

Period Covered: (Quarterly Report- October 1 – December 31, 2006)

State Planning and Research Program

PROJECT TITLE: WASHTO-X Technology Transfer Initiative

OBJECTIVES: Expand the successful WASHTO-X program to other State DOT's. WASHTO-X is a videoconferencing network of State DOT's gathered for the purpose of exchanging information and experiences on selected topics. Anticipated benefits for the newly involved states are similar to the benefits currently being realized by the states participating in WASHTO-X: Increased low-cost interaction and information sharing between peers on topics important to the state DOT's. The continuation and expansion of WASHTO-X will allow for greater selection of topics and additional state participation.

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FY2002 SPR Project No: TPF-5(017)

Project is:

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DEVELOPMENT

Principal Investigator: Doyt Y. Bolling

Annual Budget

Budget for FY-2003-2004: \$80,300.00
Estimated Budget for 2005: \$ 55,000.00
Phase 2 Budget for 2006: \$50,000.00
Phase 2 Budget for 2007: \$50,000.00

Multi Year Project

Budget for Project as of March 30, 2005: \$0.00
Accrued Cost of Project as of December 30,
2005 - \$ 55,000.00
Phase 2 Budget 2006-2007: \$100,000.00

WORK COMPLETED:

Four events were scheduled and conducted during this quarter. The four events covered the topics of: Bridge Maintenance & Inspection – Painting, Cleaning, Deck Repair & Patching, & Inspection Problem Areas; Operations Performance Measures: Traffic Safety, Maintenance Activities & Incident Response; Technology Transfer & Implementing Research. Complied and prepared synopsis of each event and the associated presentations. Posted the proceedings of each event on the WASHTO-X website along with follow-up information and a list of participants. Solicited topics for 2007 and selected topics and scheduled events for first six months of 2007. Provided CD's of events requested by various participants.

Project Personnel: Principal Investigator, Network Administrator, Student Technician.

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES EXPECTED TO BE PERFORMED NEXT QUARTER:

Post and conduct events for the first six months of 2007.

Compile evaluations and prepare synopsis of each event and post on website.

Invite other State DOT's and LTAP/TTAP centers to participate in WASHTO-X Program.

Provide DVD/CD's of event proceedings to participating State DOT's and other participants on request basis. Update & modify website as needed. Solicit and post topics for last six months of 2007. Requests have been made to host quarterly WASHTO-X events covering ITS and FHWA's Market Ready Technologies.

STATUS AND COMPLETION DATE: Initial Project Completed: December 31, 2004

Percentage of work completed to date for Phase 2 of the
Project is 45 % complete.

Phase 2 of the Project to be completed June 30, 2008

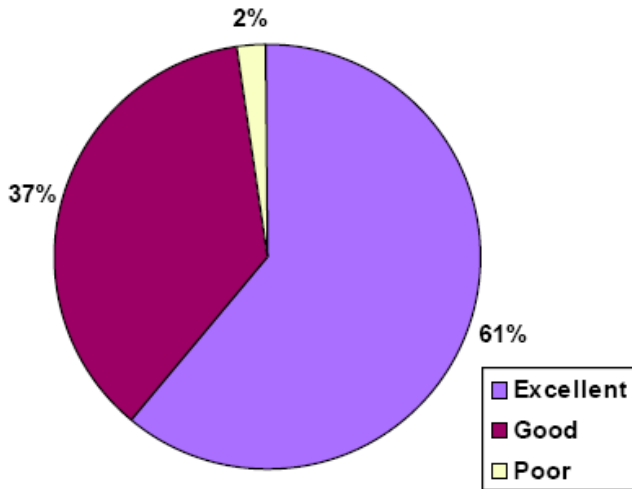
Participating Agencies:

Arizona DOT, California DOT, Colorado DOT, Nevada DOT, Oklahoma DOT, Utah DOT and Washington DOT (soft match). Funds from the LTAP program have been contributed for the participation of LTAP/TTAP Centers in the program. Other State DOT's and organizations are invited to participate based on the event topic. See attachments for analysis of participants' responses.

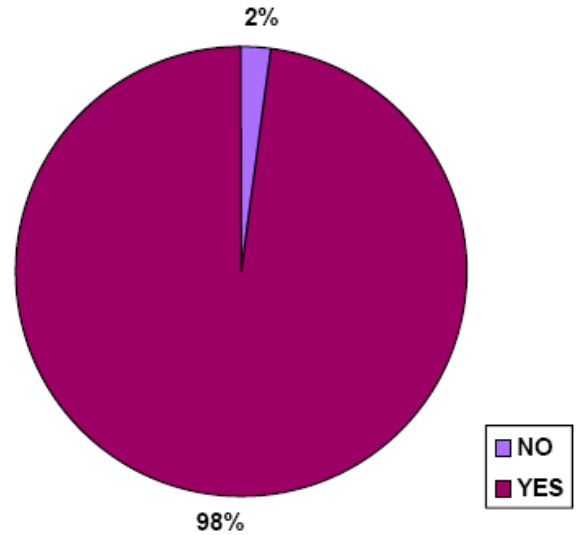
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Graphical Over View of WASHTO-X Evaluations (October 2006 - December 2006)

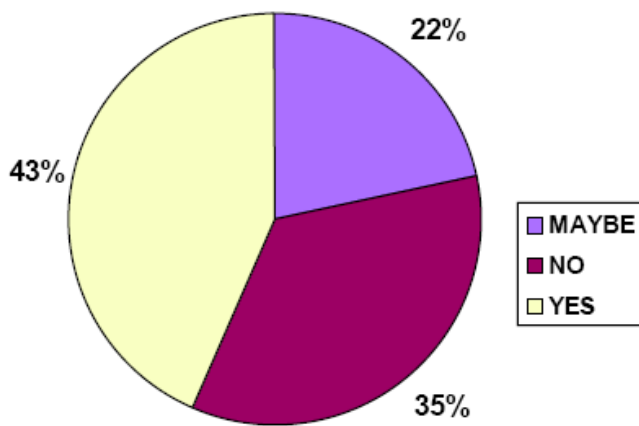
Overall Rating of WASHTO-X EVENTS



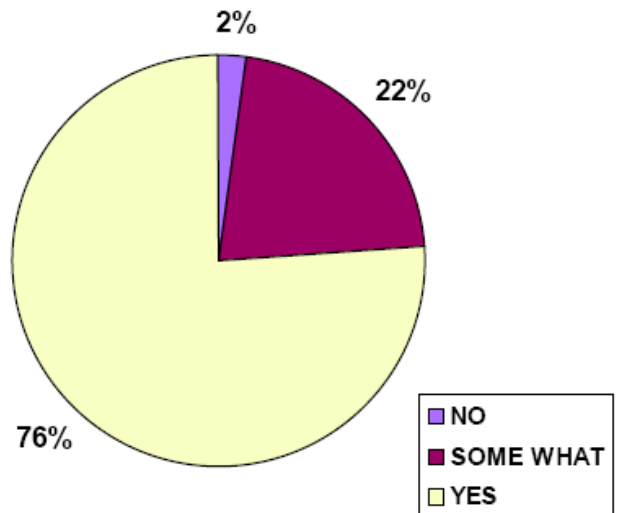
Would You Attend More WASHTO-X EVENTS?



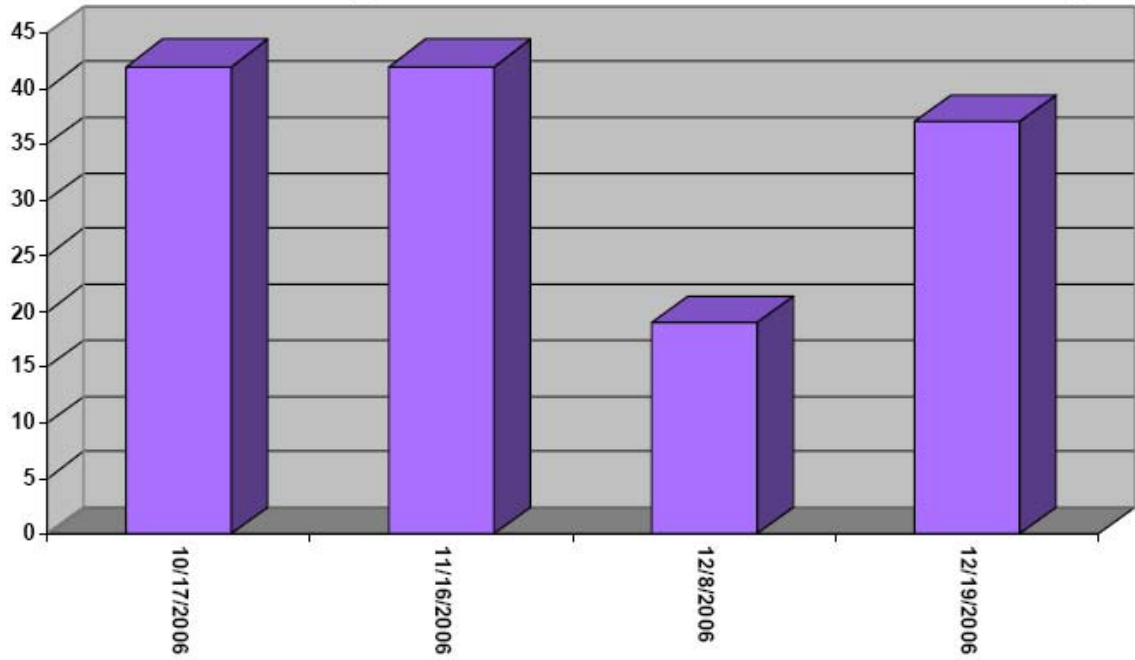
Do you Plan to Make Changes and/or Modify the Way You Do Business?



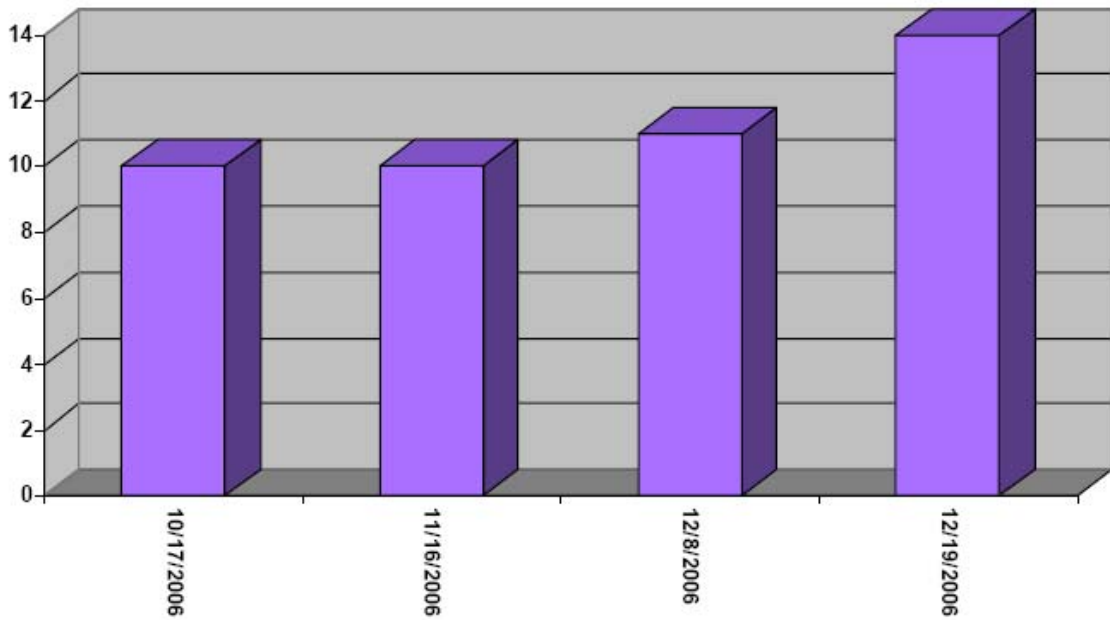
Has This Video Conference Expanded your Network of Contacts, Resources or Sources of Information?

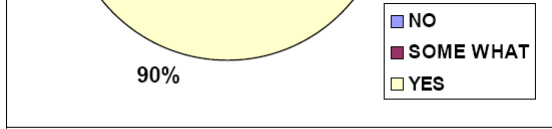


Number of Registered Attendees at Workshops



Number of Registered Sites at Workshops





Graphical Over View of WASHTO-X Evaluations (January 2005 - March 2005)

