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Specific Program or Category	Primary Contact	Secondary Contact
- A -		
ALERT Bulletin (AIM)	Tenges, Ryan	
Access Control Management	Overstreet, Thava	
Access Management (Non-Freeway)	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Administrative Support	Bush, Kristie	Borres, Boday
Aggregates and Bases	Tenges, Ryan	Griffith, Sam
Air Quality - Transportation Conformity Rule	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Alternative Fuels Corridors	Akkad, Noura	Higdon, Tonya
Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) - Accessibility Design	Eldridge, Brad	Overstreet, Thava
Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) - Civil Rights	Overstreet, Thava	Jacobs, Steven

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Appalachian Development Highway System	Griffith, Sam	Whitworth, David
Appraisals/Acquisition (ROW)	Overstreet, Thava	
Asset Management (Transportation Assets Management Process/Plans)(TAMP)	Akkad, Noura	Higdon, Tonya
Audit Coordination	Clarke, Keenan	Jacobs, Steven
- B -		
Bicycle and Pedestrian Program Coordination and Outreach	Tenges, Ryan	Vail, Nick
Bid Price Data	Matumueni, Justin	Eldridge, Brad
Brent Spence Bridge (I-75/I-71) Major Project	Whitworth, David *	Diop, Mour
Bridge Design	Sandefur, Kevin	
Bridge Formula Program (BFP) BIL	Sandefur, Kevin	
Bridge Program (NBIP, NTIP, bridge design, etc.)	Sandefur, Kevin	
Bridge Replacement & Rehabilitation Program	Sandefur, Kevin	
Briefings	Jeter, Todd	Borres, Boday
Brooks Act - Consultant Contracts	Eldridge, Brad	Matumueni, Justin
Buy America	Matumueni, Justin	Eldridge, Brad
- C -		
Carbon Reduction Program (CRP)	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Civil Rights	Overstreet, Thava	Jacobs, Steven
Clean Water Act - USACE 404/401 Permits	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Community Impact Assessments	Diop, Mour	Vail, Nick
Complete Streets Initiative	Tenges, Ryan	Vail, Nick
Compliance Assessment Program (CAP)	Jacobs, Steven *	Leaders, Team

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Concurrence in Award/Rejection	Matumueni, Justin	Griffith, Sam
Congestion Management (Design & Operations)	Akkad, Noura	Eldridge, Brad
Congestion Management Process (CMP) – MPO/TMA	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality (CMAQ) Program and Annual Reports	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Congressional Inquiries	Borres, Boday	Jeter, Todd
Congressional Inquiries (Project Specific)	Whitworth, David	
Connected and Autonomous Vehicles (C/AV) V2V, V2I, etc.	Akkad, Noura	Tenges, Ryan
Construction Contract Requirements	Griffith, Sam	Whitworth, David
Construction Program	Griffith, Sam	Whitworth, David
Context Sensitive Solutions (CSS)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP), Occupant Emergency Plan (OEP), Emergency Preparedness (EP)	Bush, Kristie	Tenges, Ryan
Contract Administration	Matumueni, Justin	Griffith, Sam
Crash Data and Traffic Records	Tenges, Ryan	
Current Billings	Clarke, Keenan	Jacobs, Steven
- D -		
DBE & Supportive Services	Overstreet, Thava	
DELPHI Accounting System	Bush, Kristie	
DFS SES Objectives - Mid-year and End of Year	Jacobs, Steven *	
Dashboard Report	Jeter, Todd	Jacobs, Steven *
Davis Bacon Act – Wage and Rates (Labor Compliance Enforcement, FHWA-1494)	Overstreet, Thava	Whitworth, David *
Davis Bacon Act – Wage and Rates (Project related)	Matumueni, Justin	Griffith, Sam
Delta Regional Authority	Higdon, Tonya	Ballantyne, John

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Department of Homeland Security	Bush, Kristie	Whitworth, David *
Design Program	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Design Standards (AASHTO Roadside Design Guide)	Tenges, Ryan	Eldridge, Brad
Design Standards (Geometric - AASHTO Green Book)	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Design-Build Procurement	Griffith, Sam	Whitworth, David *
Discretionary Grants Programs (TIGER, BUILD, INFRA, RAISE, etc.)	Buckner, Aaron	
Discretionary Programs Funding	Jacobs, Steven	Clarke, Keenan
Driver Behavior	Tenges, Ryan	
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E2 Travel Authorizations, Fund Certification, and Vouchers	Bush, Kristie	Clarke, Keenan
EMS (Emergency Medical Services)	Tenges, Ryan	
Early and Advance (Hardship and Protected Buy) Acquisitions	Overstreet, Thava	Diop, Mour
Emergency Coordination (EC), ESF1, Alerts (AIM)	Tenges, Ryan	Jacobs, Steven
Emergency Relief (ER) Program	Matumueni, Justin	Whitworth, David *
Employee Assistance Program	Bush, Kristie	Tenges, Ryan
Employee Performance Management	Jeter, Todd	Borres, Boday
Endangered and Threatened Species, ESA Section 7	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Environmental Justice (EJ) – NEPA	Diop, Mour	Vail, Nick
Environmental Justice (EJ) – Planning	Vail, Nick	Overstreet, Thava
Environmental Mitigation, Programs, Project Development (NEPA)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John

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Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)	Overstreet, Thava	
Erosion Control	Diop, Mour	Griffith, Sam
Every Day Counts (EDC) Innovation Implementation (STIC Network and Incentives, AID Demo Grants, AMR Program, IFS)	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
- F -		
FHWA 1494 Report (Labor Compliance Enforcement Report)	Overstreet, Thava	
Federal Land Transfers	Overstreet, Thava	
Federal Lands Highway Program Coordination including Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP)	Higdon, Tonya	Ballantyne, John
Federal-aid Project Involvement: Design, Construction & Operations - Districts 1, 2, 3, 7,10	Eldridge, Brad	
Federal-aid Project Involvement: Design, Construction & Operations - Districts 4, 6, 8, 9	Matumueni, Justin	
Federal-aid Project Involvement: Design, Construction & Operations - Districts 5, 11, 12	Griffth, Sam	
Ferry Boat Program	Higdon, Tonya	Ballantyne, John
Financial Management (FIRE)	Jacobs, Steven	Clarke, Keenan
Financial Management Information System (FMIS)	Jacobs, Steven	Clarke, Keenan
Floodplains	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Freedom of Information Act (FOIA)	Clarke, Keenan	Bush, Kristie
Freight Planning, Performance, and Coordination	Higdon, Tonya	Akkad, Noura
Functional Replacement (ROW)	Overstreet, Thava	
Funding Guidance	Jacobs, Steven	Clarke, Keenan
- G -		
GSA Fleet Vehicles	Bush, Kristie	Clarke, Keenan

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Geotechnical (Roadway)	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Geotechnical (Structures)	Sandefur, Kevin	
Ground Water Runoff and Karst Areas	Diop, Mour	Sandefur, Kevin
- H -		
Hazard Elimination Program (HES)	Tenges, Ryan	
Heavy Vehicle Use Tax (HVUT) & Certification	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
High Risk Rural Road Roadside Safety Audits	Tenges, Ryan	
Highway Capacity Manual	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Highway Design (Geometrics)	Eldridge, Brad	Akkad, Noura
Highway Lighting and Luminaries	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David *
Highway Performance Monitoring Systems (HPMS)	Higdon, Tonya	Akkad, Noura
Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP, HES, RRP)	Tenges, Ryan	
Highway Safety Standards Section 402	Tenges, Ryan	
Highway Statistics (Section 500 Series)	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Highway Systems (Interstate Designations, NHS Changes, STRAHNET Changes, Functional Classification Changes, FAP)	Higdon, Tonya	Ballantyne, John
Highway Use Tax Evasion Grants (HUTE)	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Historic Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU)	Overstreet, Thava	Borres, Boday
Historic Bridge Program	Sandefur, Kevin	Diop, Mour
Historic Preservation Act (Section 106)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA) Design and Construction	Tenges, Ryan	Whitworth, David *
Hydraulics & Hydrology, FEMA No-Rise Certificate	Sandefur, Kevin	Akkad, Noura

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Impaired Driving (Section 159) – Cert	Tenges, Ryan	
Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) Architecture (Statewide and MPOs)	Akkad, Noura	Tenges, Ryan
Interstate Access Policy and Freeway Management	Eldridge, Brad	Akkad, Noura
I-69 EIS for I-69 Henderson to Evansville Ohio River Crossing ORX	Diop, Mour	Eldridge, Brad
I-69 Ohio River Crossing Major Project (I-69 ORX)	Eldridge, Brad	
I-75/I-71 Interchanges in Northern KY - INFRA Grant Project	Matumueni, Justin	Whitworth, David
- L -		
LTAP (Local Transportation Assistance Program)	Tenges, Ryan	Akkad, Noura
Legislation	Jeter, Todd	Borres, Boday
Linking Planning and NEPA - Planning Environmental Linkages (PEL) Studies	Diop, Mour	Higdon, Tonya
Livability Programs	Vail, Nick	Diop, Mour
Local Public Agency (LPA) Contract Administration and Program Oversight	Buckner, Aaron	Ballantyne, John
- M -		
MPO Area Boundaries	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
MPO Planning Assistance Grants (PL Funding) - Unified Planning Work Programs (UPWP)	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
MPO Urban Area Boundaries	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
MUTCD / Traffic Operations	Akkad, Noura	Eldridge, Brad
Maintenance Program	Akkad, Noura	Matumueni, Justin

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Major Projects Program	Whitworth, David *	Borres, Boday *
Materials Quality Assurance and Quality Control (QA/QC) (Construction and Materials)	Tenges, Ryan	Ballantyne, John *
Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Coordination: Bowling Green (BGWC), Louisville MPO (KIPDA), Radcliff/Elizabethtown MPO (REZ)	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Coordination: Cincinnati Area MPO (CIN), Clarksville Area MPO (CLK), Evansville Area MPO (ENV), Huntington Area MPO (KYO), Lexington Area MPO (LEX), Owensboro-Daviess County MPO (OWN), Paducah MPO (NEW!)	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Motor Fuel Data	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Motorcycle Safety	Tenges, Ryan	
Mountain Parkway INFRA Project	Matumueni, Justin	Eldridge, Brad
- N -		
NEPA Coordination: Brent Spence Bridge, I-69 ORX Henderson to Evansville, Mountain Parkway Extension, Ring Road, US 460 & 119 (Appalachian Corridor)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
NEPA Program Administration (Programmatic Agreements, Annual Reporting, PAPI, Agency Coordination w/ USFWS, USACE, SHPO, etc.)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
NEPA Project Level Reviews	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
NEPA Project and Corridor Planning and Environment Linkages (PEL)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
National Bridge Inspection Program (NBIP)	Sandefur, Kevin	
National Cooperative Highway Research Program (NCHRP)	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
National Electric Vehicle Infrastructure (NEVI) Program - BIL	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
National Highway Freight Program (NFP) - BIL	Higdon, Tonya	Akkad, Noura
National Highway Performance Program (NFPP) - BIL	Higdon, Tonya	Akkad, Noura

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National Historic and Historic Covered Bridge Preservation Program	Sandefur, Kevin	Diop, Mour
National Tunnel Inspection Standards (NTIS)	Sandefur, Kevin	
Navigation and U.S. Coast Guard Clearance	Sandefur, Kevin	Diop, Mour
New Employee Training	Borres, Boday	Leaders, Team
Newtown Pike Extension Project	Whitworth, David	Ballantyne, John
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Occupant Protection	Tenges, Ryan	
Office Space Management	Bush, Kristie	Borres, Boday
On the Job Training (OJT)	Overstreet, Thava	
Operating Budget (GOE Reconciliation)	Clarke, Keenan	
Operating Budget TBB	Jacobs, Steven	
Outdoor Advertising	Overstreet, Thava	
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PEER - Personal Employee Engagement Representative	Tenges, Ryan *	Bush, Kristie
PROTECT (Resilience Improvement Plans and Programs)	Akkad, Noura	Vail, Nick
Pavement Design	Tenges, Ryan	
Pavement Management Systems (PMS)	Tenges, Ryan	Akkad, Noura
Pavement Warranties	Tenges, Ryan	
Planning Programs (MPO)	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Planning Programs (Statewide)	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Planning Recurring Actions http://staffnet.fhwa.dot.gov/hep/staffep/rlpa.htm	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Police Traffic & Enforcement Services	Tenges, Ryan	

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Program and Process Reviews	Jacobs, Steven *	
Program and Risk Assessments	Jacobs, Steven *	Leaders, Team
Project Management	Griffith, Sam	Whitworth, David *
Public Involvement - Environmental NEPA (Policy Plans, Project Plans, and Virtual PI)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Public Involvement - State and MPO Planning (Participation Plans and Virtual PI)	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
- Q -		
Quality Assurance and Quality Control (Construction & Materials)	Tenges, Ryan	Griffith, Sam
Quality, Corporate Management Strategies	Jeter, Todd	Borres, Boday
- R -		
Railroad Crossing Safety	Tenges, Ryan	
Railroad Safety Program (RRS & RRP)	Tenges, Ryan	
Rails to Trails Program	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Reconnecting Communities Program (RCP) - Planning Grants	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Recreational Trails Program (RTP)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Recruiting and Trainee Coordinator	Tenges, Ryan	Bush, Kristie
Research and Development	Tenges, Ryan	Eldridge, Brad
Rest Areas	Matumueni, Justin	Ballantyne, John
Right-of-Way Access Control, Changes, Airspace, etc.	Overstreet, Thava	
Right-of-Way Disposals	Overstreet, Thava	
Right-of-Way Encroachment Permits	Whitworth, David	
Right-of-Way Legal Settlements	Overstreet, Thava	

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Right-of-Way Relinquishments to Locals or other agency	Higdon, Tonya	Overstreet, Thava
Right-of-Way (ROW) Program and ROW Certifications	Overstreet, Thava	
Risk Based Project Involvement (RBPI) - Selection, Coordination and Management	Eldridge, Brad	Jacobs, Steven *
Roadside Audits	Tenges, Ryan	
- S -		
SCOPE Reports	Jeter, Todd	Borres, Boday
Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Program	Tenges, Ryan	Buckner, Aaron
Safety (Internal)	Borres, Boday	Leaders, Team
Safety Engineering and Infrastructure Programs	Tenges, Ryan	
Safety Programs (Non-Infrastructure)	Tenges, Ryan	
Scenic Byways Program	Vail, Nick	Higdon, Tonya
Section 4(f) – Publicly Owned Parks, Recreational Areas, Wildlife and Waterfowl Refuges, or Public and Private Historical Sites	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Section 6(f) – Land and Water Conservation Funds	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Standard Specifications, Special Notes, Special Provisions	Tenges, Ryan	Whitworth, David
State and Project Briefings	Jacobs, Steven *	Bush, Kristie
Statewide Planning and Research (SPR) Work Program – Part A Statewide Planning Assistance Grants	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Statewide Planning and Research (SPR) Work Program – Part B Research Program	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Stewardship & Oversight Agreement	Borres, Boday	Jacobs, Steven *
Strategic Highway Safety Plan (SHSP)	Tenges, Ryan	
Structures Program	Sandefur, Kevin	

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Suspensions and Debarment	Jeter, Todd	Borres, Boday
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TCSP Transportation, Community, and System Preservation Program - Discretionary Grants	Buckner, Aaron	Jacobs, Steven
Technology Transfer (T2), TDIPP, and Marketing Funds	Akkad, Noura	
Threatened and Endangered Species	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Time & Attendance (CASTLE)	Bush, Kristie	Jacobs, Steven *
Title VI	Overstreet, Thava	
Tolls (Project Level)	Whitworth, David *	
Tourism	Higdon, Tonya	Vail, Nick
Traffic Analysis	Akkad, Noura	Whitworth, David *
Traffic Incident Management (TIM)	Akkad, Noura	Tenges, Ryan
Traffic Operations Center – Traffic and Roadway Information	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
Traffic Operations and Signals	Akkad, Noura	Whitworth, David *
Transportation Alternatives (TA) (STBG-TA) formerly TAP, Transportation Enhancements (TE)	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Transportation Asset Management Process (TAMP) - Bridge Management Systems (BMS)	Sandefur, Kevin	Akkad, Noura
Transportation Asset Management Process (TAMP) - Overall Coordination, Plans Updates, Certifications, Consistency Determinations, etc.	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
Transportation Asset Management Process (TAMP) - Pavement Management Systems (PMS) and Pavement Data Quality Management Plans (DQMP)	Tenges, Ryan	Akkad, Noura
Transportation Performance Measures (TPM) Overall Coordination - Targets, Reporting, and Updates	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John

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Transportation Performance Measures (TPM) - PM1 Safety - Target Setting, Monitoring, Updates	Tenges, Ryan	Akkad, Noura
Transportation Performance Measures (TPM) - PM2 Bridge - Target Setting Monitoring, Updates	Sandefur, Kevin	Akkad, Noura
Transportation Performance Measures (TPM) - PM2 Pavements - Target Setting Monitoring, Updates	Tenges, Ryan	Akkad, Noura
Transportation Performance Measures (TPM) - PM3 Congestion Measures, Truck, & Travel Reliability - Target Setting, Monitoring, Updates	Vail, Nick	Akkad, Noura
Transportation Systems Management and Operations (TSMO)	Akkad, Noura	Ballantyne, John
Tribal Coordination with Federally Recognized Native American Indian Tribes – NEPA, S106, Project Development	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Tunnel Management	Sandefur, Kevin	
- U -		
UPACS	Clarke, Keenan	
US 460 & 119 (Appalachian Corridor)	Griffith, Sam	
Underground Storage Tanks	Whitworth, David	Diop, Mour
Uniform Relocation Assistance Act	Overstreet, Thava	Ballantyne, John
Unit Performance Plan (KY Division)	Jacobs, Steven *	Borres, Boday
Utilities Program	Whitworth, David	Griffith, Sam
- V -		
Value Engineering	Eldridge, Brad	Whitworth, David
Vehicle Size and Weight Enforcement Program (VSWE)	Higdon, Tonya	Ballantyne, John
Vehicle to Infrastructure (V2I)	Akkad, Noura	Tenges, Ryan
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Wage Compliance Officer (In-Depth Wage & Hour)	Overstreet, Thava	
Wellness Committee	Tenges, Ryan	Overstreet, Thava
Wetlands	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Wild and Scenic Rivers	Diop, Mour	Ballantyne, John
Work Zones / Mobility and Safety	Akkad, Noura	Eldridge, Brad