Keep up to date on all things VPP!

Meeting Reminder - VPP Suite User Group Web meeting, November 17, 2016 (10:30am - noon). Please join us for presentations, a chance to ask questions & provide input.

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Spotlight Presentation: BMC provides data to plan holiday travel

Ed Stylc (Baltimore Metropolitan Council) will give a Spotlight Presentation illustrating how they used the Congestion Scan/Trend Map to inform Labor Day travelers of the best times to leave/return.

Improved Bottleneck Ranking Tool Tutorial/Demo

Are you interested in getting the most out of the new Bottleneck Ranking Tool? If so, please plan to participate in the presentation/demonstration of the new Bottleneck Tracking & Ranking Algorithm conducted by Drew Lund (UMD CATT Lab).

The goal of the session is to get users up to speed on the latest features, functions and visualizations. The new algorithm is significantly faster and has no date range restrictions. It’s better at identifying the bottleneck source (head) and accounting for bottleneck dynamics (growing, shrinking or merging).

To get the most out of this session – check it out! Go to the Bottleneck Tracking Tool, select the new algorithm and give it a try, so you can be better prepared to ask questions and share your experience.

VPP Suite Feature Deployment Table for Q3 is available!

See what improvements have been made to the VPP Suite during Q3 2016 and in the year-to-date!

Other VPP News

VPP Volume & Turning Movement Project is Moving Forward

The Volume & Turning Movement Application Survey is currently underway. Steering Committee members are providing input on the needs, requirements, and market potential of a volume data feed. A reminder that all surveys need to be completed as soon as possible.

A Steering Committee meeting was held on October 13, 2016. The purpose of this project, sponsored by the I-95 Corridor Coalition, is to accelerate the time frame to achieve viable volume and turning movement data through outsourced probe data. All project related documents are now available on the VPP page of the I-95 Corridor Coalition website under the Volume & Turning Movement tab.

If agency members have any questions they should contact Kaveh Farokhi Sadabadi (UMD CATT), Denise Markow (I-95 Corridor Coalition) or Stan Young (NREL).

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