

Memphis Urban Area MPO Regional ITS Architecture Update Kick-Off Workshop

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Presentation Overview

- Overview of ITS
- ITS Architecture Development Process
- Existing Regional ITS Architecture
- Regional Boundaries and Stakeholders
- Regional Inventory and Needs

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What is ITS?

ITS is an acronym that stands for
Intelligent Transportation Systems

One definition of ITS:
The application of data processing and
data communications to surface
transportation to increase safety and
efficiency.

ITS Program Areas

- Traffic Management
- Traveler Information
- Emergency Management
- Maintenance and Construction Management
- Public Transportation
- Archived Data Management
- Commercial Vehicle Operations
- Vehicle Safety

ITS Applications

Traffic Management (Data Gathering)



**Flood Detection
and RWIS**



CCTV Cameras



**Video, Microwave, and Loop
Detection Systems**

ITS Applications

Traffic Management (Control)



Traffic Management Center



Arterial Signal Systems



Lane Control Systems



Ramp Meters

ITS Applications

Traffic Management (Roadside Traveler Information)



Dynamic Message Signs



Highway Advisory Radio

ITS Applications

Traffic Management (HELP Service Patrols)



HELP Service Patrols



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ITS Applications

Traffic Management (Electronic Payment)



Electronic Toll Collection



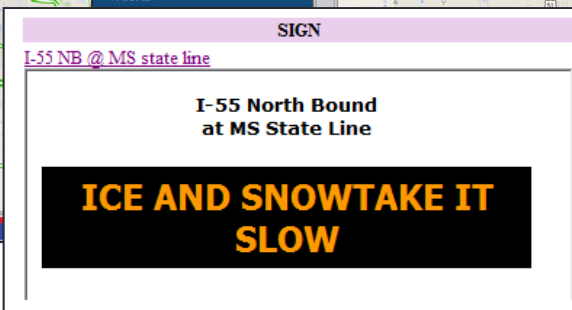
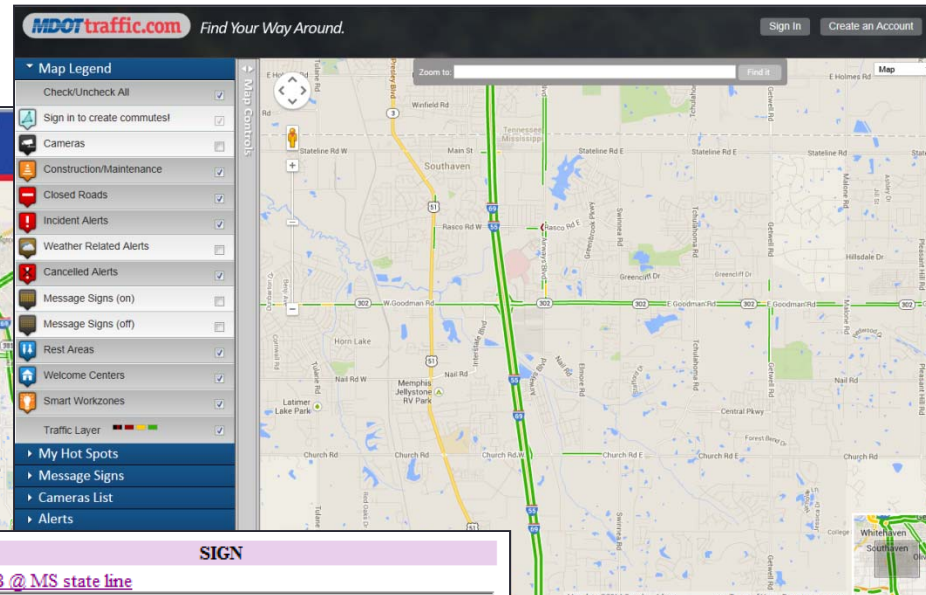
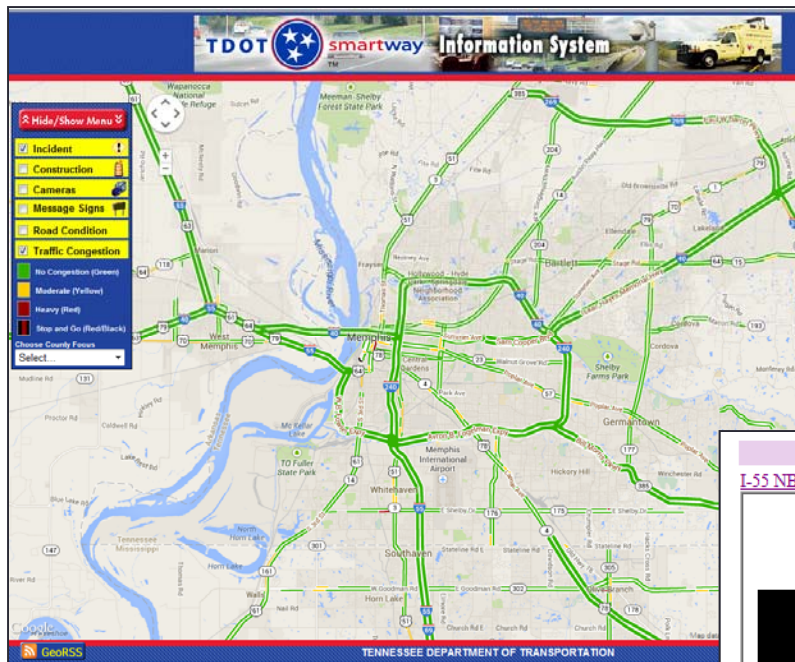
ITS Applications

Traveler Information



511 Traveler Information

Internet Sites

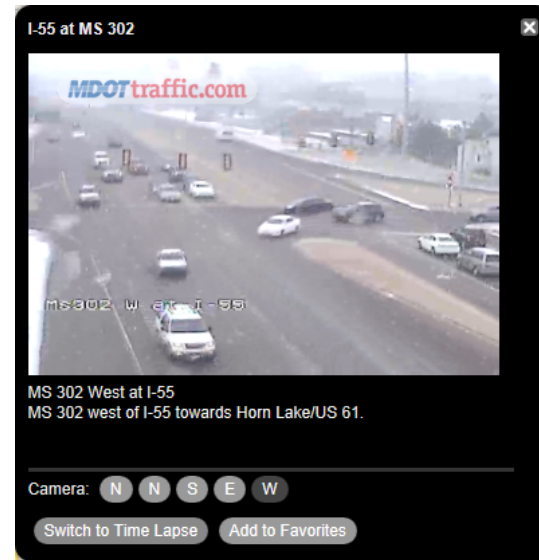


ITS Applications

Emergency Management



Computer-Aided Dispatch Systems



Video/Information Sharing



AMBER Alerts



Traffic Signal Preemption

ITS Applications

Maintenance and Construction Management



Flood Detection and Closure Systems



Smart Work Zones



Anti-icing Systems and Automated Snowplows

ITS Applications

Public Transportation



Automated Vehicle Location



Smart Fare Payment Systems



Video Security Systems



Real-Time Bus Arrival Information



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ITS Applications

Archived Data Management



Archived Data User Service



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ITS Applications

Commercial Vehicle Operations



Weigh-In-Motion



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ITS Applications

Vehicle Safety



Navigation Devices

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Intelligent Cruise Control

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**Lateral and Longitudinal Collision
Avoidance**

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On-Star



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ITS Benefits

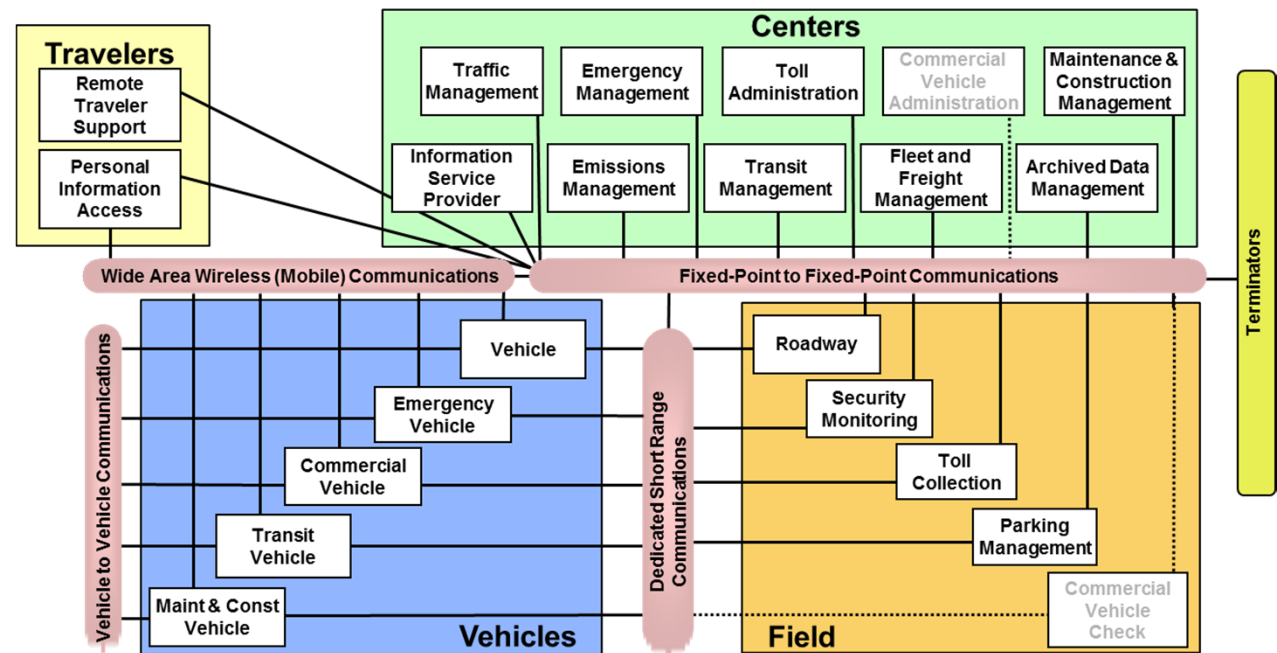
- Increased efficiency for roadway and transit users
- Enhanced incident management and special event management capabilities
- Improved safety for travelers, public safety, and maintenance personnel
- Accurate and timely traveler information for all roadway users

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What is a Regional ITS Architecture?

- A plan for implementing and operating ITS
- An ITS architecture defines:
 - Transportation needs
 - ITS solutions
 - Agencies to be connected
 - Projects to be deployed



ITS Architecture Requirements

- Description of the Region
- Identification of stakeholders
- ITS needs
- ITS services to implement
- Information flows between elements
- ITS standards
- Sequence of projects
- Maintenance plan

ITS Architecture Deadlines

- Federal Highway Administration Final Rule and Federal Transit Administration Final Policy from 2001
 - Regions deploying ITS must have a regional ITS architecture in place by April 2005
 - Regions with no ITS deployed must have a regional ITS architecture developed within 4 years after their first ITS project reaches final design
 - ITS projects receiving federal transportation funding must conform to a regional ITS architecture



Key Steps to Develop an ITS Architecture

Step
One

Identify ITS Inventory and Needs

Step
Two

Develop ITS Service Packages

Step
Three

Identify Projects for Deployment in the Region



Step
One

Identify ITS Inventory and Needs

- Inventory
 - Identify all existing and planned ITS components
 - Identify all existing and planned connections between components
- Needs
 - Identify transportation needs in the Region
 - Needs can be general or specific to ITS
 - Continually update needs list throughout the project

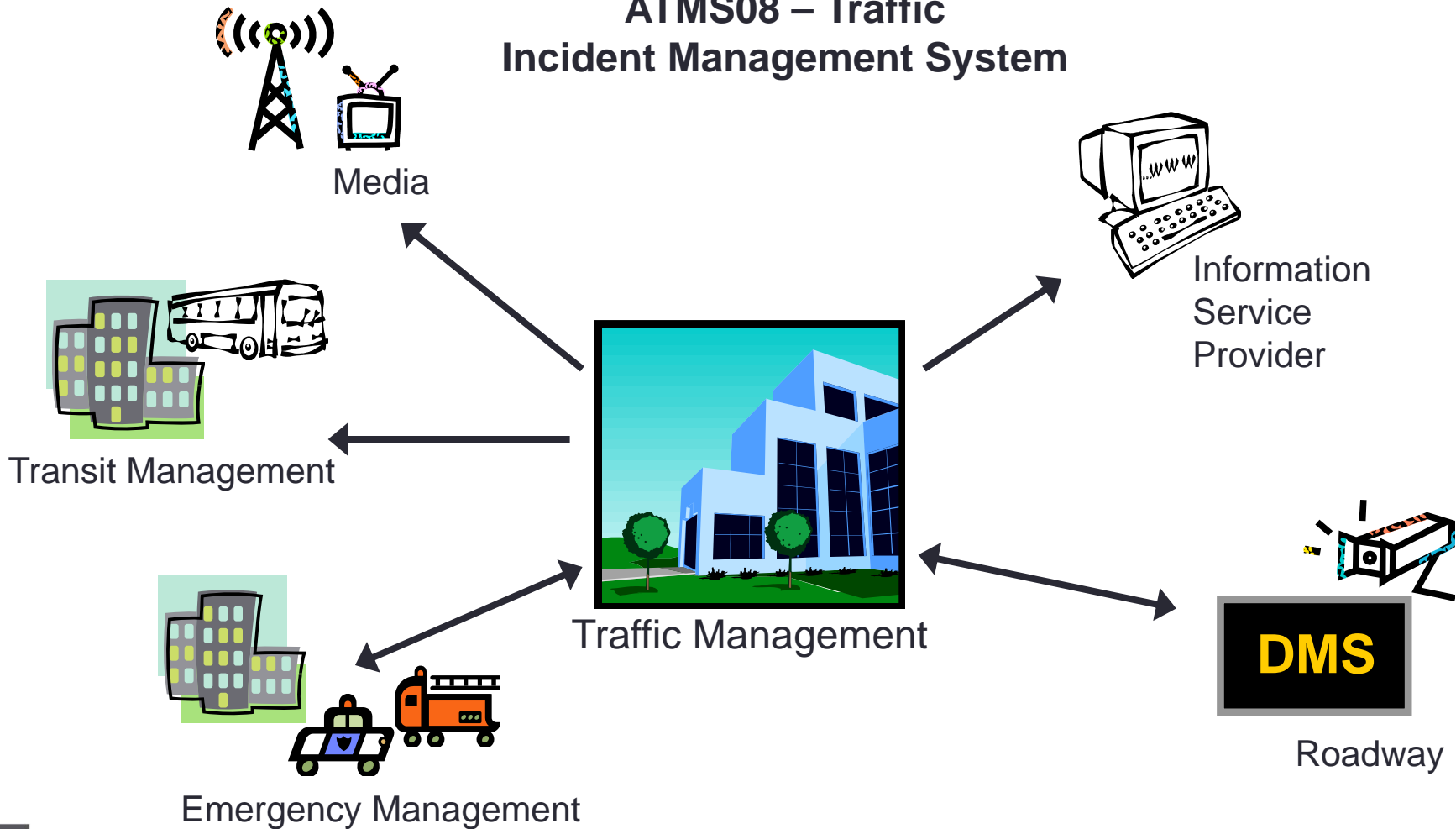
Step
Two

Develop ITS Service Packages

- ITS service packages describe how ITS is operated in the Region
- Common service packages:
 - Network Surveillance
 - Traffic Signal Control
 - Traffic Information Dissemination
 - Traffic Incident Management
 - Emergency Routing
 - Transit Vehicle Tracking
- A total of 97 service packages exist in the current version of the National ITS Architecture
- Memphis selected 44 ITS service packages in 2010

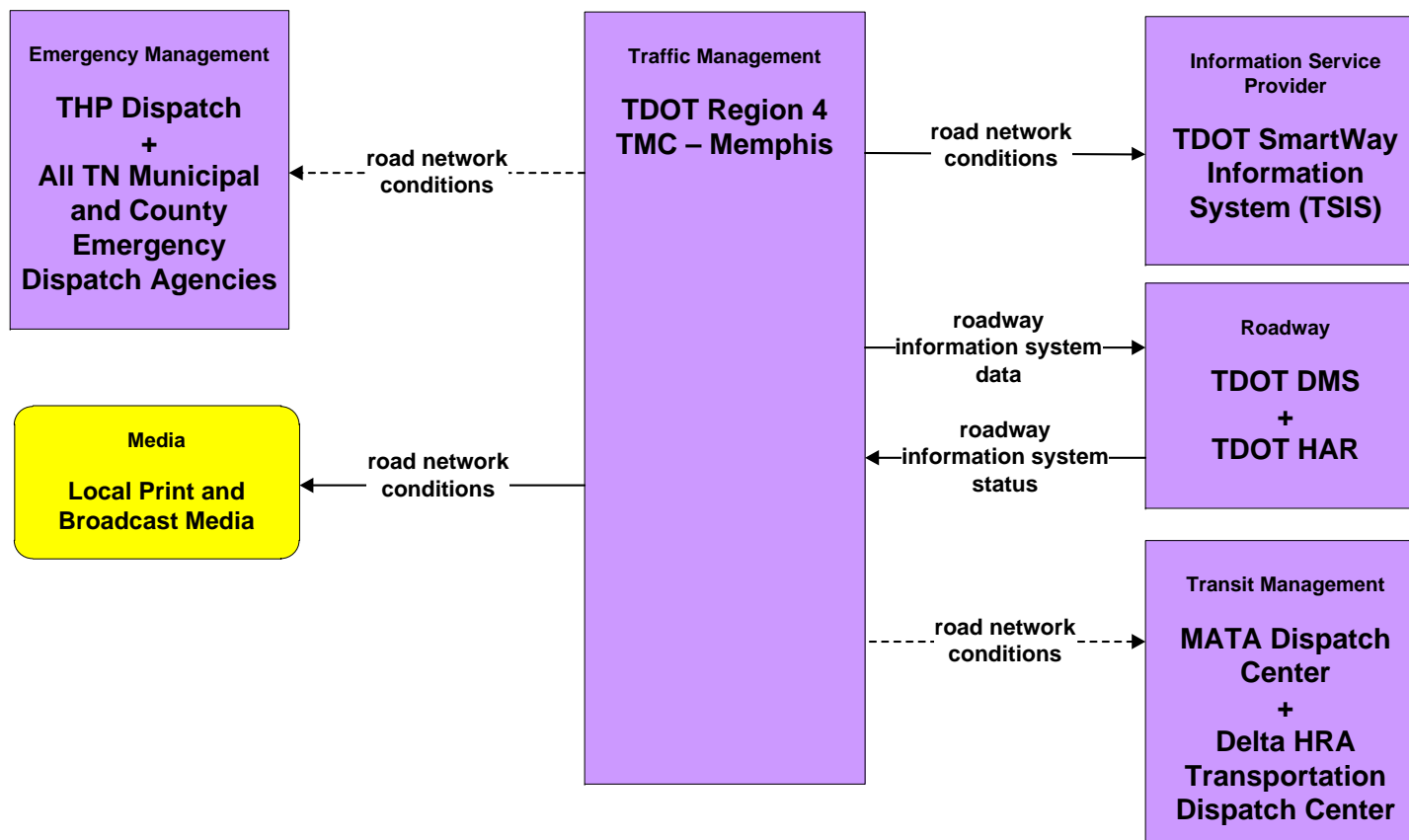
ITS Service Package Concept

ATMS08 – Traffic Incident Management System



ITS Service Package Concept

ATMS06 – Traffic Information Dissemination



Step
Three

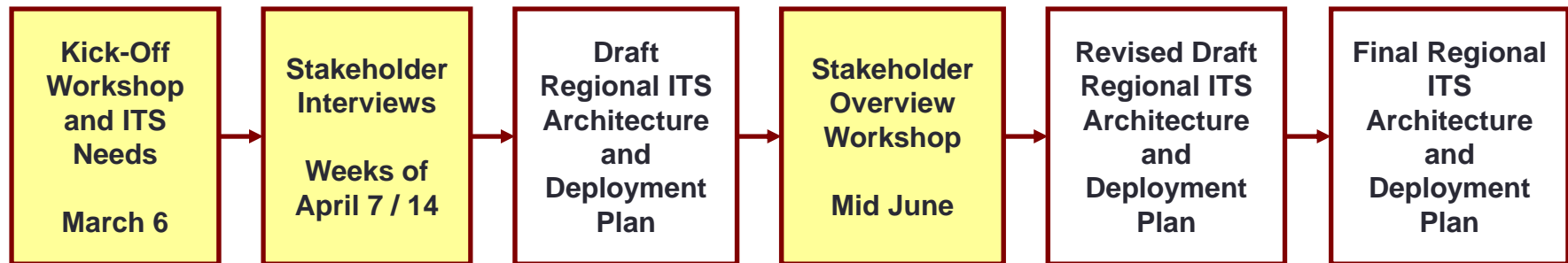
Identify Projects for Deployment in the Region

- Development of an ITS Deployment Plan for the Region
- Prioritizes projects into:
 - Short-term (next 5 years)
 - Mid-term (5 to 10 years)
 - Long-term (beyond 10 years)
- For each project the following information is included:
 - Project description
 - Responsible agency
 - Estimate of probable cost
 - Applicable service packages
- Does not guarantee funding of the projects

Benefits of an ITS Architecture and Deployment Plan

- Provides vision for ITS deployment and operations in the Region
- Supports resource sharing and interoperability of systems
- Supports long range planning through a phased plan for ITS deployment and integration
- Assists agencies in looking of federal funding opportunities
- Meets USDOT requirement that ITS projects funded with federal transportation funds conform to its regional ITS architecture

ITS Architecture Work Plan



Deliverables

- Regional ITS Architecture Update and Deployment Plan Report
- Executive Summary
- Turbo Architecture Database
(Version 7.0 of Turbo Architecture)
- Project Website

www.memphismpo.org/plans/safety-mobility/its

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Memphis Urban Area Regional ITS Architecture History

- First Regional ITS Architecture Plan completed in August 2002
 - Used National ITS Architecture Version 3.0
(Currently on Version 7.0)
 - Used Turbo Architecture Version 1.0
(Currently using Version 7.0)
- In 2010, the MPO completed the first update of the Regional ITS Architecture

Memphis Area Regional ITS Architecture Update

- Current effort will complete the Regional ITS Architecture update in August 2014
- Reason for update
 - Changes and additions to the National ITS Architecture
 - New stakeholder agency representatives in the Region
 - New ITS deployments in the Region
 - Updated Regional ITS Architecture important to meet ITS architecture conformity rule
 - Stakeholder set a goal to update the plan every 4 years

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Memphis Area Regional Boundaries

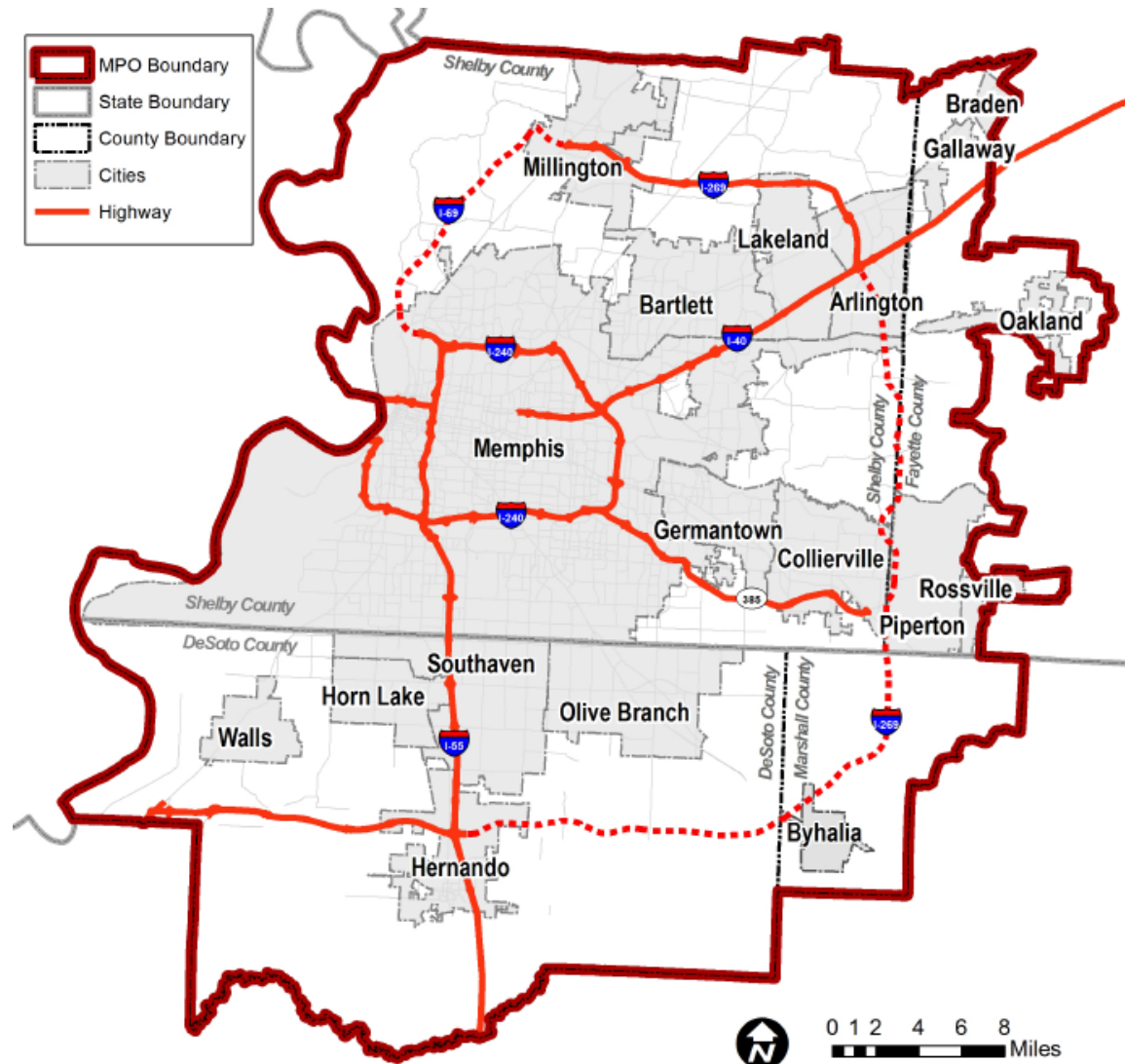
The regional boundaries have been defined as the boundaries of the Memphis Urban Area MPO

Shelby County, TN
Fayette County (Western Area), TN
DeSoto County (Northern Area), MS
Marshall County (Northwest Corner), MS

Connections will be added to all agencies outside the regional boundaries as appropriate

Memphis Urban Area ITS Architecture coordinated with the West Memphis and Northwest Mississippi ITS Architectures

Memphis MPO Boundaries



Memphis Area Regional ITS Stakeholders

CITIES & TOWNS

- City of Bartlett
- City of Braden
- City of Gallaway
- City of Germantown
- City of Hernando
- City of Horn Lake
- City of Lakeland
- City of Memphis
- City of Millington
- City of Olive Branch
- City of Piperton
- City of Southaven
- Town of Arlington
- Town of Collierville
- Town of Oakland
- Town of Rossville

COUNTIES

- DeSoto County
- Fayette County
- Marshall County
- Shelby County

TRANSIT

- Memphis Area Transit Authority
- Delta Human Resource Agency

STATE

- Arkansas Highway Patrol
- Arkansas State Highway & Transportation Department
- Mississippi DOT
- Mississippi Highway Patrol
- Tennessee DOT
- Tennessee Highway Patrol

FEDERAL

- Federal Highway Administration
- Federal Transit Administration
- US Coast Guard

MPOs

- Memphis MPO
- West Memphis MPO

OTHER

- Memphis-Shelby County Airport Authority
- International Port of Memphis

Additional Stakeholders

**Are there other stakeholders
that should be included?**

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Regional ITS Needs

- Traffic and congestion
- Incident management
- Traveler information
- Weather related issues
- Special events
- Evacuation
- Major construction projects
- Regional coordination challenges
- Other needs

Thank You!

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