



Connected Corridors Face-to-Face Meeting

Tuesday, March 8th, 2016 – 1:30 – 3:30 pm
Caltrans D7 HQ

March 8th,
2016



Agenda

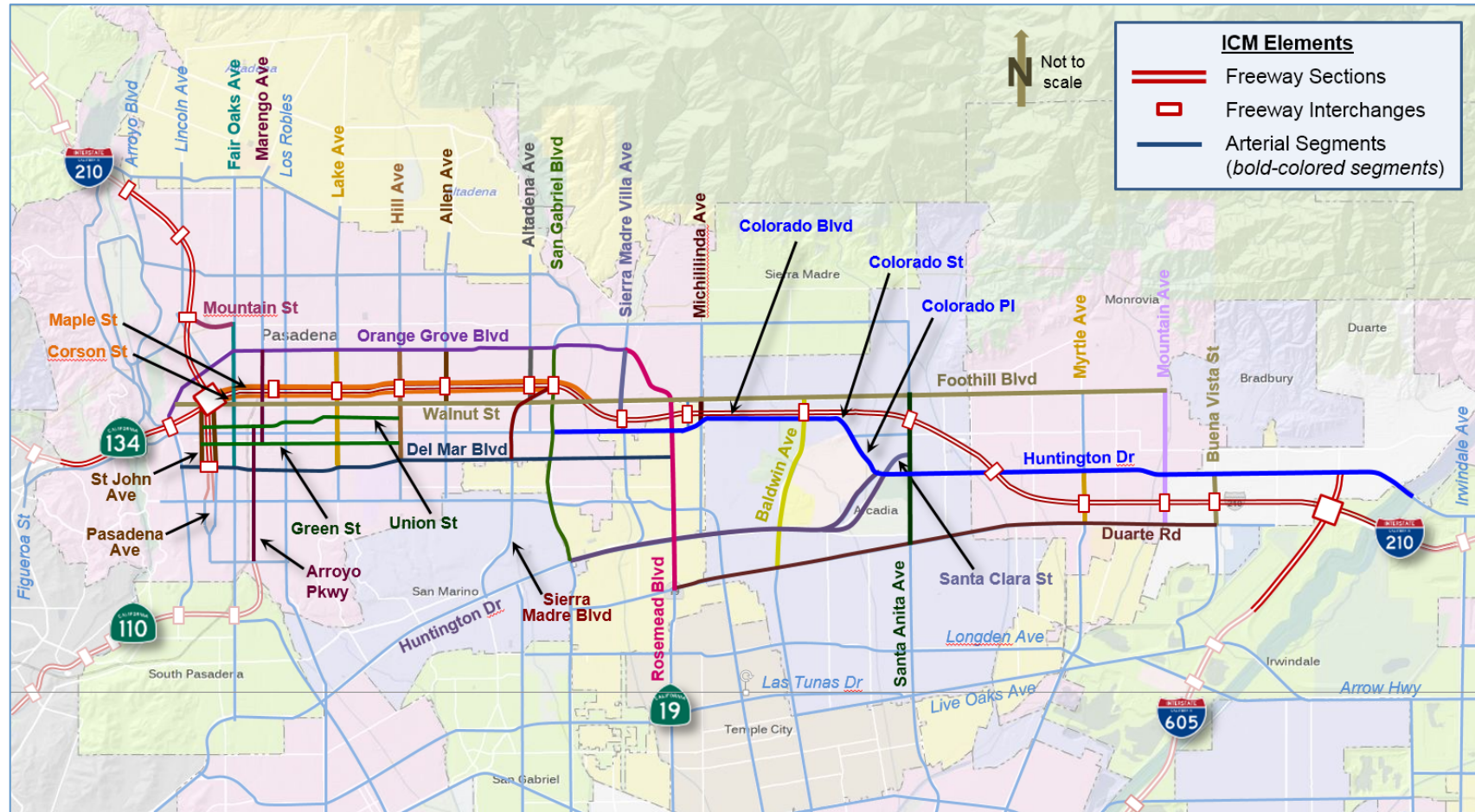
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- **Introductions**
- **Quick Summary**
- **Metro Funded Project Details**
- **Requirements Update**
- **High Level Design Preview**
- **Response Plans Design**
- **Before and After Evaluation**
- **Action Items and Closing**



Our Corridor: The I-210

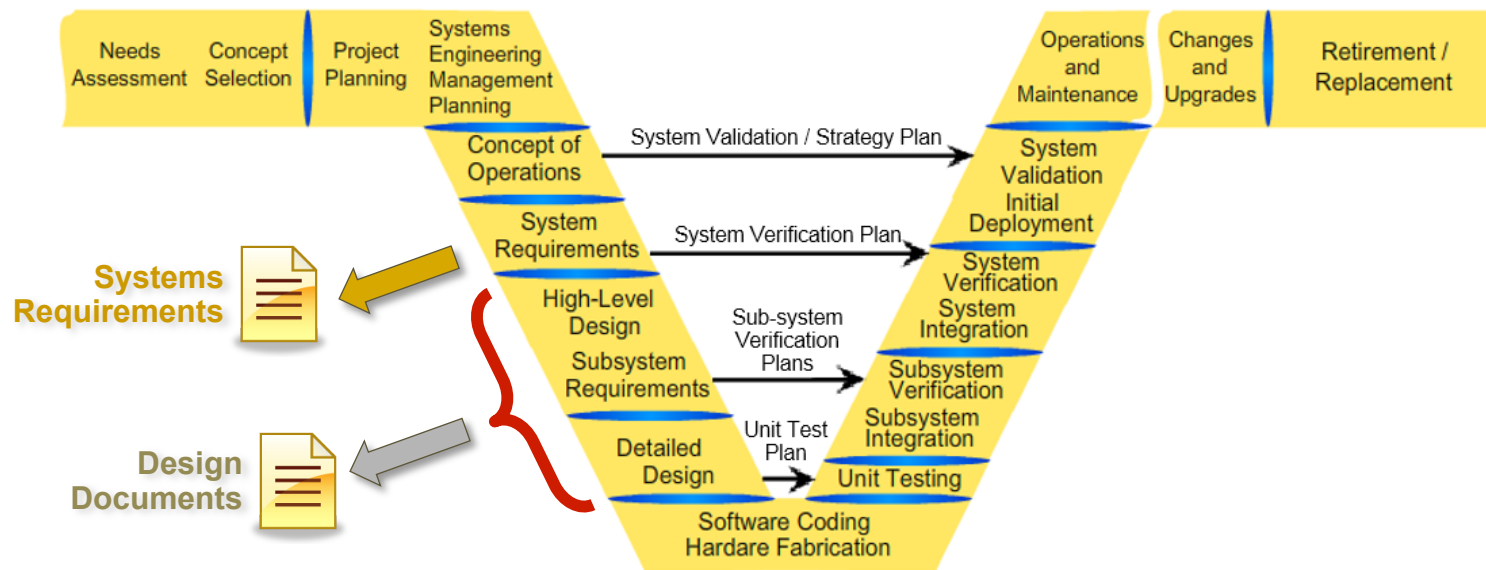
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Systems Engineering Next Steps

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- ❑ **Systems Requirements – What should the ICM system do**
- ❑ **Design Documents – How will the requirements be met**



Quick Summary



Quick Summary

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□ Outreach

- ▣ Connected Newsletter, meeting with MTC/D4/HQ, updating of web sites

□ Call for Projects

- ▣ Letter of No Prejudice Signed – Yes!
- ▣ Continuing to refine the exact definition and cost of both ITS elements and software

□ Requirements

- ▣ Reviews and updates under way – Over 400 comments so far, more expected

□ Architecture and High Level Design

- ▣ Meetings to be setup with County and Caltrans HQ management

□ Response Plan Generation

- ▣ Working on corridor models and rules

□ Before/After Evaluation

- ▣ Moving to Fall time frame – Possible month long evaluation in order to capture an incident



Schedule

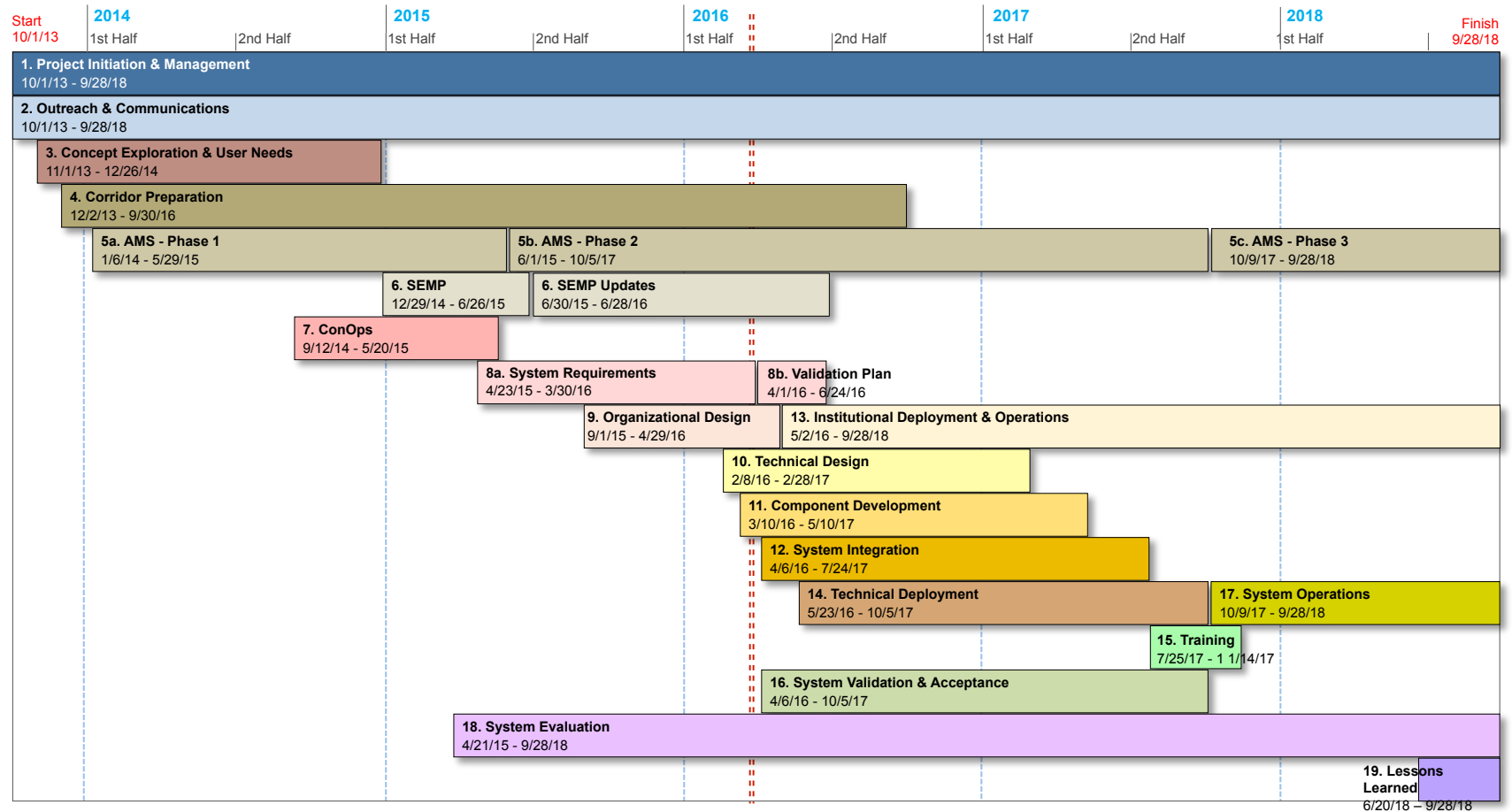
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- **Infrastructure work on corridor**
 - ▣ SHOPP – To be completed by end of 2017
 - ▣ Call for Projects Arterial Improvements - To be completed by mid 2018
- **Need to update launch schedule as appropriate**
- **Possible phasing of launch – Analysis required**
- **Updated schedule presented once High Level Design starts**



I-210 Pilot Schedule

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Metro Funded Projects Update

I-210 Arterial Call for Projects

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- ▣ Letter of no prejudice approved – Very good
- ▣ 500K to be transferred to County for IEN upgrades and integration
- ▣ Caltrans managed Call for Projects funds involves two very different procurement paths
 - Items requiring standard A&E process
 - Service items involving software and other types of services



Items requiring standard A&E process

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- ▣ Working with stakeholders to determine:
 - Current state of ITS elements
 - Desired upgrades
 - ▣ Agreeing on video where possible
 - Coming to agreement on small CMS signs at key intersections
 - ▣ Important because this is close to 2 Million of the funding
 - Costs of those elements
- ▣ Funding Agreement
 - Budget required by June as input to funding agreement
 - Funding Agreement expected to be approved by Sept of 2016
- ▣ Procurement
 - Project report will be completed by ?? for input to procurement
 - 6 months to post and award contracts –
 - ▣ Work should begin in 2017, Complete in 2018



Items requiring service contracts

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- ▣ Working with stakeholders to determine
 - Software upgrades
 - Firmware upgrades
 - Costs of those upgrades
- ▣ Funding Agreement
 - Budget required by June as input to funding agreement
 - Funding Agreement expected to be approved by Sept of 2016
- ▣ Procurement
 - Requirements to be generated by ?? for input to procurement
 - 3 months to post and award contracts
 - Work should begin in 2017
 - Complete in early 2018



Opportunity for additional sensing

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- **Sensys and Verizon would like to work with Connected Corridors stakeholders to trial sensing technology in the 210 corridor**
 - ▣ 24x7x365 archived and real time traffic volumes/counts, flow, and occupancy
 - ▣ Real-time color-coded congestion maps based on volume and/or occupancy
 - ▣ Detection system health monitoring and maintenance alerts
- **Metro invited PATH to the discussion and facilitated several phone calls**
- **PATH identified several locations where sensing would be useful to the CC project, where the Call for Projects funding was not providing sensing and where the Sensys/Verizon technology may work**
 - ▣ These are on Live Oak between Peck and Santa Anita
- **We wanted to see if County and Arcadia would be interested in exploring this possibility**

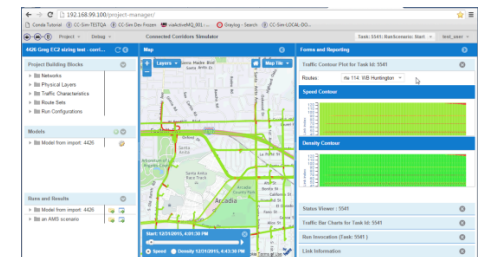
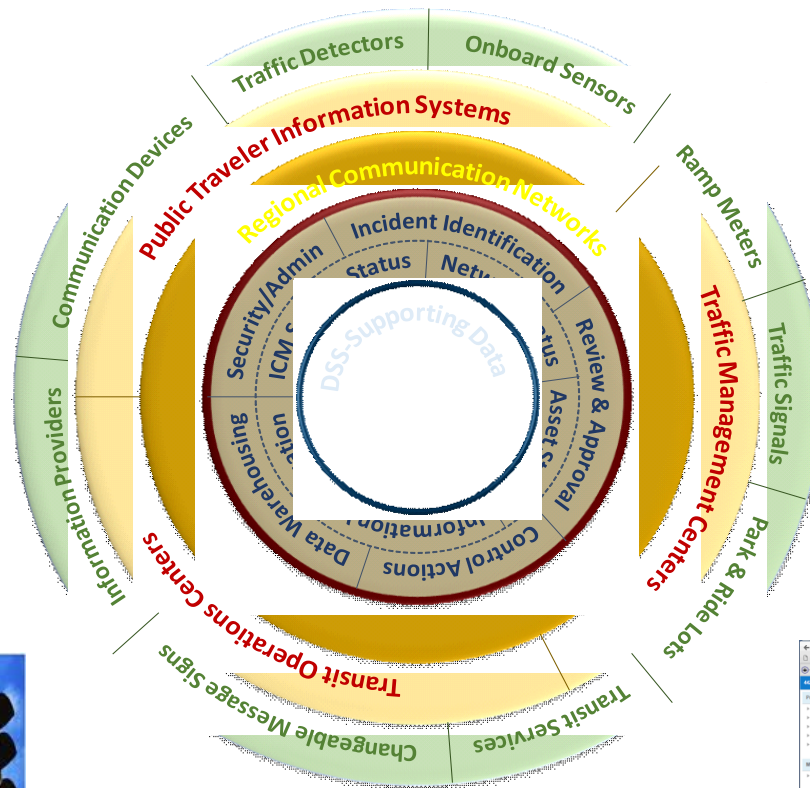


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Requirements/Constraints Definition

Our System – People, Organizations, Hardware and Software

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Requirements Document

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Connected Corridors: I-210 Pilot Integrated Corridor Management System

High-Level System Requirements (Draft)

January 11, 2016



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Requirements - Current Status

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□ Cities

- ▣ Arcadia – In person review, awaiting comments
- ▣ Pasadena – In person review, awaiting comments
- ▣ Duarte – Setting up meeting
- ▣ Monrovia – Setting up meeting

□ Caltrans D7

- ▣ Maintenance – In review
- ▣ Ramp Metering - In review
- ▣ Signals – Reviewed and no comments
- ▣ TMT & LCS – Comments received
- ▣ TMC Operators – Comments received
- ▣ TMC Support – Comments received
- ▣ Office of ITS – Comments Received

□ Caltrans HQ

- ▣ Maintenance – Follow up planned
- ▣ PEMS – Follow up planned
- ▣ Signals – Follow up planned
- ▣ TMT & LCS – Follow up planned
- ▣ Office of Technology – Comments Received

□ Metro – Comments Received

□ County – Comments Received

□ CHP – Comments Received

□ PIOs – Sent summary, awaiting comments

□ Safety – Sent summary, awaiting comments



Requirements

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- ❑ **We have received over 400 comments on the requirements.**
- ❑ **We have processed about 100 at this point**
- ❑ **We expect it will take two more weeks to process the comments**
- ❑ **Awaiting additional comments**



Themes of the comments

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- ❑ **Not much disagreement with the basic requirements**
 - ❑ Some questions on inclusion of non software requirements and of introductory material
- ❑ **Concern about the ability to implement requirements**
- ❑ **Concern about interfacing of Caltrans systems to the ICM system**
- ❑ **Questions on Role of Transit and Parking**
- ❑ **Questions on Metrics**
- ❑ **Quite a few grammar and wording comments**



Review Schedule

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- **General Release – Jan 26th**
- **First Round Comments due – Feb 26th**
 - ▣ Summary and Generic
 - ▣ Detailed as desired
- **Updated Document – March 18th**
- **Second Round Comments due – April 15th**
 - ▣ All sections
- **Final Release – May 9th**



Caltrans Office of Technology



Office of Technology

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- Continued participation with the DCCM DSS RSCS
- Coordination meetings with HQ IT
- Research on Data Hub
- TMS Pilot Corridor Reporting Coordination





High Level Design

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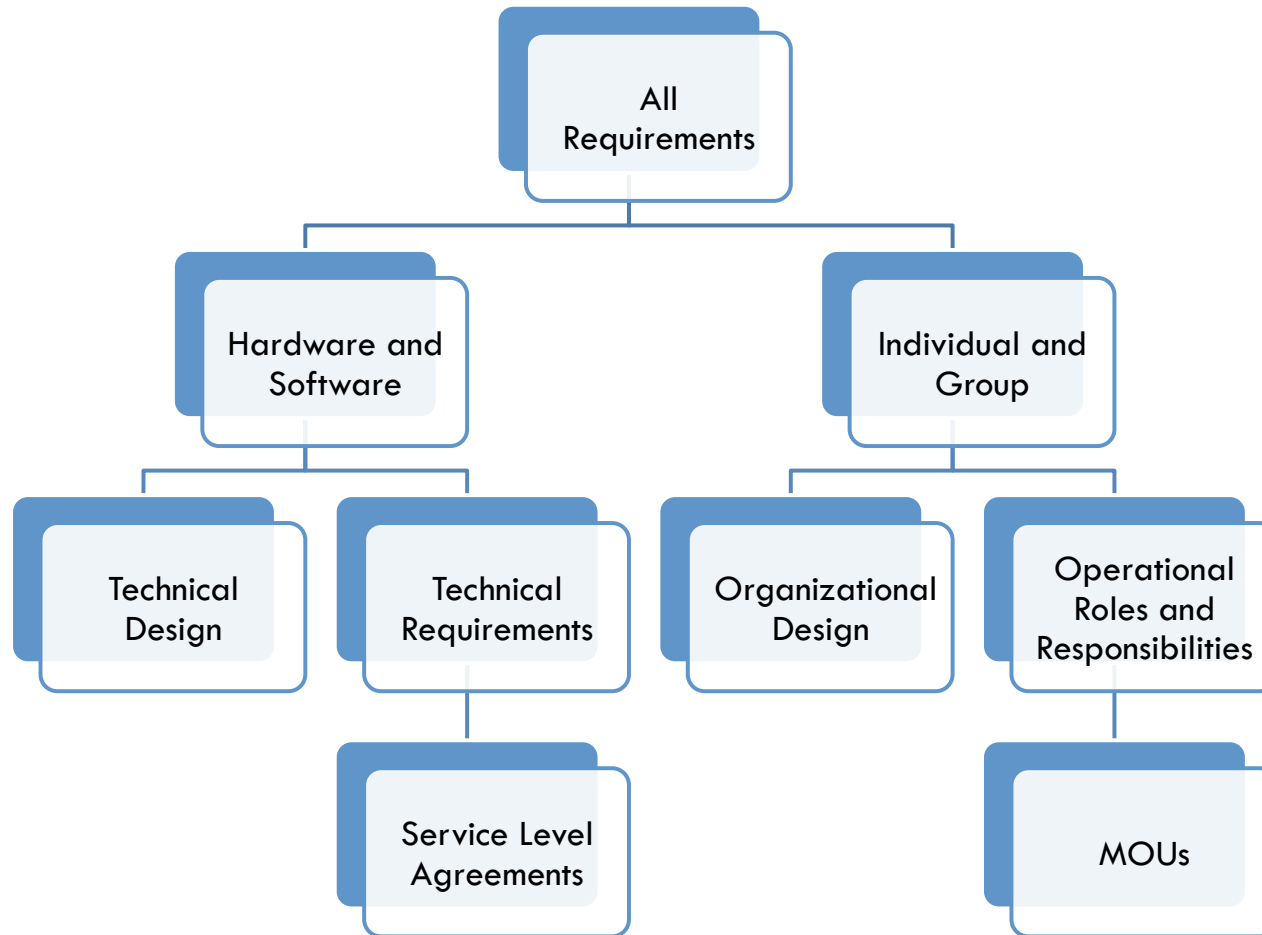
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- **Purpose - Map requirements to actual high level system components**
 - ▣ Defines the major components of the system
 - Organizations
 - Roles
 - Software Systems
 - Hardware Systems
 - ▣ Defines which components exist versus which ones need to be acquired
 - ▣ Defines high level data to be exchanged between components
 - ▣ Defines strategies for how components will communicate with each other
 - ▣ Defines who is responsible for each component
 - ▣ Guided by System Engineering Management Plan



High Level Design

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High Level Design – Manual and Automated

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□ Design of Manual Components

- Organizational structures
- Role definitions
- Ownership/management of organizations and personnel
- High level processes for communication and decision making

□ Automated Components

- Software
- Hardware
- Ownership
- Communication, data management and process flows



High Level Design – Gap Analysis

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- **Map requirements to components**
- **Map components to owners who will provide the components**
 - ▣ Existing
 - ▣ Existing requiring modifications
 - ▣ New
- **Perform gap analysis**
 - ▣ Components with no owners
 - ▣ Components with owners but no resources to actually provide components



SEMP Guidance

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- ❑ **ITS National and Regional Architectures**
- ❑ **Integration Approach**
 - ▣ Horizontal integration - Specialized components responsible for enabling communication between other components
 - ▣ Corridor Manager and Data Functionality requirements
- ❑ **Multi-Phase Integration**
- ❑ **Configuration Management**
 - ▣ Creation of a Bill of Materials that contains all system components and is gradually made more granular as design and implementation occur



High-level Architecture

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System Architecture Tools

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- **Need a set of tools for:**

- ▣ Capturing and documenting the system architecture and high level design
- ▣ Providing a documentation trail
- ▣ Future Update of the Regional Architecture
- ▣ Corridor Staff Training

- **Would like the tools to be:**

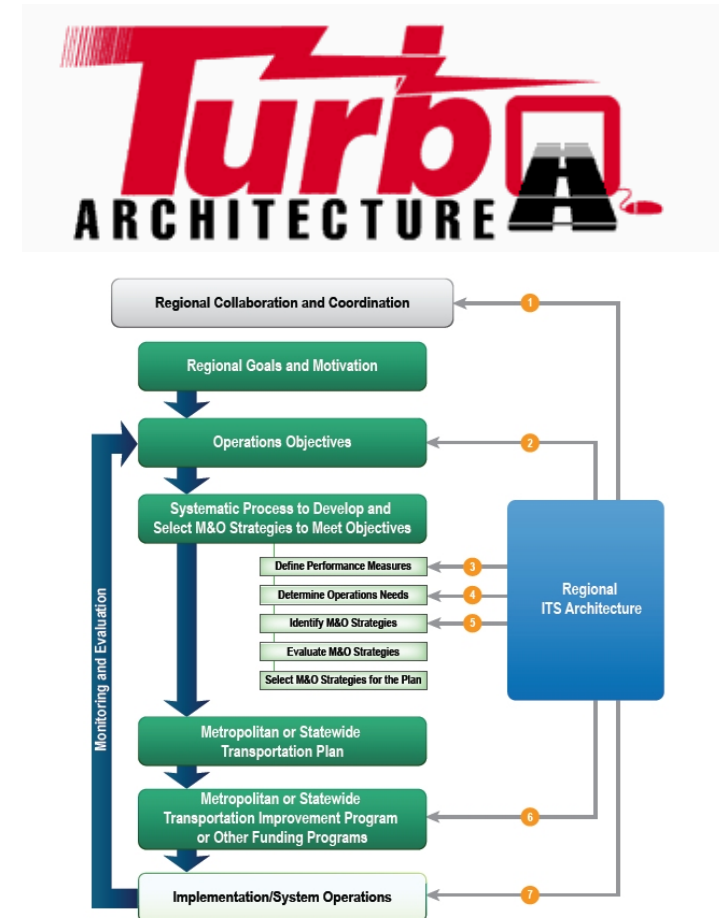
- ▣ An agreed upon standard
- ▣ Widely used
- ▣ Appropriate for our system needs



Proposed Development Tool: Turbo Architecture

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- ❑ FHWA supported tool for Regional ITS Architecture development
- ❑ Can be used for project system architecture development
- ❑ Addresses all the considerations presented
- ❑ Flexible reporting and diagram capabilities allow all project agencies to benefit without the need for Turbo training
- ❑ Well supported:
 - ▣ In widespread use; well documented
 - ▣ Local FHWA office is supportive and offering Technical Assistance



Response Plans



Decision Support and Response Planning

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- **Key Principle:** Decisions will be based on measureable, quality data
- **Decision Support needed for:**
 - ▣ Planning incident responses
 - ▣ Choosing incident responses in real time
 - ▣ Post incident analysis
- **Decision Support capabilities include:**
 - ▣ Data Quality Determination and Management – PEMS and Berkeley Tools
 - ▣ Signal Synchronization Tools – Synchro and possibly others like TranSync
 - ▣ Demand determination – Berkeley tools
 - ▣ Modeling – Aimsun
 - ▣ Rules Engines – Drools
 - ▣ Performance Metrics – PEMS and Berkeley tools



Response Plan Meetings

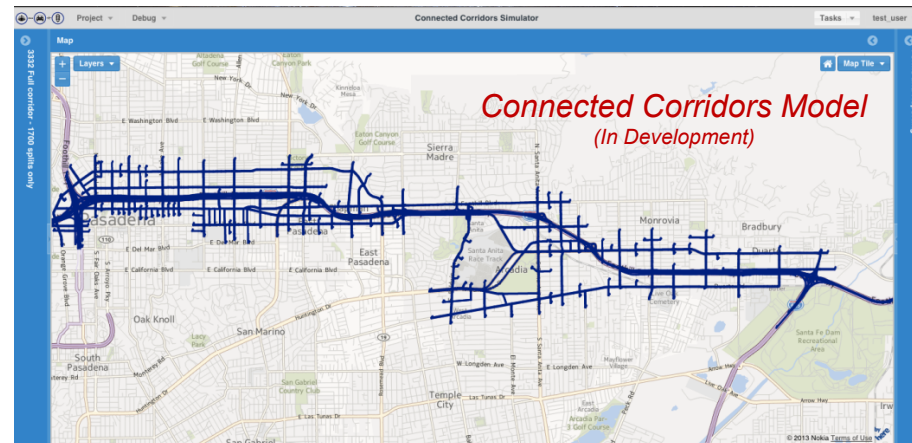
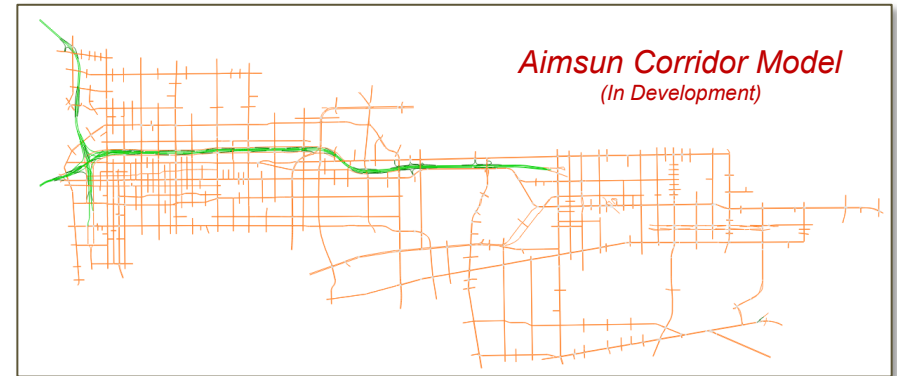
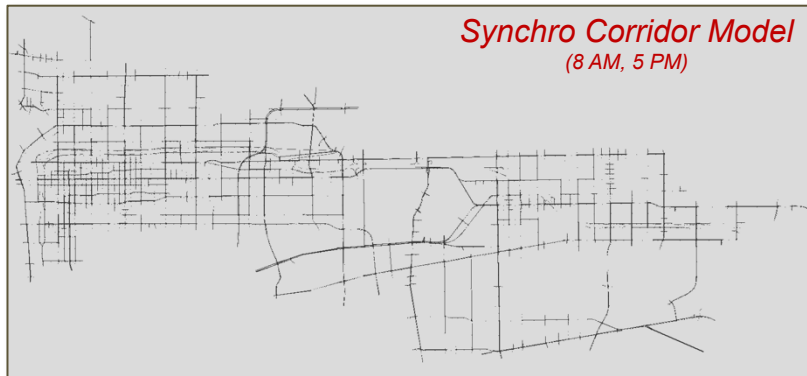
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- ❑ **Samson, Raj, Francois, Tom Choe, Tarek Hatata met to continue planning out response plans for review with stakeholders**
- ❑ **Next Meeting on March 24th**
- ❑ **In three months we plan to be:**
 - ▣ Running simulations
 - ▣ Running response plan scenarios
 - ▣ Running data quality analysis for freeway
 - ▣ Executing reasonably complex rules
 - ▣ Using rules to define simpler response plans
- ❑ **Plan to integrate with Samson's "Human ICM"**
- ❑ **Plan to integrate with Tadeo's Corridor Health Management**



Models used as part of I-210 Pilot

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Rule Types Identified in the Requirements

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- **Existence of an Incident**
- **Severity of an Incident**
- **Zone of Influence of an Incident**
- **Special Limitations**
- **Response Plan Components**
- **Building Response Plans from Components**
- **Selecting a Response Plan for Implementation**
- **Implementing a Response Plan**
- **Ending a response plan**



Rules Engine

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□ We are using DROOLS

- Open source Business Rules Management System (BRMS) solution.
- It provides a core Business Rules Engine (BRE), and a web authoring and rules management application (Drools Workbench)

The screenshot displays the Drools Workbench Guided Rule Editor. The interface is divided into several sections: 'EXTENDS' (set to 'None selected'), 'WHEN' (containing two conditions), and 'THEN' (containing two actions). The 'WHEN' section includes a condition 'There is a LoanApplication [app]' and a sub-condition 'Any of the following are true:'. This sub-condition contains two conditions: 'There is an Applicant with: creditRating equal to OK' and 'There is an Applicant with: creditRating equal to Sub prime'. The 'THEN' section includes two actions: 'delete LoanApplication [app]' and 'Set value of LoanApplication [app]'. The 'Set value' action has two fields: 'approved' (set to 'false') and 'explanation' (set to 'Only AA'). The interface also features a navigation bar at the bottom with tabs: 'Build Running', 'Data Modeller', 'Limited Decision Table', 'Guided Decision Table', 'Guided Rule Editor' (selected), and 'Test Running'. A zoom-in instruction 'Click on the image to zoom in' is visible above the navigation bar.

EXTENDS: None selected

WHEN:

- There is a LoanApplication [app]
- Any of the following are true:
 - There is an Applicant with:
 - creditRating equal to OK
 - There is an Applicant with:
 - creditRating equal to Sub prime

THEN:

- delete LoanApplication [app]
- Set value of LoanApplication [app]
 - approved: false
 - explanation: Only AA

(show options...)

Click on the image to zoom in

Build Running | Data Modeller | Limited Decision Table | Guided Decision Table | **Guided Rule Editor** | Test Running



Rules Capture

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Correlation key

Form

I-1210direction (E,W)

I-210 Postmile

Current corridor demand level

Incident start time

Incident duration (minutes)

demandlevel (Incident)

duration (Incident)

i210direction (Incident)

i210postmile (Incident)

incidentstarttime (Incident)

Severity rating:

duration <= 30	duration > 30	Low demand	Medium demand	Severity 0	Severity 1	Severity 2	Severity 3
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Action Items and Next Meeting Time



**Thank
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