Mobile Applications



TRANSPORTATION NEEDS ADDRESSED



Striking pedestrians, Collision with bicyclists

HOW COULD THIS HELP?

✓ Increases pedestrian safety near roadways

HOW DOES THIS WORK?

- Rider Alert is a mobile application that aims to reduce collisions between vehicles and pedestrians especially cyclists by scanning for Bluetoothenabled smartphones while moving through traffic.
- It will sound an alert on smartphones running the Rider Alert application when pedestrians and cyclists are nearby.

SOLUTION PITFALLS



SOLUTION IMPROVEMENTS

Requires software application development

INVESTMENT

+ V2X ROADSIDE UNIT COST PER MILE-FREEWAYS

N/A

+ V2X ROADSIDE UNIT COST PER INTERSECTION-SIGNALIZED CORRIDORS \$26,000

+ V2X SIGNAL CONTROLLER COST PER INTERSECTION-SIGNALIZED CORRIDORS \$10,000

+ FIBER OPTICS COST PER MILE

\$158,000

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