Conference Call Agenda for Portable Changeable Message Signs/Flashing Arrow Panels and Temporary Traffic Control Devices  
Friday - 12/15/06 @ 10:30 am

Attendees:  
Meredith McDiarmid (NCDOT)  
Danny Lane (TNDOT)  
Dale Stokes (NCDOT)  
Mike McGough (AASHTO)  
Joe Dorsey (AASHTO)  
Ken Smith (Industry Rep)  
Bill Ward (Industry Rep)  

PCMS/FAP Panels

• Discuss if there are needed changes to the present work plan.  
  • McDiarmid, Smith – Work plan is good, no revisions needed  
  • Rear-view mirror issues.  
    • This is a real life situation. Smith – Industry doesn’t have a problem with how this is being collected.
  • Discuss with Mike about polling states to see who is utilizing the report for their evaluations.  
    • Smith recommends that a poll is taken every 2 years.  
    • Meredith will work up the survey in cooperation with Danny on TTCD.  
• Discuss testing smaller PCMS panels.  
  • More than one has approached Meredith to test on NTPEP deck  
• Discuss testing truck-mounted PCMS panels.  
  • Meredith would like to test truck mounted panels.  
  • Smith – We have line matrix signs and full matrix signs, which makes it difficult to standardize testing. NCUTCD Committee is looking at the MUTCD language on PCMS.

New Business

State has requested that NC test panels. NYSDOT requested to test a sign on the upcoming 2007 test deck, but testing is more for NTCIP standards.
TTCD

- Reporting for delineator damage...How and Why?
  - Lane - Any damage to delineators is reported, split, fray, crack
  - From Peter Speer – “No posts split, cracked, frayed or broken. Sheeting loss is too minimal to report”
  - Lane, Ward – Feel that it is needless to add unneeded notes.

- Data Mine Update
  - Mike will send link to development server.