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1.0 Introduction

The U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT) defines Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) as "the electronics, communications or information processing used singly or integrated to improve the efficiency or safety of surface transportation." ITS encompasses a broad array of systems and information processing and communications technologies, which help improve surface transportation safety and mobility and contribute to economic growth.

Demands on our transportation systems continue to increase. Integrating ITS technologies into our transportation systems enable people and goods to move more efficiently and safely. In addition, a deployed ITS network can archive traffic data that can assist and enhance the congestion management process.

ITS includes a broad range of diverse technologies that focus on both the transportation infrastructure and vehicle, as well as integrated applications between the two. These technologies include information processing, communications, electronics, and traffic control. Examples include electronic toll collection, in-vehicle navigation systems, and dynamic message signs.

1.1 PURPOSE

The Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (TEA-21) legislation includes reference to the need to work toward regionally integrated transportation systems. TEA-21 states that all ITS projects funded with highway trust funds should be consistent with the National ITS Architecture and appropriate ITS standards. In January 2001, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) published Rule 940 (23 CFR Part 940), and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) published a companion policy, to implement TEA-21’s Section 5206(e). In order to conform to this rule/policy, a regional ITS architecture is developed using the National ITS Architecture, but tailored to meet local needs. Future ITS projects, then, must adhere to the developed regional ITS architecture. Additionally, Section 1201.c of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU) legislation requires State and local governments to address information needs and data exchanges associated with highway and transit information and monitoring systems when developing or updating their regional ITS architectures.

A regional ITS architecture is a beneficial tool for planning the regional integration of transportation systems. Specifically, a regional ITS architecture can enhance regional planning by bringing together a diverse array of agencies and governments to discuss future transportation needs and how ITS can help meet those needs.

1.2 ITS ARCHITECTURE

An ITS architecture defines a framework within which ITS can be built. The architecture functionally defines what the ITS pieces are, what the interconnections among the ITS pieces are, and what the information is to be exchanged among those ITS pieces. A regional ITS architecture is a specific framework for ensuring institutional agreement and technical integration for the implementation of ITS projects in a particular region.

National ITS Architecture – The USDOT developed a National ITS Architecture to provide a common framework for planning, defining, and integrating ITS. The National ITS Architecture is available as a resource for any region and is maintained by the USDOT independently of any specific system design or region in the nation. The up-to-date National ITS Architecture (Version 6.1) is available on the National ITS Architecture website.2

Turbo Architecture™ – The USDOT developed the Turbo Architecture™ software application that uses the National ITS Architecture as a starting point to help regions develop their regional and project ITS architectures. The up-to-date Turbo


2 http://www.iteris.com/itsarch/
Architecture™ (Version 4.1), which supports National ITS Architecture Version 6.1, is available for free download from the National ITS Architecture website.3

The Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) recognizes the need to develop a Des Moines area regional ITS architecture to guide the development of ITS projects and programs, as well as to be consistent with ITS strategies and projects contained in transportation plans. The MPO coordinates the development of the Des Moines Area Regional ITS Architecture (Regional ITS Architecture) on behalf of its many regional stakeholders, including cities, counties, highway agencies, public safety agencies, transit operators, and other operating agencies, to ensure compatibility with National ITS Architecture Standards among local ITS technologies as well as to fully address regional ITS integration. The purpose of this report is to illustrate and to document regional integration of the Regional ITS Architecture.

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2.0 Background

The MPO recognizes that ITS architecture is important to all MPO member governments and participating agencies anticipating using federal funds to implement an ITS-related project. In December 1997, the Center for Transportation Research and Education (CTRE) at Iowa State University conducted and prepared the Des Moines Metropolitan Area ITS Strategic Plan. This ITS Strategic Plan, including deployment recommendations, has provided guidelines for developing ITS in the Des Moines metropolitan area.

Beginning in 2001, the MPO began the process of developing its Regional ITS Architecture. Using the National ITS Architecture (Version 5.0) as a resource, the MPO built its Regional ITS Architecture using the Turbo Architecture™ software (Version 3.0). The MPO adopted the Regional ITS Architecture in July 2004, and is available on the MPO’s website.4

During the reconstruction of Interstate 235 through the Des Moines metropolitan area, Iowa DOT consultant developed a Project-Level ITS Architecture for the Interstate 235 Reconstruction. The Iowa DOT consultant’s report, published in April 2002, is available on the MPO’s website. 5

METHODOLOGY

The MPO began the process of updating the adopted Regional ITS Architecture in September 2008, with assistance of the MPO member governments and participating agencies. The MPO staff sent each stakeholder an ITS survey form (Appendix A) to complete, and requested each stakeholder to submit their completed survey to the MPO. After completing the initial data entry of the survey responses into Turbo Architecture™ 4.0, the MPO staff compiled the updated data and information from the survey results, and presented the preliminary results to the Traffic Management Advisory Committee and other stakeholders (Section 3.4) for their review.

As the National ITS Architecture is continuously being maintained and updated, the Regional ITS Architecture needs to be continuously maintained and updated to be in compliance with the National ITS Architecture and to keep current with what is happening in the region.

4 http://www.dmampo.org/Publications/DMAITS/Index.html
5 http://www.dmampo.org/Publications/DMAITS/reports/I235ITSArch.PDF
3.0 Regional ITS Architecture

As a result of collaboration from participating governments and agencies, as well as input and comments from other stakeholders, the Regional ITS Architecture was developed.

3.1 REGION AND TIME

The MPO’s Planning Area Boundary serves to define the ‘region’ for this Regional ITS Architecture. Currently, there are 19 member governments, two (2) associate member, and six (6) advisory members of the MPO, including cities, counties, and other transportation agencies. Figure 1 illustrates the MPO’s current Planning Area. Several ITS elements included in the Regional ITS Architecture have services both inside and outside the MPO’s Planning Area. The Regional ITS Architecture included these elements because these elements have service within the region that could include ITS elements.

FIGURE 1. Horizon Year 2035 Des Moines Area MPO Planning Area.
The Regional ITS Architecture's timeline has a horizon of ten (10) years, or 2019. All projects contained in the Regional ITS Architecture have implementation/completion dates within this timeframe. This horizon year is included in the MPO's Horizon Year 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan and in the MPO’s Transportation Improvement Plan.

3.2 ITS DEVICE LOCATIONS

The Iowa DOT and its Traffic Management Center (TMC) provided the MPO with a map (Appendix B) identifying locations of ITS devices in the MPO’s Planning Area. The ITS devices include Dynamic Message Signs (DMS), Closed Circuit Television (CCTV), and traffic detectors (cameras and sensors).

3.3 SUBSYSTEMS

There are 22 subsystems in the National ITS Architecture that are grouped into four classes: Centers, Field, Vehicles, and Travelers. Various communications methods are involved when these subsystems are connected together. Figure 2 illustrates high-level interconnects among 12 subsystems in the Regional ITS Architecture.

FIGURE 2. Regional ITS Architecture Subsystems.
This subsystem diagram (Figure 2) depicts all subsystems within the Regional ITS Architecture and the basic communication channels among these subsystems. The following sections will provide more detail about these subsystems and their communications. Subsequent sections of this report contain detailed information about Stakeholders, Inventory, Market Packages, Interfaces, Agreements, and Standards used in the Regional ITS Architecture. A brief description of the included subsystems can be found in Table 1.

### TABLE 1. Description of Subsystems in the Regional ITS Architecture.

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<th>Class</th>
<th>Subsystem</th>
<th>Brief Description</th>
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<td>Centers</td>
<td>Traffic Management (TMS)</td>
<td>Monitors and controls traffic and the road network.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Emergency Management (EM)</td>
<td>Represents public safety, emergency management, and other allied agency systems that support incident management, disaster response and evacuation, security monitoring, and other security and public safety-oriented ITS applications.</td>
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<td>Maintenance and Construction Management (MCMS)</td>
<td>Monitors and manages roadway infrastructure construction and maintenance activities.</td>
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<td>Information Service Provider (ISP)</td>
<td>Collects, processes, stores, and disseminates transportation information to system operators and the traveling public.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Transit Management (TRMS)</td>
<td>Manages transit vehicle fleets and coordinates with other modes and transportation services.</td>
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<td>Field</td>
<td>Roadway Subsystem (RS)</td>
<td>Includes the equipment distributed on and along the roadway that monitors and controls traffic and monitors and manages the roadway itself.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Security Monitoring Subsystem (SMS)</td>
<td>Includes surveillance and sensor equipment used to provide enhanced security and safety for transportation facilities or infrastructure.</td>
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<td>Vehicles</td>
<td>Emergency Vehicle Subsystem (EVS)</td>
<td>Resides in an emergency vehicle and provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support safe and efficient incident response.</td>
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<td>Transit Vehicle Subsystem (TRVS)</td>
<td>Resides in a transit vehicle and provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support safe and efficient movement of passengers.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Maintenance and Construction Vehicle (MCVS)</td>
<td>Resides in a maintenance, construction, or other specialized service vehicle or equipment and provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Travelers</td>
<td>Remote Traveler Support (RTS)</td>
<td>Provides access to traveler information and supports security and safety monitoring of public areas.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Personal Information Access (PIAS)</td>
<td>Provides the capability for travelers to receive formatted traffic advisories from their homes, place of work, major trip generation sites, personal portable devices, over multiple types of electronic media.</td>
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3.4 STAKEHOLDERS

A stakeholder is an organization that owns and/or operates ITS system within the region. Stakeholders serve as key participants in developing and maintaining the Regional ITS Architecture. For the Regional ITS Architecture, the MPO staff identified all the member governments and several other agencies as the regional stakeholders. The following pages (Report 1) contain a list of the stakeholders included in the Regional ITS Architecture, accompanied with a stakeholder description and the associated elements for that stakeholder.

Report 1. Stakeholders

City of Altoona
Description: City of Altoona, Iowa
Altoona refers to Polk County Emergency Management Agency.

City of Ankeny
Description: City of Ankeny, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Ankeny Fire Department
Associated Element: City of Ankeny Public Works
Associated Element: City of Ankeny Public Works-MCO Vehicles

City of Bondurant
Description: City of Bondurant, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Bondurant EOC

City of Carlisle
Description: City of Carlisle, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Carlisle Public Works
Associated Element: City of Carlisle Public Works-MCO Vehicles

City of Clive
Description: City of Clive, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Clive EOC
Associated Element: City of Clive Public Works
Associated Element: City of Clive Public Works-MCO Vehicles

City of Des Moines
Description: City of Des Moines, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center
Associated Element: City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
Associated Element: City of Des Moines Traffic Operations Center
Associated Element: City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center-Emergency Vehicles
Associated Element: City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Associated Element: City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Field Devices
Associated Element: City of Des Moines Public Works-Roadside Equipment

City of Grimes
Description: City of Grimes, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Grimes Fire Department
Associated Element: City of Grimes Maintenance Shop
Associated Element: City of Grimes Fire Department-Emergency Vehicles
Associated Element: City of Grimes-MCO Vehicles

City of Johnston
Description: City of Johnston, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Johnston Public Works
Associated Element: City of Johnston Public Works-MCO Vehicles

City of Norwalk
Description: City of Norwalk, Iowa
Associated Element: City of Norwalk Public Safety
Associated Element: City of Norwalk Public Works
Associated Element: City of Norwalk Public Safety-Emergency Vehicles
Associated Element: City of Norwalk Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Pleasant Hill  
*Description:* City of Pleasant Hill, Iowa  
Pleasant Hill Fire Department refers to Polk County Emergency Management Agency.

City of Polk City  
*Description:* City of Polk City, Iowa  
City of Polk City refers to Polk County Emergency Management Agency.

City of Urbandale  
*Description:* City of Urbandale, Iowa  
Urbandale Emergency Management Center refers to Westcom Dispatch Center.  
*Associated Element:* City of Urbandale Engineering  
*Associated Element:* City of Urbandale Public Works  
*Associated Element:* City of Urbandale Public Works-MCO Vehicles

City of West Des Moines  
*Description:* City of West Des Moines, Iowa  
West Des Moines Emergency Management Center refers to Westcom Dispatch Center.  
*Associated Element:* City of West Des Moines Public Works  
*Associated Element:* City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles  
*Associated Element:* City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Field Devices

City of Windsor Heights  
*Description:* City of Windsor Heights, Iowa  
*Associated Element:* City of Windsor Heights Public Works  
*Associated Element:* City of Windsor Heights Public Works-MCO Vehicles  
*Associated Element:* City of Windsor Heights Public Safety

Dallas County  
*Description:* Dallas County, Iowa  
*Associated Element:* Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility  
*Associated Element:* Dallas County Emergency Management  
*Associated Element:* Dallas County Homecare Services  
*Associated Element:* Dallas County Homecare Services-Transit Vehicles  
*Associated Element:* Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles

Des Moines Area Regional Tranist Authority  
*Description:* Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority (DART) provides public transportation services for Polk County, Iowa.  
*Associated Element:* Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority  
*Associated Element:* Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority-Transit Vehicles

Iowa Department of Transportation  
*Description:* Iowa Department of Transportation (DOT)  
*Associated Element:* Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center  
*Associated Element:* Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages  
*Associated Element:* Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center  
*Associated Element:* Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center-Roadside Equipment  
*Associated Element:* Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles  
*Associated Element:* Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Field Devices  
*Associated Element:* Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center-Security Monitoring Field Equipment
Media

Description: Local media for travel and construction information distribution.
Associated Element: Media

Polk County

Description: Polk County, Iowa
Associated Element: Polk County Emergency Management Agency
Associated Element: Polk County Dispatch-Emergency Vehicles

Public

Description: General public.
Associated Element: User Personal Computing Devices

Transportation Management Association

Description: The Transportation Management Association (TMA) is a non-profit organization that focuses on transportation issues from the perspective of the commuter, the parker, the rider, the biker, the shopper, etc. Funding for the TMA comes from partnerships with the Des Moines Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), Downtown Community Alliance, City of Des Moines, and Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority (DART).
Associated Element: Transportation Management Association

Warren County

Description: Warren County, Iowa
Associated Element: Warren County Emergency Management

Westcom Dispatch Center

Description: Westcom is made up designated members of the City of Clive, Urbandale and West Des Moines by a 28E Agreement.
Stakeholders in this group:
City of West Des Moines City of Clive City of Urbandale
Associated Element: Westcom Dispatched

Associated Element: Westcom Dispatch Center
3.5 INVENTORY

Based on the ITS survey results, and with assistance from the stakeholders, the MPO staff documented existing and planned ITS elements in the region, as well as their associated stakeholder(s), and a brief description for each element. The following pages (Report 2) contain a list of the ITS elements included in the inventory, with each element's status, associated stakeholder(s), and entities the element is 'mapped to' in the Regional ITS Architecture.

**Report 2. Inventory**

**Element:** Remote Traveler Support  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Remote traveler support provides access to traveler information at transit stations, transit stops, other fixed sites along travel routes (e.g., rest stops), and major trip generation locations.

**Element:** Surface Transportation Weather Service  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Providers of value-added sector specific meteorological services. These providers utilize National Weather Service data and predictions, road condition information and local environmental data to provide weather observations and forecasts.

**Element:** Weather Services  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Weather Services include the National Weather Service as well as private disseminators of weather data.  
City of Clive - Metropolitan Incident Command Radio Network (MICRN) radio system, RWIS.  
City of Grimes - National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).  
City of Windsor Heights - MICRN.  
City of Des Moines - National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).  
City of Urbandale - National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).  
Iowa DOT - Meridian Environmental Technology Inc., DTN/Meteorlogix.

**City of Ankeny**  
**Element:** City of Ankeny Fire Department  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Ankeny Fire Department partners with Polk County Emergency Management Agency. Ankeny Emergency Management Center partners with Polk County Sheriff Dispatch and Polk County Emergency Management Agency.

Notes from survey:  
Emergency vehicles: Polk County Dispatch.

**Element:** City of Ankeny Public Works  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Ankeny Maintenance Facility

Notes from survey:  
The Arterial/Traffic Management Center control signalized intersections - Closed Loop and Opticom Preemption. Uses plow trucks for de-icing. Utilizes mobile changeable message boards for construction traffic control.

**Element:** City of Ankeny Public Works-MCO Vehicles  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

**City of Bondurant**  
**Element:** City of Bondurant EOC  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Bondurant refers to Polk County Emergency Managment Agency.

**City of Carlisle**  
**Element:** City of Carlisle Public Works  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** No description provided.

**Element:** City of Carlisle Public Works-MCO Vehicles  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** City of Carlisle has ITS devices in their Public Works vehicles for processing and communication functions necessary to the support of highway maintenance and construction.
City of Clive
Element: City of Clive EOC
Status: Existing
Description: Clive EOC refers to Westcom Dispatch Center.
Notes from survey:
 Uses a CodeRed phone notification system for Clive residents as needed.

Element: City of Clive Public Works
Status: Existing
Notes from survey:
All signals maintained by Clive are interconnected. Preemption system is used by public safety sectors and some public works operations. Railroad preemption ties in with signals.
Real-time traffic data collection technologies used on arterials managed by the Arterial/ Traffic Management Center - Loop Detectors (counting loops), CCTV Cameras, and Video Detection (Planned).
Arterial/Traffic Management Center control signalized intersections - Closed Loop, Signal Preemption for public safety sectors and some public works operations, and railroad preemption.
Arterial/Traffic Management Center distribute information to travelers directly using roadside media infrastructure on the arterial - Dynamic Message Signs on mainline streets, Media Fax, Code Red (reverse 911), and other.

Element: City of Clive Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

City of Des Moines
Element: City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center
Status: Existing
Notes from survey:
Direct access to incident data from TMC via I-235 cameras. Send incident data to TMC and Highway Helpers via telephone and radio communication. Preemption lights for some fire and rescue vehicles.

Element: City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center-Emergency Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: Police, Fire, Rescue vehicles. Emergency vehicles include ITS equipment that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support safe and efficient emergency response.

Element: City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center Status: Existing
Description: Des Moines Public Works

Element: City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Field Devices
Status: Existing
Description: MCO Field Devices include sensors, displays, and cameras for operational purposes of maintenance and construction.

Element: City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

Element: City of Des Moines Public Works-Roadside Equipment
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Element: City of Des Moines Traffic Operations Center Status: Existing
Description: Des Moines Traffic and Transportation
Notes from survey:
Real-time traffic data collection technologies used on arterials managed by the Arterial/ Traffic Management Center - Loop Detectors, CCTV Cameras.
Arterial/Traffic Management Center control signalized intersections - Closed Loop (integrated with central system) and Centralized Control, Signal Preemption for emergency vehicles (generally limited to downtown area), Signal Priority for Transit Vehicle (limited-University Ave. corridor).
Arterial/Traffic Management Center distribute information to travelers directly using roadside media infrastructure on the arterials - Dynamic Message Signs controlling parking access, Dynamic Message Signs on mainline streets (Planned), currently use trailers.

Arterial Management Center detect and verify incidents - no direct detection, but CCTV cameras to verify.

City of Grimes
Element: City of Grimes Fire Department
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Element: City of Grimes Fire Department-Emergency Vehicles
Status: Planned
Description: Emergency vehicles include ITS equipment that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support safe and efficient emergency response.

Element: City of Grimes Maintenance Shop
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Element: City of Grimes-MCO Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: City vehicles.

City of Johnston
Element: City of Johnston Public Works
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Element: City of Johnston Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provide the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

City of Norwalk
Element: City of Norwalk Public Safety
Status: Existing
Description: Norwalk Public Safety partners with Warren County Emergency Management.

Element: City of Norwalk Public Safety-Emergency Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: Norwalk Fire, Police, and Rescue vehicles.

Element: City of Norwalk Public Works
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Element: City of Norwalk Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

City of Urbandale
Element: City of Urbandale Engineering
Status: Existing
Notes from survey:
Real-time traffic data collection technologies used on arterials managed by the Arterial/Traffic Management Center - Loop Detectors, CCTV Cameras (Planned).

Arterial/Traffic Management Center control signalized intersections - Closed Loop.

Signalized intersections operated by the Arterial Management Center within 200 feet of a highway-rail intersection that currently adjust signal timing in response to train crossing to avoid vehicle entrapment, or interconnected with active crossing devices - 100th and Douglas.

Element: City of Urbandale Public Works
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Element: City of Urbandale Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Status: Planned
Description: For maintenance only.

City of West Des Moines
Element: City of West Des Moines Public Works
Status: Existing
Notes from survey:
Real-time traffic data collection technologies used on arterials managed by the Arterial/Traffic Management Center - Loop Detectors, CCTV Cameras.

Arterial/Traffic Management Center control
signalized intersections - Closed Loop or Centralized Control, Signal Preemption for emergency vehicles.

**Element:** City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Field Devices  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** MCO Field Devices include sensors, displays, and cameras for operational purposes of maintenance and construction.

**City of Windsor Heights**  
**Element:** City of Windsor Heights Public Safety  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Windsor Heights refers to Polk County Emergency Management Agency.

**Element:** City of Windsor Heights Public Works-MCO Vehicles  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** No description provided.

**Element:** City of Windsor Heights Public Works-MCO Vehicles  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

**Dallas County**  
**Element:** Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility  
**Status:** Existing  
**Notes from survey:**  
Central Maintenance Facility: 23380 250th Street, Dallas Center, Iowa. Dallas County Road Department.  
Dispatch maintenance or construction vehicles by radio.  
Request sheriff to monitor vehicle speeds in work zones.  
Share maintenance and construction information with the Sheriff Department.

**Element:** Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

**Element:** Dallas County Emergency Management  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** No description provided.

**Element:** Dallas County Homecare Services  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** HomeCare Services Inc.

**Element:** Dallas County Homecare Services-Transit Vehicles  
**Status:** Existing  
**Description:** Transit vehicles include ITS devices that support the safe and efficient movement of passengers. These systems collect, manage, and disseminate transit-related information to the driver, operations and maintenance personnel, and transit system patrons.

**Notes from survey:**  
Public Transportation Center directly or indirectly (i.e., thru another agency/organization) disseminate info to the public - Display in Transit Vehicles.  
Public Transportation Center provide transit trip planning - In person or telephone.

**Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority**  
**Element:** Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority  
**Status:** Existing  
**Notes from survey:**  
DART disseminate info to the public - www.ridedart.com, SmartCard (planned), automatic passenger counters (planned), radio upgrade (planned), work order management system (planned).  
DART provides transit trip planning - Internet Web Page (Google Transit+Trapeze Tnp
Element: Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority-Transit Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: Transit vehicles include ITS devices that support the safe and efficient movement of passengers. These systems collect, manage, and disseminate transit-related information to the driver, operations and maintenance personnel, and transit system patrons.

Iowa Department of Transportation
Element: Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center
Status: Existing
Description: Primary Stakeholder: Iowa DOT/District 1.

Notes from survey:
Real-time traffic data collection technologies used on freeways managed by the Freeway Management Center-Closed Circuit Television, Side-Fire Radar.

Freeway Management Center currently distribute information to travelers directly using roadside infrastructure on the freeways - Dynamic Message Signs, Highway Advisory Radio, TV, Radio, 511.

Freeway Management Center disseminate freeway travel times, speeds, and conditions information to the public - Internet Web Page, Pagers or Personal Data Assistants (Planned), Kiosks, e-mail or other direct PC communications, TV.

Element: Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages
Status: Existing
Description: Center Name: 4 Maintenance Garages include North Shop, Grimes, Altoona, and Carlisle. Primary Stakeholder: Iowa DOT/District 1 & Construction.

Element: Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Field Devices
Status: Existing
Description: MCO Field Devices include sensors, displays, and cameras for operational purposes of maintenance and construction.

Element: Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles
Status: Planned
Description: MCO vehicles include ITS devices that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support highway maintenance and construction.

Element: Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center
Status: Existing
Description: Primary Stakeholder: Iowa DOT/Office of Maintenance.

Element: Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center-Roadside Equip
Status: Planned
Description: Roadside Equipment includes any and all equipment distributed on and along the roadway which monitors and controls traffic. This can include equipment for tolling.

Element: Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center-Security Monitor
Status: Planned
Description: Security monitoring field equipment includes sensors and surveillance devices that monitor transportation infrastructure and public areas.

Media
Element: Media
Status: Existing
Description: The Media element represents the information systems that provide traffic reports, travel conditions, and other transportation-related news services to the traveling public through radio, TV, and other media.

Polk County
Element: Polk County Dispatch-Emergency Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: Center Name: Polk County Dispatch.
Element: Polk County Emergency Management Agency
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Public
Element: User Personal Computing Devices
Status: Existing
Description: User Personal Computing Devices refers to equipment an individual owns and can personalize with their choices for information about transportation networks. An Internet-connected PC is an example.

Transportation Management Association
Element: Transportation Management Association
Status: Existing
Notes from survey:
www.DriveTimeDesMoines.org

Warren County
Element: Warren County Emergency Management
Status: Existing
Description: No description provided.

Westcom Dispatch Center
Stakeholders in this group:
City of West Des Moines
City of Clive
City of Urbandale
Element: Westcom Dispatch Center
Status: Existing
Description: Notes from survey: Can monitor intersections via camera.

Element: Westcom Dispatched Police/Fire/EMS Emergency Vehicles
Status: Existing
Description: These emergency vehicles are dispatched by Westcom but the Stakeholder is the City of Clive. Emergency vehicles include ITS equipment that provides the sensory, processing, storage, and communications functions necessary to support safe and efficient emergency response.

Element: Westcom Dispatched Police/Fire/EMS Emergency Vehicles-Sec
Status: Existing
Description: Security monitoring field equipment includes sensors and surveillance devices that monitor transportation infrastructure and public areas.
3.6 NEEDS AND SERVICES

Needs

Following the collection of the inventory, the MPO staff, with assistance from the stakeholders, compiled a list of needs for the region that could be supported with ITS. The needs identified for the region are listed below.

Traffic Management Needs
- Improve coordination of traffic management between agencies; and,
- Improve signal coordination within the metro area.

Traveler Information Needs
- Provide traveler with up-to-date travel conditions; and,
- Provide multiple forms of access to travel conditions.

Data Needs
- Improved data collection; and,
- Easy access to data.

Transit Needs
- Enhance transit vehicle tracking system;
- Provide alternate payment methods for riders; and,
- Transit vehicle priority at selected signals.

Emergency Management Needs
- Improve coordination and communication between emergency response organizations; and,
- Provide accurate and timely information to emergency responders.

Maintenance and Construction Operations Needs
- Improve construction zone safety; and,
- Maintenance vehicle tracking system.

Market Packages

Market Packages are service-oriented perspectives of the National ITS Architecture. A Market Package collects several different subsystems, equipment packages, terminators, and architecture flows that provide the desired service. Market Packages are tailored to fit, separately or in a combination, real world transportation problems and needs. Market Packages represent assembled pieces of the regional architecture, contain the flows that connect those pieces of regional architecture, and note the other important external systems connected to those assembled regional architecture pieces.

Listed in Table 2 are the Market Packages included in the Regional ITS Architecture with their current status. More detailed information about each Market Package, including underlying graphics and definitions, can be found at the National ITS Architecture website. These Market Packages contain all possible connections. The MPO staff, in consultation with the stakeholders, may not have included all possible Market Package connections when developing the Regional ITS Architecture. Appendix C (Report 3) is a complete listing of Market Packages included in the Regional ITS Architecture, with description and associated elements for each one.


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3.7 INTERFACES

After the ITS systems in the Des Moines metropolitan area have been identified and defined in terms of the functions that those ITS systems perform, the existing and planned interfaces between these systems are defined. First, the connections (or ‘Interconnects’) among systems are identified, and then the information that will be exchanged on each of the interfaces (or ‘Information Flows’) is defined.

Interconnects

Interconnects are existing and planned communication paths among ITS elements in the region. There are four different types of communications: Fixed Point - Fixed Point, Wide Area Wireless (Mobile), Field - Vehicle, and Vehicle - Vehicle. In addition, several other specialized interconnects also are defined, including human interface and physical/environmental. The diagram in Appendix D illustrates interconnects among all ITS elements in the inventory.

Information Flows

Information flows are the information exchanged between ITS elements in the region. Diagrams in Appendix E illustrate each ITS element's information flows.

3.8 AGREEMENTS

A Regional ITS Architecture contains many connections among agencies that need to share information. Stakeholders that are going to share information need to enter into agreements. The agreements will need to specify what information is to be shared, what access or control each organization has in that information sharing, and how the information is to be shared among the participating organizations. As the stakeholders share more information, those stakeholders having agreements to clarify responsibilities will become increasingly important. Creating information-sharing agreements is important to a Regional ITS Architecture's success.

The Regional ITS Architecture’s stakeholders indicated throughout the development of the Regional ITS Architecture that there currently is cooperation among agencies, but there has not been a need to create formal agreements. With the implementation and improvement of ITS in the region it is likely that more formal agreements will be needed in the future.

There are six types of agreements: Handshake Agreement; Memorandum of Understanding; Interagency Agreement, Intergovernmental Agreement; Operational Agreement; Funding Agreement; and Master Agreement. It is important to evaluate what kind of agreement is needed and to build consensus with each of the stakeholders involved. Some examples of agreements that would support the Regional ITS Architecture include:

- Data usage and sharing agreements between public agencies;
- Data usage and sharing agreements between public agencies and private media and information service providers;
- Shared video monitoring agreements; and
- Mutual aid agreements.

3.9 STANDARDS

Standards support ITS and support a regional architecture. Standards specify exactly how systems should communicate and share information. Standards also are crucial in developing an open ITS where all systems will be able to communicate with each of the other systems. USDOT's ITS Joint Program Office (JPO) is supporting Standard Development Organizations (SDO) to develop standards for successful ITS deployments. More information regarding ITS standards and the status of standards is available at the USDOT's ITS JPO’s Standards Site. Appendix F (Report 4) is a listing of Standards that are relevant to the Regional ITS Architecture.

7 http://www.standards.its.dot.gov/
APPENDIX A
ITS Inventory Survey Form
## Questions for Regional ITS Architecture in the Des Moines Area MPO Area (New Version)

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| 3.10 | Does your Freeway Management Center manage (or plan to manage) HOV lanes? | Existing, Planned, or Not Planned |

| 3.11 | Does your Freeway Management Center manage (or plan to manage) automatic or remotely controlled gates or barriers that control access to roadway segments including ramps and traffic lanes? | Existing, Planned, or Not Planned |

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APPENDIX C
Market Packages
Report 3. Market Packages
(Transportation Services)

Transit Vehicle Tracking (APTS01) --Planned

This market package monitors current transit vehicle location using an Automated Vehicle Location System. The location data may be used to determine real time schedule adherence and update the transit system's schedule in real-time. Vehicle position may be determined either by the vehicle (e.g., through GPS) and relayed to the infrastructure or may be determined directly by the communications infrastructure. A two-way wireless communication link with the Transit Management Subsystem is used for relaying vehicle position and control measures. Fixed route transit systems may also employ beacons along the route to enable position determination and facilitate communications with each vehicle at fixed intervals. The Transit Management Subsystem processes this information, updates the transit schedule and makes real-time schedule information available to the Information Service Provider.

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Demand Response Transit Operations (APTS03) --Existing

This market package performs automated dispatch and system monitoring for demand responsive transit services. This service performs scheduling activities as well as operator assignment. In addition, this market package performs similar functions to support dynamic features of flexible-route transit services. This package monitors the current status of the transit fleet and supports allocation of these fleet resources to service incoming requests for transit service while also considering traffic conditions. The Transit Management Subsystem provides the necessary data processing and information display to assist the transit operator in making optimal use of the transit fleet. This service includes the capability for a traveler request for personalized transit services to be made through the Information Service Provider (ISP) Subsystem. The ISP may either be operated by a transit management center or be independently owned and operated by a separate service provider. In the first scenario, the traveler makes a direct request to a specific paratransit service. In the second scenario, a third party service provider determines that the paratransit service is a viable means of satisfying a traveler request and makes a reservation for the traveler.

Dallas County Homecare Services
Dallas County Homecare Services-Transit Vehicles
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Transit Authority
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Transit Fare Collection Management (APTS04) --Existing

This market package manages transit fare collection on-board transit vehicles and at transit stops using electronic means. It allows transit users to use a traveler card or other electronic payment device. Readers located either in the infrastructure or on-board the transit vehicle allow electronic fare payment. Data is processed, stored, and displayed on the transit vehicle and communicated as needed to the Transit Management Subsystem. Two other market packages, ATMS10: Electronic Toll Collection and ATMS16: Parking Facility Management also provide electronic payment services. These three market packages in combination provide an integrated electronic payment system for transportation services.

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Transit Security (APTS05) --Existing

This market package provides for the physical security of transit passengers and transit vehicle operators. On-board equipment is deployed to perform surveillance and sensor monitoring in order to warn of potentially hazardous situations. The surveillance equipment includes video (e.g., CCTV cameras), audio systems and/or event recorder systems. The sensor equipment includes threat sensors (e.g., chemical agent, toxic industrial chemical, biological, explosives, and radiological sensors) and object detection sensors (e.g., metal detectors). Transit user or transit vehicle operator activated alarms are provided on-board. Public areas (e.g., transit stops, park and ride lots, stations) are also monitored with similar surveillance and sensor equipment and provided with transit user activated alarms. In addition this market package provides surveillance and sensor monitoring of non-public areas of transit facilities (e.g., transit yards) and transit infrastructure such as bridges, tunnels, and transit railways or bus rapid transit (BRT) guideways. The surveillance equipment includes video and/or audio systems. The sensor equipment includes threat sensors and object detection sensors as described above as well as, intrusion or motion detection sensors and infrastructure integrity monitoring (e.g., rail track continuity checking or bridge structural integrity monitoring).

The surveillance and sensor information is transmitted to the Emergency Management Subsystem, as are transit user activated alarms in public secure areas. On-board alarms, activated by transit users or transit vehicle operators are transmitted to both the Emergency Management Subsystem and the Transit Management Subsystem, indicating two possible approaches to implementing this market package.

In addition the market package supports remote transit vehicle disabling by the Transit Management Subsystem and transit vehicle operator authentication.

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Transit Fleet Management (APTS06) --Existing

This market package supports automatic transit maintenance scheduling and monitoring. On-board condition sensors monitor system status and transmit critical status information to the Transit Management Subsystem. Hardware and software in the Transit Management Subsystem processes this data and schedules preventative and corrective maintenance. The market package also supports the day to day management of the transit fleet inventory, including the assignment of specific transit vehicles to blocks.

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Multi-modal Coordination (APTS07) --Planned

This market package establishes two way communications between multiple transit and traffic agencies to improve service coordination. Multimodal coordination between transit agencies can increase traveler convenience at transit transfer points and clusters (a collection of stops, stations, or terminals where transfers can be made conveniently) and also improve operating efficiency. Transit transfer information is shared between Multimodal Transportation Service Providers and Transit Agencies.

Dallas County Homecare Services
Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority

Transit Traveler Information (APTS08) --Existing

This market package provides transit users at transit stops and on-board transit vehicles with ready access to transit information. The information services include transit stop annunciation, imminent arrival signs, and real-time transit schedule displays that are of general interest to transit users. Systems that provide custom transit trip itineraries and other tailored transit information services are also represented by this market package.

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Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority
Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority-Transit Vehicles
Media
User Personal Computing Devices

Transit Signal Priority (APTS09) --Existing

This market package determines the need for transit priority on routes and at certain intersections and requests transit vehicle priority at these locations. The signal priority may result from limited local coordination between the transit vehicle and the individual intersection for signal priority or may result from coordination between transit management and traffic management centers. Coordination between traffic and transit management is intended to improve on-time performance of the transit system to the extent that this can be accommodated without degrading overall performance of the traffic network.

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Transit Passenger Counting (APTS10) --Planned

This market package counts the number of passengers entering and exiting a transit vehicle using sensors mounted on the vehicle and communicates the collected passenger data back to the management center. The collected data can be used to calculate reliable ridership figures and measure passenger load information at particular stops.

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Broadcast Traveler Information (ATIS01) --Existing

This market package collects traffic conditions, advisories, general public transportation, toll and parking information, incident information, roadway maintenance and construction information, air quality and weather information, and broadcasts the information to travelers using technologies such as FM subcarrier, satellite radio, cellular data broadcasts, and Internet web casts. The information may be provided directly to travelers or provided to merchants and other traveler service providers so that they can better inform their customers of travel conditions. Different from the market package ATMS6 - Traffic Information Dissemination, which provides localized HAR and DMS
information capabilities, ATIS1 provides a wide area digital broadcast service. Successful deployment of this market package relies on availability of real-time traveler information from roadway instrumentation, probe vehicles or other sources.

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**Media**
**Transportation Management Association**
**User Personal Computing Devices**

**Network Surveillance (ATMS01) --Existing**

This market package includes traffic detectors, other surveillance equipment, the supporting field equipment, and fixed-point to fixed-point communications to transmit the collected data back to the Traffic Management Subsystem. The derived data can be used locally such as when traffic detectors are connected directly to a signal control system or remotely (e.g., when a CCTV system sends data back to the Traffic Management Subsystem). The data generated by this market package enables traffic managers to monitor traffic and road conditions, identify and verify incidents, detect faults in indicator operations, and collect census data for traffic strategy development and long range planning. The collected data can also be analyzed and made available to users and the Information Service Provider Subsystem.

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**City of West Des Moines Public Works**

**Freeway Control (ATMS04)--Existing**

This market package provides central monitoring and control, communications, and field equipment that support freeway management. It supports a range of freeway management control strategies including ramp metering, interchange metering, mainline lane controls, mainline metering, and other strategies including variable speed controls. This package incorporates the instrumentation included in the Network Surveillance Market Package to support freeway monitoring and adaptive strategies as an option. This market package also includes the capability to utilize surveillance information for detection of incidents. Typically, the processing would be performed at a traffic management center; however, developments might allow for point detection with roadway equipment. For example, a CCTV might include the capability to detect an incident based upon image changes. Additionally, this market control equipment that support local surface street control and/or arterial traffic management. A range of traffic signal control systems are represented by this market package ranging from fixed-schedule control systems to fully traffic responsive systems that dynamically adjust control plans and strategies based on current traffic conditions and priority requests. This market package is generally an intra-jurisdictional package that does not rely on real-time communications between separate control systems to achieve area-wide traffic signal coordination. Systems that achieve coordination across jurisdictions by using a common time base or other strategies that do not require real-time coordination would be represented by this package. This market package is consistent with typical urban traffic signal control systems.

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**Surface Street Control (ATMS03) --Existing**

This market package provides the central control and monitoring equipment, communication links, and the signal control equipment that support local surface street control and/or arterial traffic management. A range of traffic signal control systems are represented by this market package ranging from fixed-schedule control systems to fully traffic responsive systems that dynamically adjust control plans and strategies based on current traffic conditions and priority requests. This market package is generally an intra-jurisdictional package that does not rely on real-time communications between separate control systems to achieve area-wide traffic signal coordination. Systems that achieve coordination across jurisdictions by using a common time base or other strategies that do not require real-time coordination would be represented by this package. This market package is consistent with typical urban traffic signal control systems.
package allows general advisory and traffic control information to be provided to the driver while en route.

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Traffic Information Dissemination (ATMS06) --Existing

This market package provides driver information using roadway equipment such as dynamic message signs or highway advisory radio. A wide range of information can be disseminated including traffic and road conditions, closure and detour information, incident information, and emergency alerts and driver advisories. This package provides information to drivers at specific equipped locations on the road network. Careful placement of the roadway equipment provides the information at points in the network where the drivers have recourse and can tailor their routes to account for the new information. This package also covers the equipment and interfaces that provide traffic information from a traffic management center to the media (for instance via a direct tie-in between a traffic management center and radio or television station computer systems), Transit Management, Emergency Management, and Information Service Providers. A link to the Maintenance and Construction Management subsystem allows real time information on road/bridge closures due to maintenance and construction activities to be disseminated.

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Media

Regional Traffic Management (ATMS07) --Existing

This market package provides for the sharing of traffic information and control among traffic management centers to support regional traffic management strategies. Regional traffic management strategies that are supported include coordinated signal control in a metropolitan area and coordination between freeway operations and arterial signal control within a corridor. This market package advances the Surface Street Control and Freeway Control Market Packages by adding the communications links and integrated control strategies that enable integrated interjurisdictional traffic management. The nature of optimization and extent of information and control sharing is determined through working arrangements between jurisdictions. This package relies principally on roadside instrumentation supported by the Surface Street Control and Freeway Control Market Packages and adds hardware, software, and fixed-point to fixed-point communications capabilities to implement traffic management strategies that are coordinated between allied traffic management centers. Several levels of coordination are supported from sharing of information through sharing of control between traffic management centers.

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Traffic Incident Management System (ATMS08) --Existing

This market package manages both unexpected incidents and planned events so that the impact to the transportation network and traveler safety is minimized. The market package includes incident detection capabilities through roadside surveillance devices (e.g., CCTV) and through regional coordination with other traffic management, maintenance and construction management and emergency management centers as well as rail operations and event promoters. Information from these diverse sources is collected and correlated by this market
package to detect and verify incidents and implement an appropriate response. This market package supports traffic operations personnel in developing an appropriate response in coordination with emergency management, maintenance and construction management, and other incident response personnel to confirmed incidents. The response may include traffic control strategy modifications or resource coordination between center subsystems. Incident response also includes the presentation of information to affected travelers using the Traffic Information Dissemination market package and dissemination of incident information to travelers through the Broadcast Traveler Information or Interactive Traveler Information market packages. The roadside equipment used to detect and verify incidents also allows the operator to monitor incident status as the response unfolds. The coordination with emergency management might be through a CAD system or through other communication with emergency field personnel. The coordination can also extend to tow trucks and other allied response agencies and field service personnel.

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**Standard Railroad Grade Crossing (ATMS13) --Existing**

This market package manages highway traffic at highway-rail intersections (HRIs) where operational requirements do not dictate more advanced features (e.g., where rail operational speeds are less than 80 miles per hour). Both passive (e.g., the crossbuck sign) and active warning systems (e.g., flashing lights and gates) are supported. (Note that passive systems exercise only the single interface between the roadway subsystem and the driver in the architecture definition.) These traditional HRI warning systems may also be augmented with other standard traffic management devices. The warning systems are activated on notification by interfaced wayside equipment of an approaching train. The equipment at the HRI may also be interconnected with adjacent signalized intersections so that local control can be adapted to highway-rail intersection activities. Health monitoring of the HRI equipment and interfaces is performed; detected abnormalities are reported to both highway and railroad officials through wayside interfaces and interfaces to the traffic management subsystem.

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**Emergency Call-Taking and Dispatch (EM01) --Existing**

This market package provides basic public safety call-taking and dispatch services. It includes emergency vehicle equipment, equipment used to receive and route emergency calls, and wireless communications that enable safe and rapid deployment of appropriate resources to an emergency. Coordination between Emergency Management Subsystems supports emergency notification between agencies. Wide area wireless communications between the Emergency Management Subsystem and an Emergency Vehicle supports dispatch and provision of information to responding personnel.

**City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center**
**City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center - Emergency Vehicles**
**City of Grimes Fire Department**
Emergency Routing (EM02) --Existing

This market package supports automated vehicle location and dynamic routing of emergency vehicles. Traffic information, road conditions, and suggested routing information are provided to enhance emergency vehicle routing. Special priority or other specific emergency traffic control strategies can be coordinated to improve the safety and time-efficiency of responding vehicle travel on the selected route(s). The Emergency Management Subsystem provides the routing for the emergency fleet based on real-time conditions and has the option of requesting a route from the Traffic Management subsystem. The Emergency Vehicle may also be equipped with dedicated short range communications for local signal preemption and the transmission of alerts to surrounding vehicles. The service provides for information exchange between care facilities and both the Emergency Management Subsystem and emergency vehicles.

Transportation Infrastructure Protection (EM05) --Existing

This market package includes the monitoring of transportation infrastructure (e.g., bridges, tunnels and management centers) for potential threats using sensors and surveillance equipment and barrier and safeguard systems to preclude an incident, control access during and after an incident or mitigate impact of an incident. Threats can result from acts of nature (e.g., hurricanes, earthquakes), terrorist attacks or other incidents causing damage to the infrastructure (e.g., stray barge hitting a bridge support). Infrastructure may be monitored with acoustic, environmental threat (such as nuclear, biological, chemical, and explosives), infrastructure condition and integrity, motion and object sensors and video and audio surveillance equipment. Data from such sensors and surveillance equipment may be processed in the field or sent to a center for processing. The data enables operators at the center to detect and verify threats. When a threat is detected, agencies are notified. Detected threats or advisories received from other agencies result in an increased level of system preparedness. In response to threats, barrier and safeguard systems may be activated by Traffic Management Subsystems to deter an incident, control access to an area or mitigate the impact of an incident. Barrier systems include gates, barriers and other automated and remotely controlled systems that manage entry to transportation infrastructure. Safeguard systems include blast shields, exhaust systems and other automated and remotely controlled systems that mitigate impact of an incident.
Wide-Area Alert (EM06) --Existing

This market package uses ITS driver and traveler information systems to alert the public in emergency situations such as child abductions, severe weather events, civil emergencies, and other situations that pose a threat to life and property. The alert includes information and instructions for transportation system operators and the traveling public, improving public safety and enlisting the public’s help in some scenarios. The ITS technologies will supplement and support other emergency and homeland security alert systems such as the Emergency Alert System (EAS). When an emergency situation is reported and verified and the terms and conditions for system activation are satisfied, a designated agency broadcasts emergency information to traffic agencies, transit agencies, information service providers, toll operators, and others that operate ITS systems. The ITS systems, in turn, provide the alert information to transportation system operators and the traveling public using ITS technologies such as dynamic message signs, highway advisory radios, in-vehicle displays, transit displays, 511 traveler information systems, and traveler information web sites.

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Westcom Dispatched Police/ Fire/EMS Emergency Vehicles-Security
Monitoring Field Equipment

Warren County Emergency Management

Early Warning System (EM07) --Existing

This market package monitors and detects potential, looming, and actual disasters including natural disasters (hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, winter storms, tsunamis, etc.) and technological and man-made disasters (hazardous materials incidents, nuclear power plant accidents, acts of terrorism including nuclear, chemical, biological, and radiological weapons attacks). The market package monitors alerting and advisory systems, ITS sensors and surveillance systems, field reports, and emergency call-taking systems to identify emergencies and notifies all responding agencies of detected emergencies.

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Westcom Dispatch Center
Westcom Dispatched Police/ Fire/EMS Emergency Vehicles-Security
Monitoring Field Equipment

Disaster Response and Recovery (EM08) --Existing

This market package enhances the ability of the surface transportation system to respond to and recover from disasters. It addresses the most severe incidents that require an extraordinary response from outside the local community. All types of disasters are addressed including natural disasters (hurricanes, earthquakes, floods, winter storms, tsunamis, etc.) and technological and man-made disasters (hazardous materials incidents, nuclear power plant accidents, and national
security emergencies such as nuclear, chemical, biological, and radiological weapons attacks).

The market package supports coordination of emergency response plans, including general plans developed before a disaster as well as specific tactical plans with short time horizon that are developed as part of a disaster response. The market package provides enhanced access to the scene for response personnel and resources, provides better information about the transportation system in the vicinity of the disaster, and maintains situation awareness regarding the disaster itself. In addition, this market package tracks and coordinates the transportation resources - the transportation professionals, equipment, and materials - that constitute a portion of the disaster response.

The market package identifies the key points of integration between transportation systems and the public safety, emergency management, public health, and other allied organizations that form the overall disaster response. In this market package, the Emergency Management subsystem represents the federal, regional, state, and local Emergency Operations Centers and the Incident Commands that are established to respond to the disaster. The interface between the Emergency Management Subsystem and the other center subsystems provides situation awareness and resource coordination among transportation and other allied response agencies. In its role, traffic management implements special traffic control strategies and detours and restrictions to effectively manage traffic in and around the disaster. Maintenance and construction provides damage assessment of road network facilities and manages service restoration. Transit management provides a similar assessment of status for transit facilities and modifies transit operations to meet the special demands of the disaster. As immediate public safety concerns are addressed and disaster response transitions into recovery, this market package supports transition back to normal transportation system operation, recovering resources, managing on-going transportation facility repair, supporting data collection and revised plan coordination, and other recovery activities.

This market package builds on the basic traffic incident response service that is provided by ATMS08, the Traffic Incident Management market package. This market package addresses the additional complexities and coordination requirements that are associated with the most severe incidents that warrant an extraordinary response from outside the local jurisdictions and require special measures such as the activation of one or more emergency operations centers. Many users of the National ITS Architecture will want to consider both ATMS08 and this market package since every region is concerned with both day-to-day management of traffic-related incidents and occasional management of disasters that require extraordinary response.

Disaster Response and Recovery is also supported by EM10, the "Disaster Traveler Information" market package that keeps the public informed during a disaster response. See that market package for more information.

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Warren County Emergency Management
Westcom Dispatch Center

Evacuation and Reentry Management (EM09) --Existing

This market package supports evacuation of the general public from a disaster area and manages subsequent reentry to the disaster area. The market package addresses evacuations for all types of disasters, including disasters like
hurricanes that are anticipated and occur slowly, allowing a well-planned orderly evacuation, as well as disasters like terrorist acts that occur rapidly, without warning, and allow little or no time for preparation or public warning.

This market package supports coordination of evacuation plans among the federal, state, and local transportation, emergency, and law enforcement agencies that may be involved in a large-scale evacuation. All affected jurisdictions (e.g., states and counties) at the evacuation origin, evacuation destination, and along the evacuation route are informed of the plan. Information is shared with traffic management agencies to implement special traffic control strategies and to control evacuation traffic, including traffic on local streets and arterials as well as the major evacuation routes. Reversible lanes, shoulder use, closures, special signal control strategies, and other special strategies may be implemented to maximize capacity along the evacuation routes. Transit resources play an important role in an evacuation, removing many people from an evacuated area while making efficient use of limited capacity. Additional shared transit resources may be added and managed in evacuation scenarios. Resource requirements are forecast based on the evacuation plans, and the necessary resources are located, shared between agencies if necessary, and deployed at the right locations at the appropriate times.

Evacuations are also supported by EM10, the "Disaster Traveler Information" market package, which keeps the public informed during evacuations. See that market package for more information.

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Disaster Traveler Information (EM10) --Existing

This market package uses ITS to provide disaster-related traveler information to the general public, including evacuation and reentry information and other information concerning the operation of the transportation system during a disaster. This market package collects information from multiple sources including traffic, transit, public safety, emergency management, shelter provider, and travel service provider organizations. The collected information is processed and the public is provided with real-time disaster and evacuation information using ITS traveler information systems.

A disaster will stress the surface transportation system since it may damage transportation facilities at the same time that it places unique demands on these facilities to support public evacuation and provide access for emergency responders. Similarly, a disaster may interrupt or degrade the operation of many traveler information systems at the same time that safety-critical information must be provided to the traveling public. This market package keeps the public informed in these scenarios, using all available means to provide information about the disaster area including damage to the transportation system, detours and closures in effect, special traffic restrictions and allowances, special transit schedules, and real-time information on traffic conditions and transit system performance in and around the disaster.

This market package also provides emergency information to assist the public with evacuations when necessary. Information on mandatory and voluntary evacuation zones, evacuation times, and instructions are provided. Available evacuation routes and destinations and current and anticipated travel conditions along those routes are provided so
evacuees are prepared and know their destination and preferred evacuation route. Information on available transit services and traveler services (shelters, medical services, hotels, restaurants, gas stations, etc.) is also provided. In addition to general evacuation information, this market package provides specific evacuation trip planning information that is tailored for the evacuee based on origin, selected destination, and evacuee-specified evacuation requirements and route parameters.

This market package augments the ATIS market packages that provide traveler information on a day-to-day basis for the surface transportation system. This market package provides focus on the special requirements for traveler information dissemination in disaster situations.

### Maintenance and Construction Vehicle and Equipment Tracking (MC01) -- Existing

This market package will track the location of maintenance and construction vehicles and other equipment to ascertain the progress of their activities. These activities can include ensuring the correct roads are being plowed and work activity is being performed at the correct locations.

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City of Clive Public Works
City of Clive Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of West Des Moines Public Works
City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles

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City of Bondurant EOC
City of Clive EOC
City of Des Moines 911 Dispatch Center
Dallas County Emergency Management
Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center
Polk County Emergency Management Agency
Warren County Emergency Management
Westcom Dispatch Center

City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of West Des Moines Public Works
City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles

### Maintenance and Construction Vehicle Maintenance (MC02) -- Existing

This market package performs vehicle maintenance scheduling and manages both routine and corrective maintenance activities on vehicles and other maintenance and construction equipment. It includes on-board sensors capable of automatically performing diagnostics for maintenance and construction vehicles, and the systems that collect this diagnostic information and use it to schedule and manage vehicle maintenance.

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City of Ankeny Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Clive Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of West Des Moines Public Works
City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles
Road Weather Data Collection (MC03) --Existing

This market package collects current road and weather conditions using data collected from environmental sensors deployed on and about the roadway (or guideway in the case of transit related rail systems). In addition to fixed sensor stations at the roadside, sensing of the roadway environment can also occur from sensor systems located on Maintenance and Construction Vehicles. The collected environmental data is used by the Weather Information Processing and Distribution Market Package to process the information and make decisions on operations. The collected environmental data may be aggregated, combined with data attributes and sent to meteorological systems for data qualification and further data consolidation. The market package may also request and receive qualified data sets from meteorological systems.

Winter Maintenance (MC06) --Existing

This market package supports winter road maintenance including snow plow operations, roadway treatments (e.g., salt spraying and other anti-icing material applications), and other snow and ice control activities. This package monitors environmental conditions and weather forecasts and uses the information to schedule winter maintenance activities, determine the appropriate snow and ice
control response, and track and manage response operations.

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City of Ankeny Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Carlisle Public Works
City of Carlisle Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Clive Public Works
City of Clive Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Grimes Maintenance Shop
City of Johnston Public Works
City of Norwalk Public Works
City of Norwalk Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Urbandale Public Works
City of West Des Moines Public Works
City of Windsor Heights Public Works
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles

Roadway Maintenance and Construction (MC07) --Existing

This market package supports numerous services for scheduled and unscheduled maintenance and construction on a roadway system or right-of-way. Maintenance services would include landscape maintenance, hazard removal (roadway debris, dead animals), routine maintenance activities (roadway cleaning, grass cutting), and repair and maintenance of both ITS and non-ITS equipment on the roadway (e.g., signs, traffic controllers, traffic detectors, dynamic message signs, traffic signals, CCTV, etc.). Environmental conditions information is also received from various weather sources to aid in scheduling maintenance and construction activities.

City of Ankeny Public Works
City of Ankeny Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Carlisle Public Works
City of Carlisle Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Clive Public Works
City of Clive Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Johnston Public Works
City of Urbandale Public Works
City of West Des Moines Public Works
City of Windsor Heights Public Works
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility-MCO Vehicles
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles

Work Zone Management (MC08) --Existing

This market package manages work zones, controlling traffic in areas of the roadway where maintenance, construction, and utility work activities are underway. Traffic conditions are monitored using CCTV cameras and controlled using dynamic message signs (DMS), Highway Advisory Radio (HAR), gates and barriers. Work zone information is coordinated with other groups (e.g., ISP, traffic management, other maintenance and construction centers). Work zone speeds and delays are provided to the motorist prior to the work zones. This market package provides control of field equipment in all maintenance and construction areas, including fixed, portable, and truck-mounted devices.
supporting both stationary and mobile work zones.

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City of Clive Public Works
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Johnston Public Works
City of West Des Moines Public Works
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
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Dallas County Emergency Management
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles

Maintenance and Construction Activity Coordination (MC10) --Existing

This market package supports the dissemination of maintenance and construction activity to centers that can utilize it as part of their operations, or to the Information Service Providers who can provide the information to travelers.

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City of Carlisle Public Works
City of Clive Public Works
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center
City of Johnston Public Works
City of Urbandale Public Works
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City of Windsor Heights Public Works
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility
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APPENDIX D

Interconnect Diagram
APPENDIX E

Information Flows
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City of Ankeny
City of Ankeny Public Works

logged vehicle routes
work plan feedback
road network conditions
traffic control coordination
traffic information coordination

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Existing
City of Carlisle
City of Carlisle Public Works

- maint and constr dispatch status
- maint and constr vehicle operational data
- maint and constr dispatch information
- maint and constr vehicle system control

Existing

City of Carlisle
City of Carlisle Public Works-MCO Vehicles
City of Clive
City of Clive Public Works

Transportation Management Association

- transportation information for operations
- maintenance and construction work plans
- road network conditions
- roadway maintenance status
- work zone information

Existing
City of Clive
City of Clive Public Works

- field equipment status
- incident information
- logged vehicle routes
- maintain and constr resource request
- transportation information for operations
- work plan feedback
- road weather information
- roadway maintenance status
- road network conditions
- traffic control coordination
- traffic information coordination

Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

Existing
City of Des Moines
City of Des Moines Public Works Dispatch Center

Transportation Management Association

- Transportation information for operations
- Maint and constr work plans
- Work zone information

Existing
Transportation Management Association

City of Des Moines Traffic Operations Center

logged vehicle routes

transportation information for operations

road network conditions

Existing
City of Des Moines
City of Des Moines Traffic Operations Center

logged vehicle routes
transportation information for operations
road network conditions
traffic control coordination
traffic information coordination

Existing
City of Grimes
City of Grimes Fire Department

City of Grimes
City of Grimes Fire Department

Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

- emergency routes
- emergency traffic control information
- road network conditions
- road network status assessment
- traffic images
- transportation information for operations
- emergency route request
- emergency traffic control request
- remote surveillance control
- threat information
- transportation system status
- emergency plan coordination
- incident information
- incident response status
- resource deployment status
- resource request

Existing
City of Grimes
City of Grimes Maintenance Shop

- transportation information for operations
- maint and constr work plans
- roadway maintenance status
- work zone information

Transportation Management Association

Existing
City of Urbandale Engineering

Transportation Management Association

Logged vehicle routes
- transportation information for operations
- road network conditions

Existing
City of Urbandale
City of Urbandale Engineering

Existing

logged vehicle routes
transportation information for operations
road network conditions
traffic control coordination
traffic information coordination

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City of Urbandale

City of Urbandale Public Works

transportation information for operations
roadway maintenance status
work zone information
maint and constr work plans

Transportation Management Association

Transportation Management Association Update

Existing
City of Urbandale
City of Urbandale Public Works

- field equipment status
- maint and constr resource request
- road network conditions
- transportation information for operations
- work plan feedback
- current asset restrictions
- equipment maintenance status
- maint and constr resource response
- maint and constr work plans
- road weather information
- roadway maintenance status
- incident information

Existing
City of West Des Moines
City of West Des Moines Public Works

logged vehicle routes
transportation information for operations
maint and constr work plans
road network conditions
roadway maintenance status
work zone information

Transportation Management Association

Existing
City of West Des Moines
City of West Des Moines Public Works

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Existing

- field equipment status
- logged vehicle routes
- maint and constr resource request
- transportation information for operations
- work plan feedback
- current asset restrictions
- equipment maintenance status
- maint and constr resource response
- maint and constr work plans
- road weather information
- roadway maintenance status
- incident information
- road network conditions
- traffic control coordination
- traffic information coordination
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Westcom Dispatch Center

Evacuation Information

City of West Des Moines Public Works
City of West Des Moines
City of Windsor Heights
City of Windsor Heights Public Works

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Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

- field equipment status
- maint and constr resource request
- road network conditions
- transportation information for operations
- work plan feedback
- current asset restrictions
- equipment maintenance status
- maint and constr resource response
- maint and constr work plans
- roadway maintenance status
- incident information
Dallas County
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility

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Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Field Devices

- barrier system status
- environmental sensor data
- field device status
- roadway information system status
- traffic images
- barrier system control
- environmental sensors control
- roadway information system data
- video surveillance control

Existing
Dallas County
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility

Road weather information
Roadway maintenance status
Work plan coordination

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Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages

Existing
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility

- Maint and constr dispatch status
- Maint and constr vehicle conditions
- Maint and constr vehicle location data
- Maint and constr vehicle operational data
- Maint and constr dispatch information
- Maint and constr vehicle system control
Dallas County
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility

City of West Des Moines
City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Field Devices

- barrier system status
- field device status
- roadway information system status
- traffic images
- barrier system control
- roadway information system data
- video surveillance control

Planned
Dallas County
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility

- maint and constr dispatch status
- maint and constr vehicle conditions
- maint and constr vehicle location data
- maint and constr vehicle operational data
- maint and constr dispatch information
- maint and constr vehicle system control

City of West Des Moines
City of West Des Moines Public Works-MCO Vehicles

Planned
Dallas County
Dallas County Central Maintenance Facility

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City of West Des Moines Public Works

- field equipment status
- maint and constr resource request
- road network conditions
- work plan feedback
- equipment maintenance status
- maint and constr resource response
- maint and constr work plans
- maint and constr resource coordination
- roadway maintenance status
- work plan coordination

Planned
Polk County Emergency Management Agency

- Emergency plan coordination
- Evacuation coordination
- Resource coordination
- Threat information coordination
- Transportation system status

Dallas County Emergency Management

Existing
Dallas County

Dallas County Homecare Services

- alarm notification
- demand response passenger and use data
- request for bad tag list
- transit traveler request
- transit vehicle conditions
- transit vehicle location data
- transit vehicle operator authentication information
- alarm acknowledge
- bad tag list
- remote vehicle disable
- request for vehicle measures
- transit traveler information
- transit vehicle operator authentication update
- transit vehicle operator information

Existing
Remote Traveler Support

Dallas County Homecare Services

transit information user request

Existing
Dallas County
Dallas County Homecare Services

Public
User Personal Computing Devices

transit information user request
personal transit information

Existing
Dallas County
Dallas County Homecare Services

Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority

- transit emergency data
- incident response status
- transit fare coordination
- transit service coordination
- transit traveler information coordination

Planned
Des Moines Area Regional Transit Authority

Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

Existing
Iowa Department of Transportation

Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Vehicles

Planned

barrier system status
roadway information system status
barrier system control
environmental sensors control
roadway information system data
environmental sensor data

Iowa Department of Transportation

Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Field Devices
Environmental sensor data
Maint and constr dispatch status
Maint and constr vehicle conditions
Maint and constr vehicle location data
Maint and constr vehicle operational data
Environmental sensors control
Maint and constr dispatch information
Maint and constr vehicle system control

Iowa Department of Transportation
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages

Existing

Planned
Iowa Department of Transportation
Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages

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barrier system status
environmental sensor data
field device status
roadway information system status
traffic images
barrier system control
environmental sensors control
roadway information system data
video surveillance control

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Iowa Department of Transportation
Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center-Roadside Equipment

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Existing
alert notification

evacuation information

field equipment status

incident response status

Maint network conditions status

security field equipment status

threat information

Transportation system status

work plan feedback

alert status

Current asset restrictions

equipment maintenance status

Maint and constr resource request

Maint and Constr resource response

Maint and Constr work plans

Roadway maintenance status

security equipment maintenance status

Emergency plan coordination

incident information

Road network status assessment

Existing

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Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center

Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages-MCO Field Devices

Existing
Iowa Department of Transportation
Iowa DOT Statewide Operations
Support Center

infrastructure monitoring sensor data
secure area sensor data
secure area surveillance data
infrastructure monitoring sensor control
secure area sensor control
secure area surveillance control

Iowa Department of Transportation
Iowa DOT Statewide Operations
Support Center-Security Monitoring
Field Equipment

Planned
Polk County Dispatch-Emergency Vehicles

Existing

Polk County Emergency Management Agency

Polk County Dispatch-Emergency Vehicles

Emergency dispatch requests

Emergency vehicle tracking data

Emergency dispatch response
Remote Traveler Support

Transportation Management Association

Existing

broadcast traveler information
environmental sensor data
freeway control status
roadway information system status
signal control status
traffic flow
traffic images
environmental sensors control
freeway control data
roadway information system data
signal control data
traffic sensor control
video surveillance control

Existing
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

- current asset restrictions
- equipment maintenance status
- maint and constr resource response
- maint and constr work plans
- road weather information
- roadway maintenance status
- field equipment status
- maint and constr resource request
- road network conditions
- transportation information for operations
- work plan feedback
- incident information

Iowa Department of Transportation

Iowa DOT Resident Construction Engineer and 4 Maintenance Garages

Existing
Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

- maint and constr work plans
- roadway maintenance status
- maint and constr resource request
- transportation information for operations
- work plan feedback

City of Carlisle
City of Carlisle Public Works

Existing
Dallas County Homecare Services

Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

- demand responsive transit plan
- transit and fare schedules
- transit incident information
- transit system data
- demand responsive transit request
- request transit information
- road network conditions
- selected routes
- transit information request
- transportation information for operations

Planned
Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

broadcast traveler information

Iowa DOT Statewide Operations Support Center-Security Monitoring Field Equipment

Planned
Logged vehicle routes
transportation information for operations
broadcast traveler information
road network conditions
ISP coordination

Existing
Iowa Department of Transportation
Des Moines Area Traffic Management Center

City of Windsor Heights
City of Windsor Heights Public Safety

Existing
Public
User Personal Computing Devices

Transportation Management Association

Existing

broadcast traveler information
APPENDIX F

Standards
## Report 4. Relevant Standards Activities

Standards for Greater Des Moines Metropolitan Area, Iowa

**NOTE:** The ITS standards presented in this report may represent a superset of options, and in some cases, provide redundant capabilities. In addition, these ITS standards are at different maturity levels. Care should be taken to select the standards that best meet the needs of the region or project.

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