# July 2016 Monthly Operations Report







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## INTRODUCTION

Pursuant to Schedule 6, Section 1.8.2(a) of the Concession Agreement, Plenary Roads Denver ("PRD") is required to submit a monthly report covering all essential statistics related to the Managed Lanes. The following data covers the month of June 2016. Operationally, Junely was a positive month. Several routine maintenance tasks were completed, there were minimal incidents to maintained elements, and traffic volumes were consistent with expectations.

#### **1.0 VOLUMES AND LANE USAGE**

In July 2015, the Managed Lanes for Phase 1 on US 36 began toll operations. At the same time, HOV vehicles were required to use a switchable transponder in order to travel the I-25 and US 36 Managed Lanes at no charge. The traffic patterns immediately shifted towards more ExpressToll™ (AVI) and License Plate (LPT) vehicles and fewer HOV transactions. Over the last several months as more commuters use the transponders for either AVI or HOV travel, LPT transactions have consistently decreased as a percentage of total traffic volume. The total monthly gantry traffic volume for July 2016 in the I-25 Central and US 36 Managed Lanes was 261,701 and 1,150,432, respectively.

The table below provides the monthly summary for each Managed Lanes roadway, along with a detailed breakdown of weekday volumes. For reference, the AM Peak Period is considered to be weekdays from 6:45 am – 8:45 am. The PM Peak Period is considered to be weekdays from 4:30pm – 6:00pm. It should be noted that the I-25 Managed Lane traffic reflects traffic counts from a single gantry and US 36 Managed Lane counts reflect ten gantries, five gantries in each direction. Therefore, US 36 data will indicate higher traffic counts that are not comparative to those of I-25.

The following charts depict the distribution of traffic by type (Figure 1) and the daily traffic counts (Figure 2) and for the month.

Traffic Summary (I-25C)							
	AVI	LPT	HOV	Non-Rev & Hybrid	Total	Hybrid	
Total Monthly Traffic	106,527	80,871	61,752	12,551	261,701	2,518	
Maximum Weekday Traffic	5,472	3,855	2,695	635	12,104	132	
Average Weekday Traffic	4,747	3,224	2,466	583	10,437	117	
Average Hourly AM Peak Traffic	655	391	346	81	1,392	N/A	
Average Hourly PM Peak Traffic	594	382	327	79	1,303	N/A	



Traffic Summary (US 36)							
	AVI	LPT	HOV	Non-Rev & Hybrid	Total	Hybrid	
Total Monthly Traffic	481,330	336,880	292,134	40,088	1,150,432	7,624	
Maximum Weekday Traffic	25,397	19,092	11,700	2,078	56,606	512	
Average Weekday Traffic	21,766	14,043	9,961	1,869	47,639	348	
Average Hourly AM Peak Traffic	3,211	1,554	946	246	5,957	N/A	
Average Hourly PM Peak Traffic	3,149	1,824	1,189	226	6,388	N/A	

Table 1 – Monthly Traffic Summaries

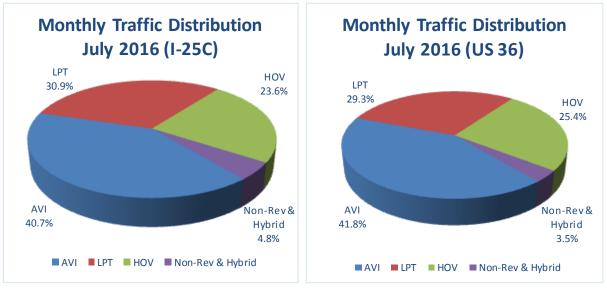
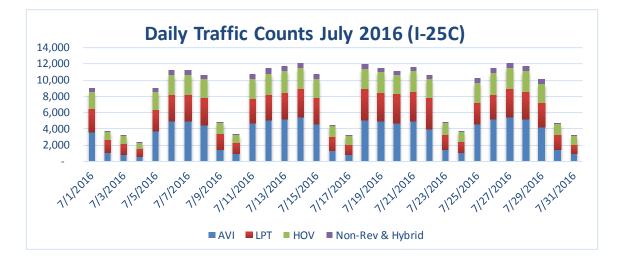


Figure 1 – Monthly Traffic Distribution





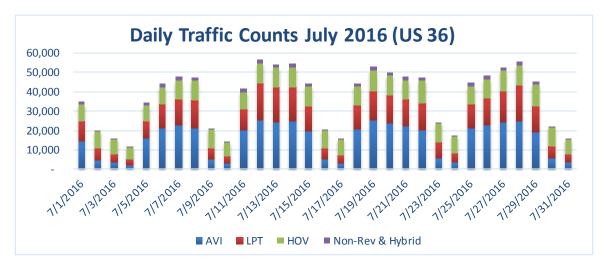


Figure 2 – Daily Traffic Counts

#### 2.0 REVENUES

During the month of July 2016, PRD collected \$470,337 and \$350,057 from users of the I-25 Central and US 36 Managed Lanes, respectively. For purposes of this report, revenues are recognized at the time of collection, which is typically sometime after they have been incurred for those customers who are billed based on their license plate. For example, if a single-occupant vehicle uses the lanes in October but pays in January, the associated revenue is attributed to January.

#### **3.0 OPERATIONAL INCIDENTS, ISSUES, AND CLOSURES**

The project had numerous debris removals, and vegetation control during the month. Some routine lighting incidents arose and are in process for repair within the allowable response period. All incidents were responded to and rectified within the allowable timeframes. Six closures of the managed lanes occurred during the month of July at the direction of First Responders.

Date	Start	Stop	Duration
July 6, 2016	06:53	07:05	0:12
July 12, 2016	16:32	16:54	0:22
July 14, 2016	08:27	08:39	0:12
July 15, 2016	15:47	16:32	0:45
July 20, 2016	17:45	20:15	2:30
July 23, 2016	13:30	14:10	0:40
Total			4:41



Remaining Closure Hours		7:19
Available (Ref: CA 29.7)		

Table 2 – Managed Lanes Closures to Date

On April 8, 2016 the eastbound toll points were set to \$0.00 from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM at the direction of HPTE. This is the first closure case within the last twelve months and it will expire on April 8, 2017.

The table below provides a listing of ETCS items recorded this month, consistent with Appendix 6-2 of Schedule 6.

Element Category	Refer- ence	Element	Performance Item	PRD Notified	Contractual Cure Period	Cure Achieved
1. ETCS Equipment	1.1	Promenade EB-AVI reboot	ETCS equipment is fully functional	7/23/2016 12:00	14 Days	7/24/16 14:15 (Duration: 27:25)
1. ETCS Equipment	1.1	McCaslin WB-No Heartbeat in Lane Health Report	ETCS equipment is fully functional	7/23/2016 09:00:00	14 Days	7/23/16 18:18 (Duration: 09:30)

Table 3 – ETCS Issues per CA Schedule 6 Appendix 6-2

The table below provides a status of all Noncompliance categories in accordance with paragraph 1.2 of Schedule 10.

Non- compliance Location	Nature	Cause	Cure Date	Uncured Non- compliance Point	Unexpired Non- compliance Point	365 Day Expiration Date	1095 Day Expiration Date
Promenade West Toll Point	Incorrect toll schedule	Incorrect Toll Schedule was applied during a software update on 3/7/16	3/16/16 (Period II) Customer Accounts Corrected	0	3	3/16/17	3/16/19

Table 4 – Status of Noncompliance Categories



#### 4.0 MEAN TIME BETWEEN FAILURE (MTBF) AND MEAN TIME TO REPAIR (MTTR)

Mean Time Between Failure (MTBF) and Mean Time To Repair (MTTR) data is provided in the table below. Only Maintained Elements that were repaired during the reporting period and had a failure type breakdown are listed in the table. We consider a breakdown to be a failure when the element cannot be used for its intended purpose until repaired.

Maintained Element	Mean Time Between Failure (MTBF) (Hours)	Mean Time To Repair (MTTR) (Hours)
None	N/A	N/A

Table 5 – Mean Time Between Failure & Mean Time To Repair

#### 5.0 HYBRID UTILIZATION

Total Hybrid Trips				
2,518				
7,624				

Table 6 – Hybrid Utilization

Fuel efficient "Hybrid" vehicles are permitted to access the Express Lanes free of charge, regardless of occupant numbers, provided that they have obtained a permit from CDOT, obtained a Hybrid transponder from E-470, and display an E-470 Hybrid decal on the vehicle's windshield.