# **Spot Weather Impact Warning (SWIW)**



#### **HOW COULD THIS HELP?**

- Reduces weather related crashes
- Reduces delays
- Reduces road closure time

### **HOW DOES THIS WORK?**

An application warns drivers of local hazardous weather conditions by relaying management center and other weather data to roadside equipment, which then re-broadcasts to nearby vehicles.

+ V2X ROADSIDE UNIT COST PER MILE-FREEWAYS

#### \$52,000

- + 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

### TRANSPORTATION NEEDS ADDRESSED



ROAD WEATHER





SAFETY

## SOLUTION IMPROVEMENTS

- Traffic delays and road closures due to weather related incidents
- ✓ Multi-car pile-up
- Rear-end collisions
- Roadway departure crashes

#### **SOLUTION PITFALLS**

Infrastructure and vehicle must be V2I equipped

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