**New Sponsored Research**

**Transit Metrobus Maintenance Program**, Miami Dade Transit, Jan Davis, Steve Reich & Joel Volinski, $201,558

**Expansion of Alternative Fuel and Vehicle Use in Florida**, Florida Dept. of Community Affairs, Steve Reich, $53,187

**Update of Analysis of Taxicab Rates in Hillsborough County**, Steve Reich & Sisinnio Concas, $20,500

**Transit Planning and Technical Assistance**, Jacksonville Transit Authority, Rob Gregg, $119,159

**Florida Maintenance Training & Technical Assistance Program**, FDOT, Lisa Staes & Ed Bart, $230,000

**NCTR: Commuter Choice: Case Study Development and Analysis**, FDOT, Sara Hendricks, Joel Volinski & Dennis Hinebaugh, $75,000

**NCTR: Benchmark Rankings for Transit Systems**, FDOT, Joel Volinski, Dennis Hinebaugh & Nilgün Kamp, $20,000

**NCTR: Model Regulations for Multimodal Transportation Districts**, FDOT, Kristine Williams, Joel Volinski & Dennis Hinebaugh, $60,000

**NCTR: Public Transit in America**, FDOT, Steve Polzin, Xuehao Chu, Dennis Hinebaugh & Joel Volinski, $60,000

**NCTR: Impacts of Transfer Fares**, FDOT, Joel Volinski & Dennis Hinebaugh, $60,000

**NCTR: Analysis of Florida Transit Bus Crashes**, FDOT, Joel Volinski & Holly Carapella, $60,000

**Transit Planning and Management Services**, LYNX, Rob Gregg, $28,735

**Shuttle Service Technical Assistance Study**, Miami TMA, Victoria Perk, $20,000

**NCTR: Evaluation of Shred Use Park & Ride Impacts**, FDOT, Francis Wambalaba, Joel Volinski & Dennis Hinebaugh, $45,966

**PalmTran Five Year TDP**, PalmTran, Rob Gregg, $188,115

**NCTR: Alternative Sampling Techniques for NTD Reporting**, FDOT, Xuehao Chu, Dennis Hinebaugh & Joel Volinski, $60,000

**Trends and Conditions Research Support**, FDOT, Steve Polzin & Xuehao Chu, $100,000

**Incident Management Team and Resource Development**, FDOT, Firoz Kabir & Larry Hagen, $346,000

**ITS Investment Cost-Benefit Analysis**, FDOT, Firoz Kabir & Ram Pendyala, $347,915

**Costs/Benefits of Strategic Acquisition of Right of Way at Interchange Areas**, FDOT, Jeff Kramer & Kristine Williams, $125,000

**Best Practices for Incident Management in Florida**, FDOT, Larry Hagen & Firoz Kabir, $152,475

**TSI Subcontract**, FDOT, Larry Hagen & Firoz Kabir, $147,525

**Increasing Coordination of Transportation Services for the Transportation Disadvantaged**, Multisystems, Beverly Ward, $31,596

**Florida Vehicle Procurement Program**, FDOT, Lisa Staes & Ed Bart, $356,143

**Impact of Development Characteristics on Vehicle Miles of Travel**, FDOT, Steve Polzin, $39,900

**Effective ITS Applications to Improve Pedestrian Safety**, FDOT, Patricia Turner, $74,053

**Five and Twenty Year TDP**, FDOT, Laurel Land & Holly Carapella, $200,000
Awards, Presentations, Professional Activities

Jennifer Perone, NCTR Student of the Year 2002.


Publications and Reports


Turnpike Enterprise Reorganization Phase 2, FDOT, Steve Reich & Jan Davis, $79,400

Turnpike Enterprise Performance Measures, FDOT, Steve Reich & Jan Davis, $86,526

Highlands County Transit Operations Plan, Central Florida RPC, Chris DeAnnuntis, $23,049


**Proposals Submitted**

Holly Carapella & Dennis Hinebaugh, “Analysis of Florida Transit Bus Crashes,” FDOT, $60,000

Laurel Land & Holly Carapella, “Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged Five and Twenty Year Plans,” Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged, $200,000

Victoria Perk, “Shuttle Services Technical Assistance Study,” Miami Beach TMA, $20,000

Steve Reich & Jan Davis, “Turnpike Enterprise Performance Measures,” FDOT, $86,525

Patricia Turner, “Selecting the Most Effective ITS Applications to Improve Pedestrian Safety,” FDOT, $74,053

Francis Wambalaba & Nilgun Kamp, “Price Elasticity of Rideshare,” FDOT, $30,000

Beverly Ward, “Evaluation of Public Transportation Services Provided to WAGES,” FDOT, $82,711


Kristine Williams, “NCHRP Synthesis: Agreements between Government Entities to Manage Arterial Corridors,” National Academy of Sciences, $25,000

Phil Winters & Lisa Staes, “Rural Transit Assistance Program Center and Training Program,” FDOT, $110,000

Managing the Cost of ADA Paratransit (NTI), February 12-13, 2003, CUTR (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

FTA 49 CFR Part 40 Drug and Substance Abuse, February 13, 2003, Crowne Plaza Orlando (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

Fundamentals of Bus Collision Investigation (TSI), March 24-28, 2003, CUTR (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

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Fundamentals of Bus Collision Investigation (TSI FT 00435), March 24-28, 2003, CUTR (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

FPTA/CUTR Professional Development Workshop, June 17-19, 2003, CUTR (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

Public Involvement in Transportation Decision Making (NTI), June 17-19, 2003 - Embassy Suites, Tampa (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

Substance Abuse Management and Program Compliance (FT00456), June 18-19, 2003, CUTR (contact Molly Buffington, 813/974-7810)

**Staff Additions**

- Jay Goodwill, Senior Research Associate, specializing in public transportation, transportation planning, transit marketing, transit system planning, transit performance analysis, ADA planning/implementation, transit funding

- Jennifer Sibley-Perone, Research Associate, specializing in human factors and cognitive engineering design, human computer interface, experimental design and analysis, statistical analysis, TDM (levels of service)

- Cheryl Thole, Research Associate, specializing in transportation planning and growth management, geographic information systems, paratransit

- Lisa Tucker, Research Associate, specializing in senior transportation issues, qualitative research, focus groups/interviews, collaboration in planning,

- Christian Senn, Research Intern, specializing in transportation planning, highway feasibility studies, traffic safety, traffic information systems and signalization, parking analysis, public transportation