**Document Summary** 

# TRAVEL TIME RELIABILITY: MAKING IT THERE ON TIME, ALL THE TIME

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## **Summary of the Work**

This is a brochure designed to provide a high-level understanding of travel time reliability and its impacts on the transportation system. It includes:

- A description of travel time reliability with explanatory figures
- An explanation of why travel time reliability is important and how it impacts travelers
- Measures used to quantify travel time reliability
- Steps required to develop travel time measures
- Case studies on how to develop travel time measures
- Some examples of travel time measurement

#### **Applied to Practice**

The brochure is oriented toward practitioners. It provides a basic understanding of travel time reliability and a series of high level steps to initiate a program. Examples are provided. While the brochure itself is probably too technical for public consumption, practitioners could use it to help communicate reliability information to the public.

#### **Related Work**

The following projects provide additional information:

- Traffic Congestion and Reliability Trends and Advanced Strategies for Congestion Mitigation – FHWA
- Urban Congestion Report FHWA
- Mobility Monitoring Program FHWA
- Urban Mobility Study Texas Transportation Institute
- SHRP 2 L05 Incorporating Reliability Performance Measures into the Transportation Planning and Programming Processes

### **Project Website**

http://ops.fhwa.dot.gov/publications/tt\_reliability/



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