

# Peer Exchange Discussions

- Discussion of three major topics on Day 1
  - Topic 1: Traveler Information in Work Zones
    - Nevada DOT: Lessons Learned Using Smart Work Zones for Automated Real Time Traveler Information
    - Michigan DOT: Lessons Learned on Redeveloping 511 Website
    - Minnesota DOT: Lessons Learned on Streamlining Internal Processes
  - Topic 2: Lane Closure Management
    - The Ownership, Maintenance, System Integration, Safety, and Physical Security Considerations for Smart Work Zone Equipment
    - Compliance of Work Zone Agency Policies
    - Variable Speed Limits in Work Zones
  - Topic 3: Technology in Work Zones
    - Connected Work Zone
    - FHWA Work Zone Data Initiative
    - Maryland DOT: Lessons Learned on Active Traffic Management System at I-895 Bridge Project
- Day 2 – Break out groups

# Maintenance-related takeaways

- Spare parts for smart work zone equipment
- Learning curve for equipment set up and maintenance
- Equipment maintenance is key in success/failure
- Outsourcing versus in house
  - Time limitations/resource limitations
  - Extracting data from equipment
  - QA/QC
- Work Zone Gaps/Issues by Capability Maturity Model Categories
  - Gap in Business Processes: Different schedules for project cycles and maintenance cycle
  - Gap in culture (Engaging diverse stakeholders): different levels/jurisdictions of maintenance staff