

# MOVE ILLINOIS OUARTERLY MEETING

SEPTEMBER 30, 2020

# AGENDA

### **Move Illinois** Program status

### **Program initiatives**

- Safety
- Diversity
- Professional Services Internship Program

### **Program updates**

- Operational improvements and new electronic processes
- Contract Compliance

### **Moving forward**

Q&A







# MOVE ILLINOIS PROGRAM STATUS

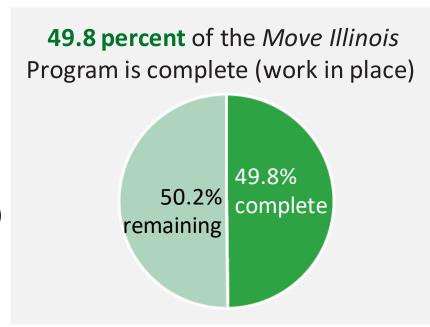
# 2012 through **August 2020**

### **MOVE ILLINOIS PROGRAM BUDGET OVERVIEW**

(2012-2020)

\$9.3 billion or 65.1 percent of the program budget committed

- \$5.1 billion, or approximately 35.6 percent, in construction work
- **\$2.6 billion**, or approximately **18.0 percent**, in consultant services
- \$1.7 billion, or approximately 11.6 percent, in other costs (utilities, ROW, misc.)
- \$173.6 million in reimbursement agreements has been approved; reducing overall program costs by 1.2 percent



### **PROGRAM EXPENDITURES**



2012 \$7,101,923,374 spent

2026

# MOVE ILLINOIS PROGRAM STATUS

# Staffing Updates



JEFF ALLEN
Executive Project
Engineer



Executive Secretary for Engineering



HOPE GARRETT

Executive Project

Engineer



AIMEE LEE
Deputy Chief of
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ROHAN GAYLE

General Manager of Roadway

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**STEVE MEDNIS**General Manager of Traffic and Incident Management



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Deputy Chief of Program

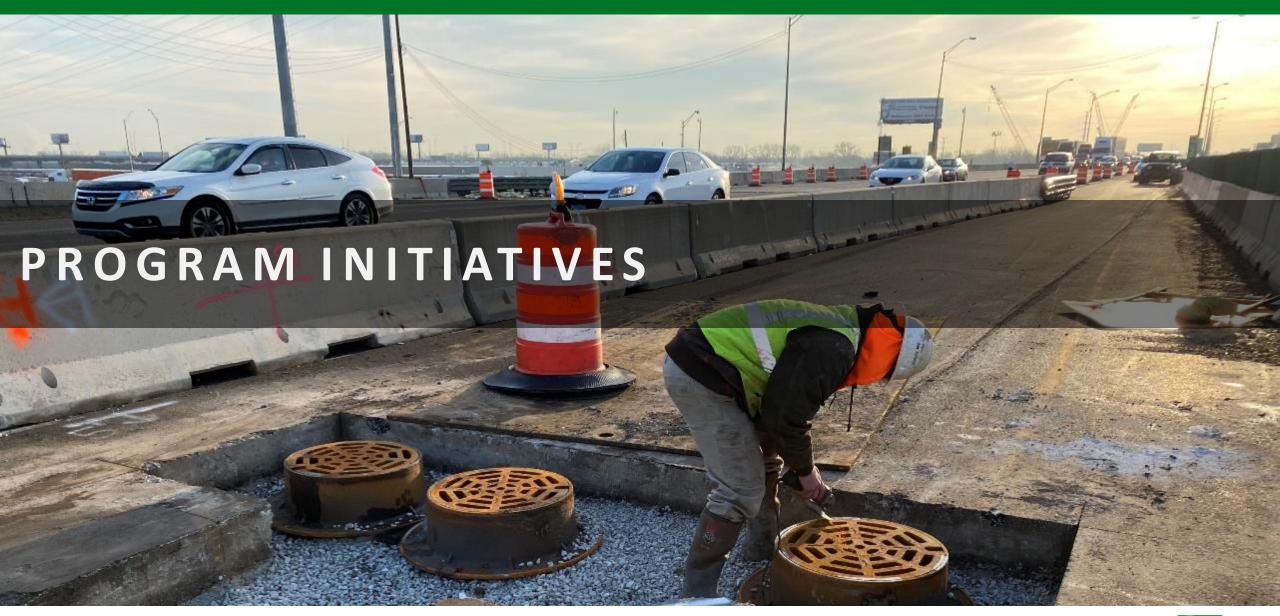
Implementation



DARRION ROBINSON

Deputy Chief of

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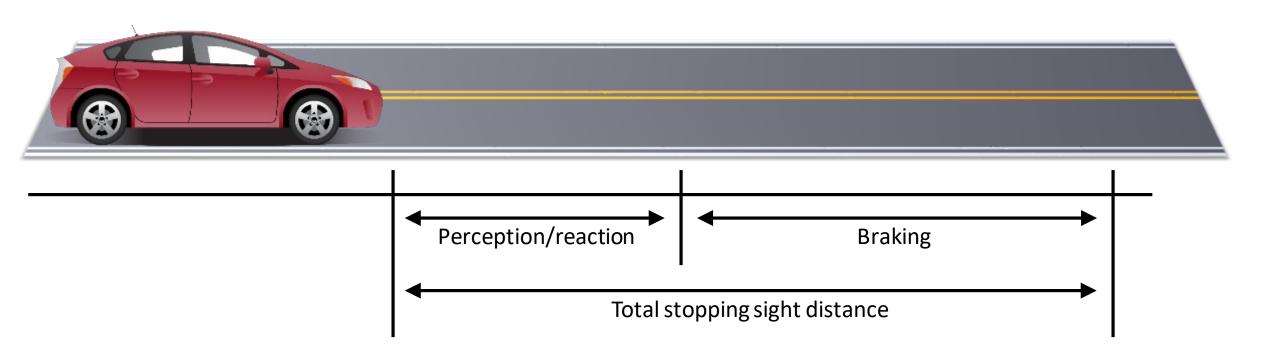




# Safety First

### Perception/reaction distance

• The distance traveled from the time a driver first detects the need to stop until the vehicle actually stops

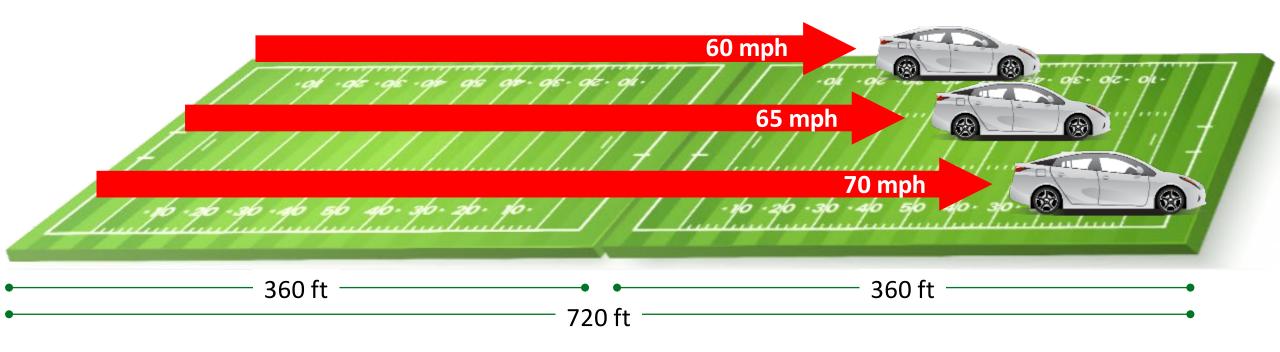




# Safety First

### Total stopping sight distance based on 2.5-second perception/reaction time

Note: Commercial vehicles require much longer distances





# Building for Success Webinar Series

30-minute sessions held on Mondays at 3 p.m.

### Highlights key Tollway programs and initiatives

- Unbundling
- Partnering for Growth and Technical Assistance
- Earned Credit Program and ConstructionWorks

### Provides strategies for improving business operations

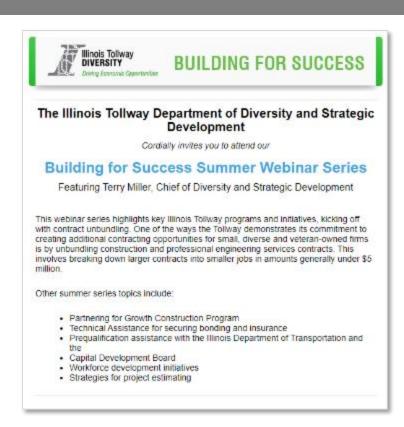
Access to capital, project labor estimating, marketing and outreach

### Leverages relationships with strategic partners/sister agencies

- IDOT/CDB prequalification for professional services/construction
- BEP certification

### New topics presented weekly

Visit the Diversity homepage at illinoistollway.com for schedule





# Small Business Initiative Program

# Creates additional Tollway prime/subcontracting opportunities for small businesses

- Identifies select construction contracts, generally with values of approximately \$5 million or less
- Specifies only small businesses can participate
- Establishes diverse goals for select construction contracts

### Requirements

• Firms must be registered with the Illinois Small Business Set-Aside Program and complete Tollway application process

Annual gross revenues of \$14 million or less

• Meet specifications that may include IDOT or CDB prequalification

### Eligible project scopes

- Demolition, electrical, vertical, structural
- Landscaping, grading/drainage, material procurement

### **Contract size categories**

• \$1 million or less, \$1-3 million, \$3-5 million



Professional Services Internship Program

**PROGRAM GOALS** 

Hands-on experience with industry experts

Opportunities to experience various disciplines within the Tollway

**Contacts and resources for future careers** 

INVESTING IN THE

NEXT GENERATION

OF LEADERS



# Professional Services Internship Program

Participants will work with both the Tollway and an industry partner to gain well-rounded experience

Program designed to provide students the opportunity to learn about all sectors of industry including

- Engineering
- Finance
- Information Technology
- Business Management
- Communications

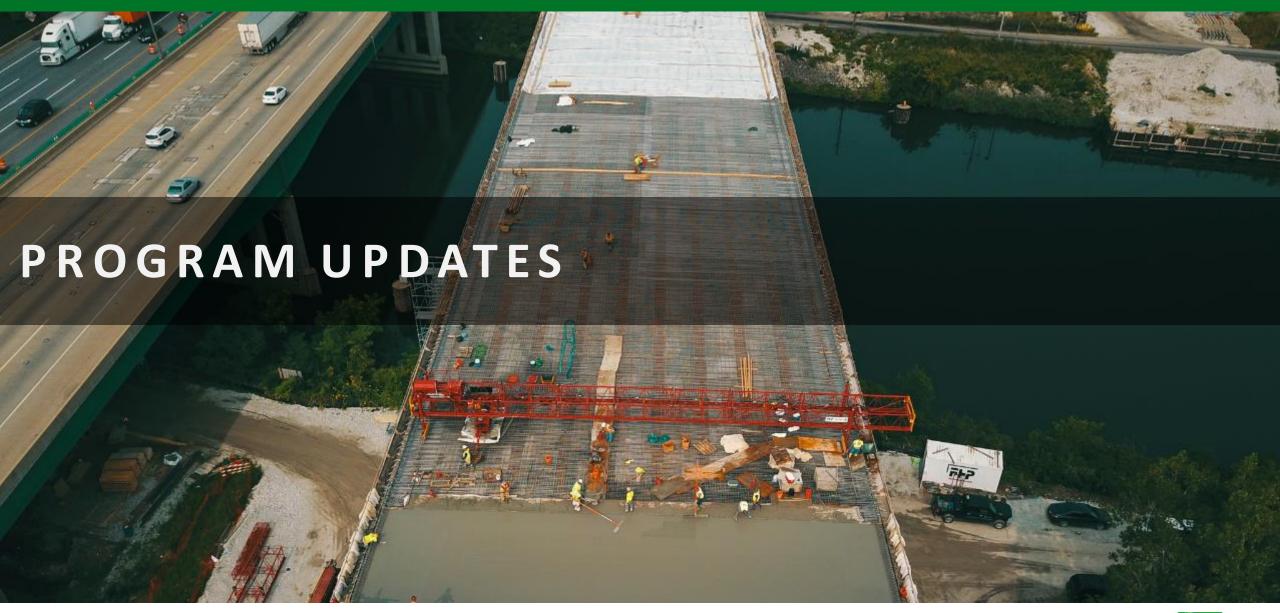
Regular workshops and sustained mentorship

**Contact Lauren Platt for more information** 

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# A UNIQUE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN TOLLWAY AND INDUSTRY







# PROGRAM UPDATES

# Operational Improvements

Immediately adopted remote work practices amid COVID-19 pandemic

Various electronic processes implemented through e-Builder

- Authorizations to Proceed
- Change Order/Extra Work Orders
- Consultant Reallocations
- Pay Estimates
- Consultant Invoices

Working with industry to continue to make improvements

Item	Average Processing Time
Notice To Proceed (From award date)	54 days
Change Orders/Extra Work Orders	33 days
General Contractor Pay Estimates	16 days
Invoices	44 days
Contract Closeouts (Cumulative for 2020)	54 contracts



# PROGRAM UPDATES

Operational Improvements

**Exploring new initiatives to improve operations** 

Implemented new material management plan to reuse excess material

Modified Tollway standards and specifications to modernize and improve requirements in accordance with AASHTO







### Overview

### **Activities include:**

- Monitors diversity goals on contracts
- Site visits to monitor compliance with the Tollway's DBE/VOSB participation requirements
- Review systems to assess progress towards meeting goals

### **Tools and processes:**

B2GNOW

# REPORTING PREVAILING WAGES AND CERTIFYING PAYROLL EEO HIRING



# **CONSTRUCTION BULLETIN 20-02**

## *Issued June 19, 2020*

### **Revisions to the B2GNow Diversity Compliance system:**

- Payments to primes are automatically transferred into B2GNow system no later than the 8th of the month for the prior audit period/month
- Primes have until the 15<sup>th</sup> day of the month to report payments to subcontractors
  - Subcontractors have until the 25<sup>th</sup> day of the month to confirm payments
- Contractor/subcontractor waivers of lien will be allowed to trail for a maximum 60 days
  - Otherwise waivers of lien and sworn statements are submitted with each pay estimate or retainage release request through the B2GNow system

### For questions related to the bulletin contact

ContractCompliance@getipass.com

# CONSTRUCTION BULLETIN 20-02

illinoistollway.com/doingbusiness/constructionengineering/manualsprocesses-guidelines



# B2GNow Software

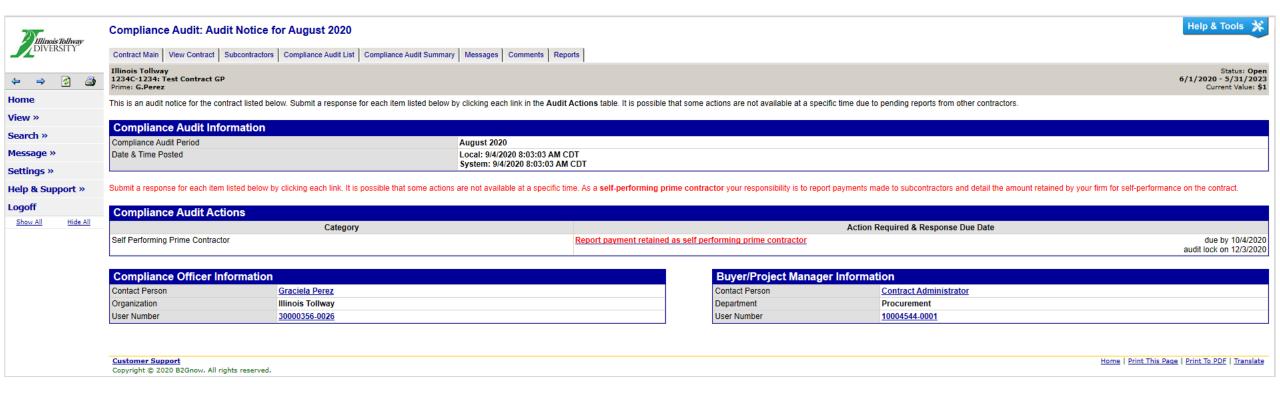
### **B2GNow provides:**

- Tracking for contracts prime and subcontractor payments
- Standardized communication and documentation between contractors and the Tollway
- Real-time performance assessments
- Automated audit and verification notices
- Ability to upload lien waivers
- Complete certification applications from submission to completion
- Complete online directory with keyword and commodity code (NIGP, NAICS)



B2GNow is a **nationally recognized system** that allows vendors to **self-manage** their contracts through simple web-based forms, which **integrate seamlessly** with the Tollway's database and reports

## B2GNow Automated Compliance Audit Process



Reach out to your project analyst for training, questions, reports and support and respond quickly to requests from your analyst to ensure timely payments



### **Automation and Elimination**

#### **Forms**

- LCPtracker replaces Workforce Reporting Worksheet Form EEO 003 and the Capture system for hiring information.
- DBE Trucking Reporting and Verification Form 2024 is incorporated into the regular B2GNow subcontractor reporting process.
- ISTHA DBE Final Payment Report Form 2115 is replaced with partial and final waivers of lien and sworn statements.

### **Revised processes**

- Final waivers of lien and sworn statements for final pay estimate and final retainage requests.
- Partial and final lien waivers and sworn statements in support of pay estimates and retainage release requests will be uploaded through the B2GNow system, eliminating the need for the submission of paper copies.
- Subcontractors are no longer required to confirm zero payments prior to starting work on the site.

#### BENEFITS

- ✓ Eliminate paper
- ✓ Improved management and tracking
- ✓ Streamlined process for vendors
- ✓ Minimize amount of systems and forms required for submittal



### **LCPtracker**

### **About the System**

- Capture System is eliminated and replaced with LCPtracker system
- Payroll reporting is required weekly, at beginning of work with no gaps
  - A "no work performed" report must be submitted to avoid gaps between reports
- EEO hires and payroll information will now be reported in the LCPtracker system
- Contractors and subcontractors are required to meet EEO commitments
- Contact the Diversity Department if you experience challenges in hiring minorities and women, as part of meeting the EEO hiring/work hour requirements



### **KEY FEATURES**

- Eliminates manual payroll submission
- ✓ Captures certified payroll and EEO hiring information
- Onsite real-time visits



