NORTH CAROLINA

Multimodal Connected Vehicle Pilot

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Recipient: North Carolina Department of Transportation

Project Description
The North Carolina Department of Transportation Multimodal Connected Vehicle Pilot project aims to create a connected environment that can be used to evaluate the impact of connected vehicle (CV) technology and applications on driver and pedestrian safety. This connected environment will include an application delivering safety notifications to all of its users, including pedestrians, cyclists, transit riders and motorists. The CV applications will use a hybrid Dedicated Short Range Communication and cellular communication system with in-vehicle and roadside components. The pilot will also focus heavily on improvements to the North Carolina State University bus system. To improve transit vehicle efficiency, a new intelligent traffic signal system will be deployed to implement transit signal priority and collect and analyze high-resolution data.

About ATCMTD
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