

Director's Report

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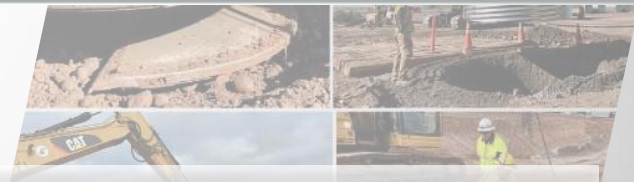
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Awards



The Loop 303 project, which constructed interchanges at 43rd and 51st avenues near I-17, won in the “quality of life/community development” category at the regional level.

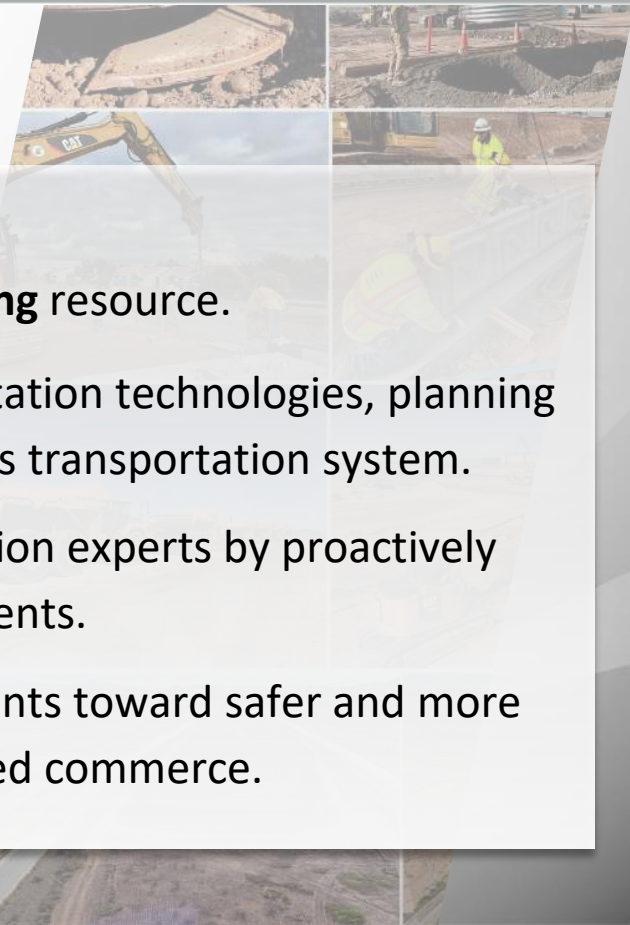


*Transportation Systems Management and Operations Division Director **Brent Cain** accepts ADOT's award.*

Arizona Transportation Institute

AzTI goals

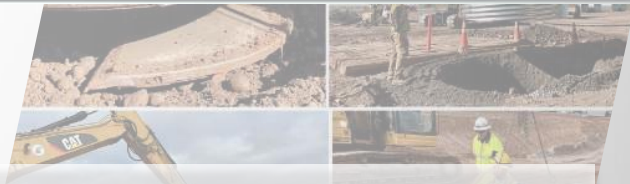
- Serve as a one-stop **research, training, and capacity-building** resource.
- Develop and implement **cutting-edge**, innovative transportation technologies, planning methods, and engineering approaches to improve Arizona's transportation system.
- Foster the **next generation** of multidisciplinary transportation experts by proactively engaging, nurturing, and retaining a diverse cohort of students.
- Support **economic growth and vitality** through improvements toward safer and more accessible and equitable mobility and transportation-related commerce.



I-10/US 191 bridge repair

May 2023 — A crash caused significant damage to the support structure of the US 191 bridge over I-10 just west of Willcox.

July 30, 2024 — The rehabilitated bridge is open!



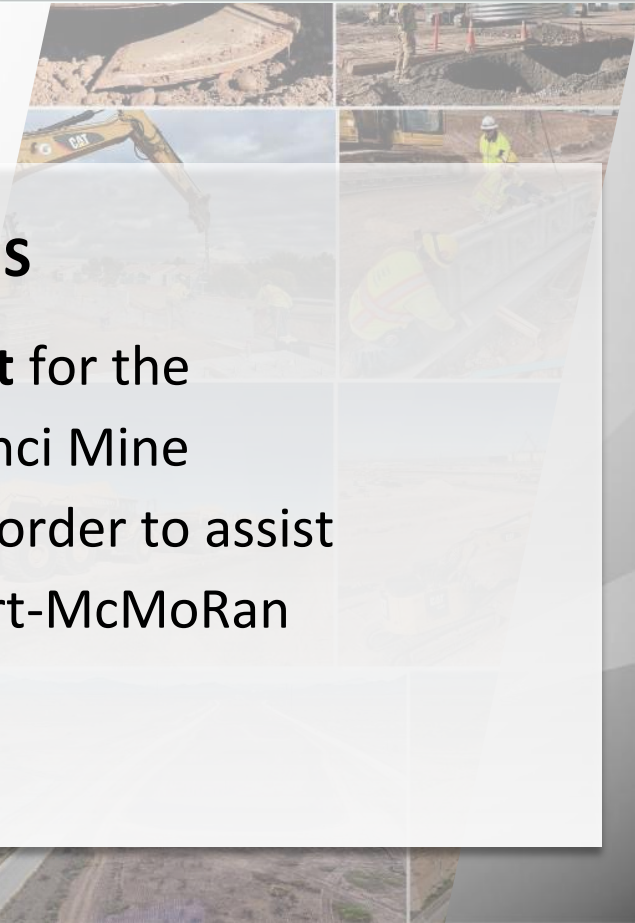
Connector Road Study



US 191 safety assessment

Meeting with Freeport-McMoRan, DPS and GOHS

ADOT will perform a **Roadway Safety Assessment** for the stretch of US 191 between Safford and the Morenci Mine stretch. We'll then utilize the assessment data in order to assist with a safety initiative in connection with Freeport-McMoRan and other stakeholders.



Wildfire prevention

- Don't throw cigarettes out your vehicle window.
- Don't park in tall grass or brush.
- Secure your tow chains before heading out to avoid causing sparks.
- Check your tire pressure before you travel.



Thank you!

