Local Agency Federal Aid Program

Guidance, Tracking, Communication and Risk Assessment

Presentation to STAC

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Local Agency Federal Aid projects can address:

- Safety improvements
- Bicycle and pedestrian facilities
- Signals and Signal Timing
- CNG Facilities
- Others



Local Agency project delivery and construction admin "LEAN" effort.

- Process was conducted by internal participants
- Steering committee comprised of CDOT management plus FHWA
- Two key action items:
 - Guidance and tracking tool
 - Ongoing project risk assessment



CDOT's Current Focus

- Communication of LA Federal Aid project development and construction processes
- Allocation of our project oversight resources based on project-specific risks
- Informing and familiarizing Local Agencies with process requirements
- Reaching out to Local Agency groups such as LTAP and APWA



Key action item: interactive, web-based guidance and project tracking tool

- Will allow CDOT AND local agency staff to "track along" with key project milestones (IGA's, design review, ad dates, etc.)
- Integrate learning and informational tools, data exchange media, and other features
- Internal beta-testing this fall
- Asking local agencies to help "test-drive"



Key action item: allocate CDOT resources to projects based on ongoing assessment of risks, conducted by both CDOT and LA staff

- Enhances CDOT/Local Agency communication regarding critical project issues
- CDOT staff will focus oversight role on most risk-critical project elements



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