- > Present after-action reviews, lessons learned
- > Demonstrate accomplishments, big or small
- > Contribute ideas, suggestions, feedback
- > Help prioritize and guide RITIS feature enhancements

Agency input session

"What's on your mind?" "We're here to help!"

Next steps

- ✓ Conduct an agency survey on your agency's needs and issues
- ✓ Solicit Co-Chair nominations to represent each of the following TSMO fields
 - > Planning
 - > Operations
 - > Traveler Info
 - > Research
- ✓ Prioritize improvements and new features for the RITIS Roadmap
- ✓ Identify Agency Use-Cases and/or AARs for the next User Group Meeting

How to get access

- www.ritis.org
- ✓ Click "Request an Account"
- ✓ You're on your way...



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Thanks!

These slides will be made available after the call.

Next meeting will by in Feb/Mar



