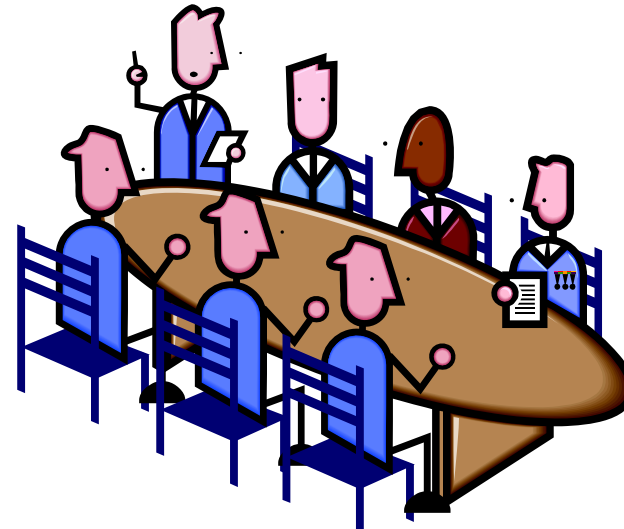

Program Management and Quality

Task Force Report

Members

- Michael Bonini (PA), TF Co-Chair
- David Jared (GA), TF Co-Chair
- R1: Glenn Roberts (NH)
- R2: Mike Sanders (SC)
- R2: Don Williams (WV)
- R3: Tommy Nantung (IN)
- R3: Linda Taylor (MN)
- R4: Clint Adler (AK)*
- R4: Ned Parrish (ID)
- R4: Dave Huft (SD)*



* New member

Affiliates and Friends

- Steve Bower (MI)
- Sue Sillick (MT)
- Camille Crichton-Sumners (NJ)
- Barbara Harder, B.T. Harder
- Chris Hedges, TRB
- David Kuehn, FHWA
- Martin Pietrucha, Penn State Univ.



“A friend in need is a friend indeed”

Accomplishments



- NCHRP Product Implementation
 - Assisting TRB and consultant with survey to identify common characteristics of successful implementation

 - Research Problem Identification Practices
 - Survey of state DOT best practices completed
 - Academia survey vetted and pending distribution

 - New ad hoc advisory, subgroup
 - “National Programmatic Initiatives”
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Goals and Activities

- NCHRP Product Implementation

- Next Steps

- Complete survey of past PI's and panel members to identify common characteristics of successful implementation
 - Findings will be used to guide future NCHRP projects

- Coordination of Website Activities

- TKNTF: website support enquiry
 - FHWA/TRB: posting of FHWA webinars



Goals and Activities (Cont.)

- Intellectual Property (NCHRP 20-89)
 - Next Steps
 - Assist NCHRP panel with review of draft final report
 - Offer recommendations on implementing

 - Research Problem Identification Practices
 - Next Steps
 - Survey follow-up to get more info (*DOT case studies*)
 - Survey distribution to UTCs (*attitudes, perceptions, etc.*)
 - Distribute results to RAC community
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Goals and Activities (Cont.)

- Pending TF Subgroup: “Best Practices for Capturing Innovation”
 - Possible product: synthesis project
- New Ad Hoc Group: “National Programmatic Initiatives” (FHWA et al.)



Help Wanted



- Greater participation from all Task Force members, including appointment of a Secretary
 - Task Force subgroup activity leader, “Best Practices for Capturing Innovation” (interest expressed)
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Meetings

- Quarterly conference calls
 - 2nd Thursday of each month
 - 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. EST

- You're welcome to:
 - Listen in
 - Participate
 - Send your ideas on needs or opportunities
 - Contact David Jared (djared@dot.ga.gov) or Michael Bonini (mbonini@pa.gov)

