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e-NEPA



Agenda

e-NEPA Team

What is *e-NEPA*?

What does eNEPA do?

What are the results?



e-NEPA Team FHWA

FHWA –

Office of Planning, Environment and
Realty

Office of Project Development and
Environmental Review

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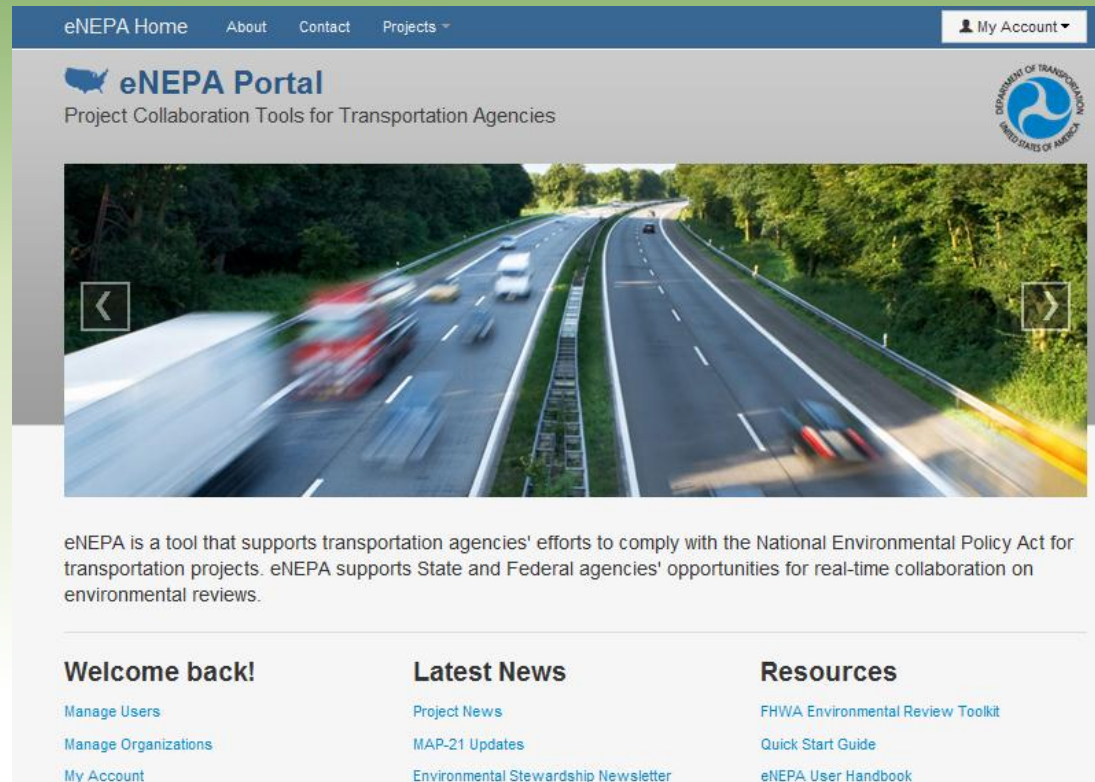
e-NEPA Team Pilot States





What is e-NEPA?

- Web-based interagency collaboration and project development tool



The screenshot shows the eNEPA Portal website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for "eNEPA Home", "About", "Contact", and "Projects", along with a "My Account" dropdown menu. Below the navigation bar, the page title is "eNEPA Portal" with the subtitle "Project Collaboration Tools for Transportation Agencies". The Department of Transportation logo is visible in the top right corner. The main content area features a large image of a multi-lane highway with traffic, flanked by green trees. Below the image, there is a paragraph of text: "eNEPA is a tool that supports transportation agencies' efforts to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act for transportation projects. eNEPA supports State and Federal agencies' opportunities for real-time collaboration on environmental reviews." At the bottom of the page, there are three columns of links: "Welcome back!" with links for "Manage Users", "Manage Organizations", and "My Account"; "Latest News" with links for "Project News", "MAP-21 Updates", and "Environmental Stewardship Newsletter"; and "Resources" with links for "FHWA Environmental Review Toolkit", "Quick Start Guide", and "eNEPA User Handbook".



What is e-NEPA?

- Creates a more transparent process

Add or Remove Project Contacts

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Below is a list of all contacts in the eNEPA Portal system. Check or uncheck contacts to add or remove them from the project. Added contacts will receive an email invitation upon saving the form.

Search:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Name	Organization	State	Title	Email	Phone
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Wilson, Julie	DTS	FL	Engineer	jwilson@dtsgis.com	(970) 472-0807
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Ostrum, William	FHWA HQ	DC	eNEPA Owner	william.f.ostrum@dot.gov	2023664651
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Gabiou, Dan	Arizona DOT	AZ	NEPA Planner, Statewide Team Leader	dgabiou@azdot.gov	602 712 7025
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reddy, Sangeeta	DTS	TX	Project Manager	sreddy@dtsgis.com	(970) 472-0807
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amegashie, Carolyn	WisDOT	WI	Unknown	Carolyn.Amegashie@dot.wi.gov	608 266 2965
<input type="checkbox"/>	Anderson, Darcy	Arizona DOT	AZ	Air & Noise Quality Team Leader	danderson3@azdot.gov	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Anderson, Thor	Arizona DOT	AZ	Multimodal Planning Division	tanderson@azdot.gov	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Baber, John	AHTD	AR	Environmental Scientist	John.Baber@ahtd.ar.gov	(501)569-2523
<input type="checkbox"/>	Barta, Larry	WisDOT	WI	Project Manager	larry.barta@dot.wi.gov	6088317335
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bartholomew, Tim	UTA	UT	Unknown	tbartholomew@rideuta.com	801 237 1953

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What is e-NEPA?

- Facilitates the environmental review process
 - Enhances interagency collaboration
 - Simplifies document management



What is e-NEPA?

- Flexible workflows
 - Accommodate differing project sponsor processes
- Standardized technology
 - Encourage use by participating agencies
 - Provides secure access
- Transparent process
 - Permit access to the project development process



What does eNEPA do?

- Share documents and comments early in the review process

EA : Scoping : Scoping Package Review

Document(s) [Environmental Assessment Preliminary Purpose and Need Document 05/21/2013 04:59 PM](#)
[Environmental Assessment Preliminary Range of Options document 05/21/2013 04:59 PM](#)

Point of Contact Mary Frye

Status

[Testing during Pilot Webinar](#)

Submitted By Sangeeta Reddy, at DTS, Submitted on 5/22/2013 12:09 PM (2 Replies)
test - see if PM receives this email.

Response By William Ostrum, at FHWA HQ, Submitted On 2/21/2014 5:00 PM
test2

Response By Sangeeta Reddy, at DTS, Submitted On 5/22/2013 12:10 PM
Yes - here you go. This is the answer.

[Asking PM a question](#)



What does eNEPA do?

- Provide real-time schedule status and tracking

Actions

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● Transportation Planning		
Phase	Action	Complete
Transportation Plan	LRTP and TIP Details	Yes
	Planning Organization Details	Yes
	Purpose and Need Details	Yes
● Environmental Assessment		
Phase	Action	Complete
Early Coordination	Opportunity For Involvement	Yes
	Project Participation	
	Support Documents	
Scoping	Upload Preliminary Scoping Package	Yes
	Scoping Review	
	Scoping Concurrence	
	Upload Refined Scoping Documents	Yes
Draft Environmental Assessment	Scoping Meetings	
	Support Documents	
	Alternatives Analysis Upload	Yes
	Alternatives Analysis Review	
	Alternatives Analysis Concurrence	
	Manage Technical Study Reviewers	
	Upload Technical Studies	



What does eNEPA do?

- Simplify concurrent agency reviews

Upload Draft EA

- 1 Upload Draft EA Document**

[Download the Draft EA 02/21/2014 05:05 PM](#)

You may upload a new Draft EA. The existing document will be deleted and replaced with this one. Use the document manager to upload other supporting documents.
- 2 Select FHWA Reviewer**

Search:

Name	Organization	Title	Date Added	Date Reviewed	Approved
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Ostrum, William	FHWA HQ	eNEPA Owner	2/21/2014		

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- 3 Review Due Date**

Please select the date by which the Draft EA needs to be reviewed. This date will be added to the project calendar as an event when the form is saved.

Review Due Date *
- 4 Save Changes**

Saving this information will upload the file, and add it to the Document Manager, email the Document Review Invitation to the FHWA Reviewer, and add the Review Due Date to the project calendar, and mark this action complete.



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What does eNEPA do?

- Allow more efficient decisionmaking among project partners



What are the results?

- Improved environmental outcomes
- Better accountability for action and resource agencies
- Clear, transparent and expedited issue resolution
- Reduced paper and mailing costs
- Shorter project timeframe with reduced uncertainty



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Questions?





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THANK YOU!