



# Regional Transportation Management Centre

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# Proof of Concept: 2010 Winter Olympics







# **Funding Partners:**







## **Transportation Partners:**



Traffic congestion and incidents



Regional data sharing and integration



Coordinated Response during Emergency Events





## Vision

The recognized authority on event and incident response, information and communication related to British Columbia's major transportation corridors.

## Mission

To monitor and facilitate timely and accurate response, information and communication related to all events and incidents impacting Lower Mainland's major transportation corridors and all Provincial highway infrastructures.

## **Values**

Safe and Reliable Transport Routes

Timely and Relevant Information that is 100% Accurate

Seamless flow of Information and Communication

Protecting Interests of Transportation Partners

Efficiency and Innovation in ITS





## Jurisdiction: Province of British Columbia

- British Columbia population concentrated to SW Corner of Province
  - Close to 50% of Provincial Pop.
- Driver Population (licensed)
  - 3,108,000 drivers
  - 2,048,000 passenger vehicles
  - 675,000 commercial vehicles
- Road Network
  - Provincially
    - 47,519 road km's and 2,767 bridges
  - Lower Mainland
    - 3,462 road km's and 551 bridges







# Location: 1500 Woolridge St., Coquitlam, BC between Hwy 1 and Hwy 7







# **RTMC Project Components**

- 1. RTMC Building (TMC)
- 2. RTMC Control Centre
- Advanced Traffic
   Management System
   (ATMS)
- 4. Fibre Optic Network Expansion







# 1. RTMC Building







# 2. RTMC Control Centre







# 3. ATMS operation of legacy Lane Control Systems







# 3. ATMS includes Event Management

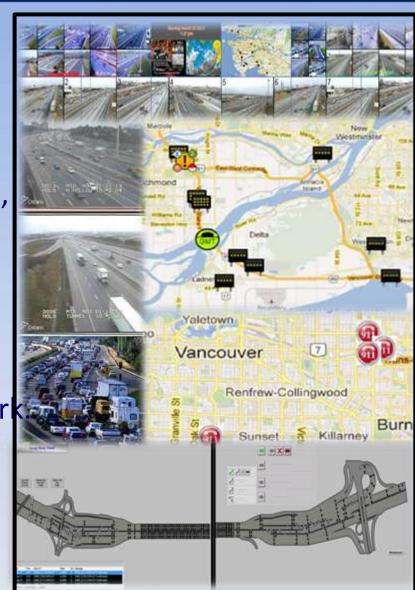






## 3. ATMS Summary

- Integration of cameras, DMSs advanced traveller information system, seismic warning systems, and Lane Control Systems.
- RFP specification based on experiences from other TMCs.
- PRIME 911 feed.
- Highway and Major Road Network
- Multi-Agency Coordination.







# 4. Fibre Optic Network Expansion







# Project Approach



3 Separate contracts were awarded for the RTMC Project.



Project budget was \$11.6M.



Project Completion is March 2015.



Risk Matrix was implemented to track and manage risk.





## Lesson's Learned: Successes



#### **Cost Savings**

- Significant cost savings through partnerships with other Public Agencies.
- Savings through competitive bids for fibre-optic installations.



#### Cooperation with Partners

• Direct connections with PRIME, municipal TMC's, Port Metro Vancouver and other agencies .



#### **Purpose Built Facility**

- RTMC Team worked with the architect to ensure facility met needs.
- Dedicated RTMC server room.



#### **Future Expansion**

• Provisions were made for future expansion of control centre, server room and future partnerships.





# Lesson's Learned: Challenges



#### Schedule Delays

• Testing and implementation of custom software took longer than anticipated.



#### **Negotiating Agreements**

- Some agreements took up to 18 months to finalize.
- Significant legal and insurance delays.



#### Integration with Legacy Systems

- Legacy equipment is between 20 and 50 years old.
- Not all existing field devices are NTCIP compliant.



### Staffing the RTMC

 Ministry staff and contractors are working side by side in the same facility.





# Thank You

