



Volpe, The National Transportation Systems Center

Transportation Policy and Planning

Our Center for Transportation Policy and Planning equips transportation decision makers with the information necessary to make smart investments in the planning, development, management, operations, and financing of transportation systems and agencies.

We conduct economic and social science analyses on a wide range of problems across all transportation modes at the federal, state, regional, and local levels.

We apply our expertise to a diverse array of projects, including the following:

- The creation of alternative transportation systems at national parks
- Cost-benefit analyses of transportation policies
- Design and implementation of national transportation workforce development strategies and programs

Our products help transportation decision makers deliver a world-class transportation system that ensures that people and goods will reach their destinations safely, on time, and with minimal environmental impact.

What We Do

Economic Analysis

Volpe's Economic Analysis Division conducts economic and social science analyses on a wide range of transportation problems. We help transportation leaders make policy, programmatic, regulatory, and procurement decisions.

Organizational Performance

Volpe's Organizational Performance Division helps government and industry decision makers analyze complex issues and develop strategies and programs to deliver a world-class transportation system.



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Transportation Planning

Volpe's Transportation Planning Division develops and advances transportation-planning projects and programs at the local, state, and national levels. We perform research, analysis, communications, evaluation, and oversight work.

Our Capabilities

- Applied research
- Benefit-cost analysis
- Business case analysis
- Econometric modeling
- Forecasting
- Industry analysis
- Professional capacity building
- Program design and performance measurement
- Program evaluation
- Stakeholder outreach and communication
- Strategic planning and organizational performance
- Survey research
- Systems planning

Our Sponsors

- Bureau of Land Management
- Federal Aviation Administration
- Federal Highway Administration
- Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration
- Federal Railroad Administration

- Federal Transit Administration
- Maritime Administration
- National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
- National Park Service
- Office of the Secretary of Transportation
- Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration
- Transportation Security Administration
- U.S. Army
- U. S. Department of Agriculture
- U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- U.S. Transportation Command

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