

Federal Highway Administration  
**Every Day Counts**  
Innovation Initiative



**Massachusetts State Transportation Innovation Council  
Charter  
Final, December 10, 2013**

Objective of the State Transportation Innovation Council

The STIC provides multi-stakeholder leadership to perpetuate the deployment of innovation. As a representative body of transportation stakeholders in Massachusetts, the STIC is the forum for initiating and overseeing the process of deploying and institutionalizing innovative strategies and technologies to accelerate transportation project delivery and enhance project quality and effectiveness. The STIC acts as a catalyst for technologies, techniques, and tactics that have been demonstrated in "real world" applications and can offer improved performance/effectiveness in their state.

STIC Member Responsibilities

STIC Members provide input on the initiatives to be pursued, appoint agency and industry representatives to the implementation teams, and establish performance goals to measure success. STIC decisions are by agreement of all participating members subject to the concurrence of the MassDOT and FHWA co-chairs.

Meeting Schedule

The STIC meets on a quarterly basis. The STIC will disband only upon agreement of the two co-chairs.

Resources

Staff support for the STIC will be provided by both the MassDOT and FHWA EDC Coordinators. Funding for travel for the STIC and the implementation teams may be available from FHWA.

STIC Membership

The STIC is comprised of representatives of MassDOT, FHWA, other state transportation agencies, state resource agencies, state-sponsored technical assistance programs, metropolitan planning organizations, municipalities, transportation consultants, the transportation construction industry, and federal resource agencies, as shown on the attached table. The STIC is jointly chaired by the MassDOT Highway Administrator and the FHWA Massachusetts Division Administrator.

**STIC Membership**

<b>STIC Position</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Agency / Organization</b>
State DOT Division Administrator (STIC Co-chair)	DePaola	Frank	Administrator	MassDOT - Highway Division
FHWA Division Administrator (STIC Co-chair)	Stephenson	Pamela	Division Administrator	FHWA - Massachusetts
State EDC Coordinator	Partington	Eliza	Accelerated Bridge Program Technical Coordinator	MassDOT - Highway Division
FHWA EDC Coordinator	Daigle	Michelle	EDC Coordinator / Area Engineer	FHWA - Massachusetts
FHWA Assistant Division Administrator	Miller	Ken	Assistant Division Administrator	FHWA - Massachusetts
State DOT	Mohler	David	Executive Director	MassDOT - Office of Transportation Planning
State DOT	Leavenworth	Patty	Chief Engineer	MassDOT - Highway Division
State DOT	Anderson	David	Deputy Chief Engineer for Project Delivery	MassDOT - Highway Division
State DOT	McGrath	Michael	Deputy Chief Engineer for Construction	MassDOT - Highway Division
State DOT	Scott	Beverly	Rail and Transit Administrator / General Manager	MassDOT - Rail and Transit Division / MBTA
Transportation Agency	Sleiman	Sam	Director of Capital Programs and Environmental Affairs	Massachusetts Port Authority
State Resource Agency Representative	Murray	Jack	Commissioner	Department of Conservation and Recreation
LTAP/TTAP Representative (University Transportation Center)	Pepin	Steve	Research Program Manager	MassDOT - Office of Transportation Planning

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Local Public Agencies	Benevento	Richard	President	American Public Works Association - New England
Local Public Agencies	Reynolds	Tom	Chairman	Massachusetts Highway Association
Contractor Representative	Pourbaix	John	Executive Director	Construction Industries of Massachusetts
Consultant Representative	Goodman	Abbie	Executive Director	American Council of Engineering Companies - Massachusetts
MPO Representative	Brennan	Timothy	Secretary/Treasurer	Massachusetts Association of Regional Planning Agencies
MPO Representative (Alternate)	Kilmer	Charles		Massachusetts Association of Regional Planning Agencies
Federal Resource Agency Representative	Mello	Mary Beth	Regional Administrator	Federal Transit Administration
Federal Resource Agency Representative	Vasconcelos	Daniel	Liaison, Permits, and Enforcement Section	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Federal Resource Agency Representative	Bisignano	Chris		U.S. Coast Guard