Period Covered: (Quarterly Report- January 1 – March 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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Principal Investigator: Doyt Y. Bolling		
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Annual Budget	Multi Year Project	
Budget for FY-2003-2004: \$80,300.00	Budget for Project as of March 30, 2005: \$0.00	
Estimated Budget for 2005: \$ 55,000.00	Accrued Cost of Project as of December 30,	
Phase 2 Budget for 2006: \$50,000.00	2005 - \$ 55,000.00	
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## WORK COMPLETED:

The contract for continuation of the WASHTO-X Program - Phase 2 was executed January 5, 2006. A web conference was conducted with project stakeholders January 17, 2006 to discuss the changes to the program contract and re-emphasize the responsibilities of those carrying out the program. The Final Report for the initial phase is posted on the WASHTO-X website. Two events were scheduled and conducted during this quarter. The two events covered the topics of: Strategic Highway Safety Plans and Experiences in Implementation of Calculated Scour Results. 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. Topics for the next six months were solicited and posted on the WASHTO-X website. A CD/DVD library of past events was complied for each participating State DOT.

Phase 2 Budget 2006-2007: \$100,000.00

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

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES EXPECTED TO BE PERFORMED NEXT QUARTER PROVIDED A CONTRACT IS EXECUTED FOR CONTINUATION OF THE PROGRAM:

Post and Conduct events for the next three months of 2006.

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.

STATUS AND COMPLETION DATE: Percentage of work completed to date for Phase 2 of the Project is: 15 % complete
Initial Project Completed: December 31, 2004

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's and Washington DOT (soft match). Funds from the LTAP program have been contributed for the participation of LTAP/TTAP Centers in the program.

See attachment for analysis of participants' responses.

## Graphical Over View of WASHTO-X Evaluations (January 2006 - March 2006)











