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Reminder: Training Opportunity Available - Free



LoTrans™ 2012

Local Transportation Asset Management Virtual Conference & Innovation Showcase

Featuring

Best Practices in Work Zone Safety

September 18-20

At Your Desktop

or

NDLTAP Conference Room will be available to watch on the large screens

515 1/2 E Broadway, Bismarck ND

LIVE SESSION: September 18

"MAP-21: Impacts on State & Local Transportation Officials" Will Kick Off ARTBA Virtual Conference

The new highway and transit investment law-"Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century" Act" (MAP-21)-and its many impacts on state, local and county transportation officials will be the focus of the September 18 opening session of [LoTrans 2012](#).

It will be held from 11:00 - 12:30 p.m., CDST or 12:00-1:30 p.m., Eastern Time.

The Local Transportation Asset Management Virtual Conference & Innovation Showcase, featuring "Best Practices in Work Zone Safety," is being hosted by the American Road & Transportation Builders Association (ARTBA) Transportation Officials Division. The Federal

Highway Administration, National Association of County Engineers, National Work Zone Safety Information Clearinghouse and the National Local Technical Assistance Program Association are all "charter partners" of the event.

The following ARTBA top staff will be making presentations in their respective areas of expertise:

- Brad Sant, senior vice president of safety and education
- Bill Buechner, vice president of economics and research
- Nick Goldstein, vice president of environmental and regulatory affairs
- Kenyon Gleason, managing director, transportation officials division

LoTrans will also feature over 30 other sessions on work zone safety, legal, environmental, pavement and bridges, and other asset management issues that will help make your agency more efficient. There is no charge to participate.

Register at www.lotransvirtualconference.org

Article of Interest to Local Entities

Funding for Highways is Ready to Roll: A *condensed* guide to how the new transportation bill will affect local governments.

[Click here to read more](#)

September NDLTAP Monthly Safety Talk - Vehicle Inspections

[Click here for NDLTAP Monthly Safety Talk](#)

Federal-aid Essentials for Local Public Agencies

Federal-aid Simplified.

Federal-aid Essentials for Local Public Agencies Official Website.

[Click here for resource link](#)

Save the Date

Winter Roads Maintenance Training

A course announcement with registration details will be sent at a later date.

[Click here for training dates and locations](#)



Important Reminder: Register for the

Regional Local Road Conference and Bus Trip to Conference



[Click here for conference registration and bus trip registration](#)



NDLTAP is asking for your input: If you haven't already done so, please complete the NDLTAP Training Needs Assessment by **September 12, 2012**.

[Click here to complete the Training Needs Assessment](#)

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Thank you,

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