State Planning and Research Program
Quarterly Report

PROJECT TITLE:
TPF-5(215) Transportation Engineering and Road Research Alliance (TERRA)

OBJECTIVES: The main objectives of the TERRA is to:

· Guide future pavement research investments and activities;
· Exchange information, share ideas, and learn research results;
· Develop relationships, and provide a network for expanded collaboration and development of proposals;
· Attract key public, industry, academic and other program partners to contribute resources;
· Expand entrepreneurial use of the capacity and capabilities of the MnROAD facility by pursuing opportunities to serve a broader research community.

PERIOD COVERED:
January 1, 2011 – March 31, 2011

PARTICIPATING AGENCIES:
MN, MI, ND, NY, WI, LRRB

PROJECT MANAGER:	**SP&R PROJECT NO**:	PROJECT IS:
Maureen Jensen **LEAD AGENCY**: Mn/DOT **PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR**:	TPF-5 (215)	____ Planning _X_ Research & Development

ANNUAL BUDGET:	**PROJECT EXPENDITURES TO DATE**:
$20,000 from the pooled fund. TERRA has additional funding outside the pooled fund	• $19,285.71

WORK COMPLETED:
Board Meeting held. All subcommittees met. The annual highlights document, the concrete overlays fact sheet, and updates to the program one-pager were completed. Committees on Marketing, Research and engagement met to develop FY 12 action plans. Research Committee held a webinar on pavement rehabilitation need to further develop the problem statements submitted by RoadScience and MAPA. 2011 Pavement Conference was held. Planning for Innovation series began.

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES EXPECTED TO BE PERFORMED NEXT QUARTER:

1. Meetings for the subcommittees
2. Request for research ideas
3. Additional Fact Sheets, E-news will be developed and disseminated
4. Planning for the TERRA Innovation Series will continue

STATUS AND COMPLETION DATES:
Products from TERRA can be found on:
http://www.terraroadalliance.org/