

Breakout Session 2

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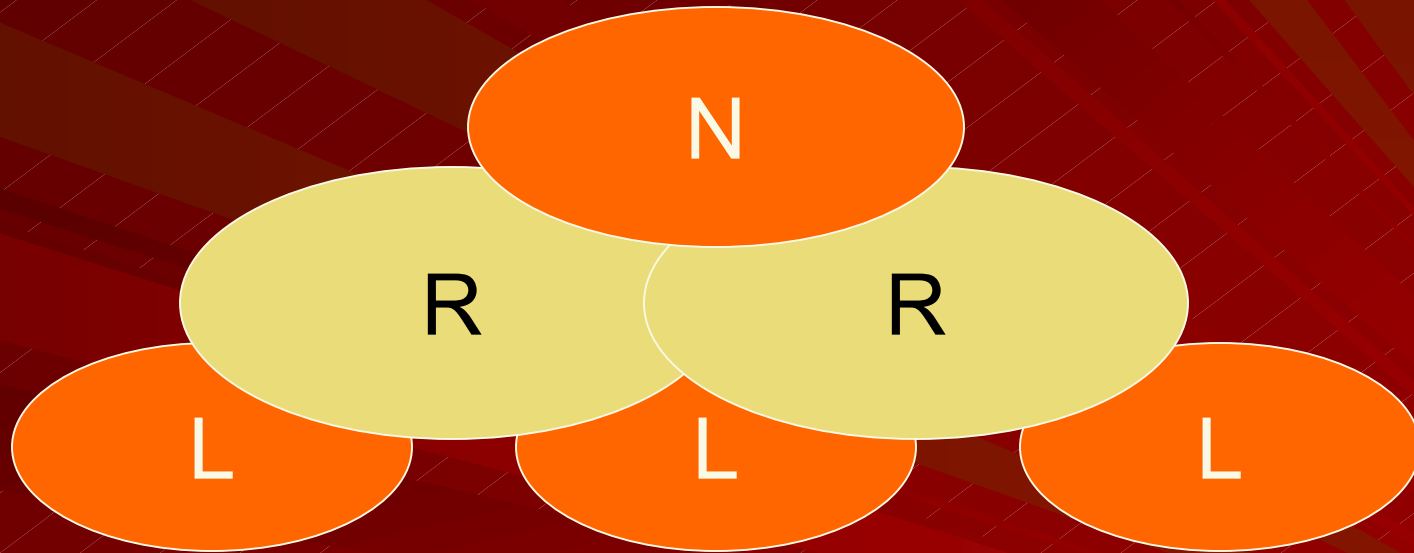
Making the INFOstructure Work

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Performance of the INFOstructure

- The INFOstructure is the data and information that is useful to both the operators of the system and the users of the system. Users in this context include drivers, travelers, fleet managers, commercial operators, etc.

National, Regional and Local



Creating the Environment

- Multiple sources of information
- Data quality and scalability
- Legal framework to use data
- Education on the use of data
 - Professionals
 - Users
- New consortiums to share resources and information

What do policy makers need to do

- Funding, how much does it cost and where does it come from
- Policy, what policies need to be changed
 - DOTs need new charters
 - How can they share data with others
- What performance levels are expected
- Commitment to a process that insures answering of questions on worksheet

Transportation needs to learn from others

- Internet
- Weather service
- American Presidents Lines
- FedEx and UPS
- Other public and private agencies