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Specialty Publications

- [Critical Issues in Transportation 2019](#)

Recent Reports & Publications

- National Cooperative Highway Research Program (NCHRP)
  - [Legal Research Digest 76](#) - Update of Selected Studies in Transportation Law, Volume 8, Section 3: Indian Transportation Law
  - [Report 914](#) - Measuring, Characterizing, and Reporting Pavement Roughness of Low-Speed and Urban Roads
  - [Report 855](#) - An Expanded Functional Classification System for Highways and Streets
  - [Synthesis 525](#) - Practices in One-Lane Traffic Control on a Two-Lane Rural Highway
  - [Synthesis 521](#) - Investment Prioritization Methods for Low-Volume Roads
  - [Web-Only Doc 281](#) - Integrating Tribal Expertise into Processes to Identify, Evaluate, and Record Cultural Resources
  - [Web-Only Doc 263](#) - White Papers for Right-Sizing Transportation Investments
  - [Web-Only Doc 230](#) - Developing an Expanded Functional Classification System for More Flexibility in Geometric Design

- Transit Cooperative Research Program (TCRP)
  - [IDEA Report 90](#) - sUAS-based GeoINTEL1 for Commuter Rail Parking in Rural and Suburban Areas

- Transportation Research Circulars
  - [E-C248](#) - 12th International Conference on Low-Volume Roads

Current & Upcoming Projects

- [Current Projects](#)
  - [BTSCRIP BTS-15](#) - Highway Safety Behavioral Strategies for Rural Areas
  - [NCHRP 08-120](#) - Initiating the Systems Engineering Process for Rural Connected Vehicle Corridors
  - [NCHRP 17-92](#) - Developing Safety Performance Functions for Rural Two-Lane Highways that Incorporate Speed Measures
  - [NCHRP 20-65/Task 78](#) - Impact of Decline in Volunteerism on Rural Transit Systems
  - [NCHRP 20-65/Task 81](#) - Best Practices in Rural Service Assessment
  - [NCHRP 20-122](#) - Rural Transportation Issues: Research Roadmap
  - [NCHRP Synthesis 20-05/Topic 51-11](#) - Lighting Practices for Isolated Rural Intersections

- [Upcoming Projects](#)
Reports from the National Academies Press on Tribal Issues

- Birth Settings in America: Outcomes, Quality, Access, and Choice
- Understanding and Responding to Global Health Security Risks from Microbial Threats in the Arctic
- The State of Mental, Emotional, and Behavioral Health of Children and Youth in the United States
- A Roadmap to Reducing Child Poverty
- Minority Serving Institutions: America’s Underutilized Resource for Strengthening the STEM Workforce
- Achieving Behavioral Health Equity for Children, Families, and Communities
- Multigenerational Approaches to Fostering Children’s Health and Well-Being
- Monitoring Educational Equity
- Investing in Interventions That Address Non-Medical, Health-Related Social Needs
- Achieving Rural Health Equity and Well-Being
- Advancing Health Equity for Native American Youth - Workshop Summary

Committees & Panels

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- A0040C - Rural Transportation Issues Coordinating Council
- AME10 - Equity in Transportation
- AME30 - Native American Transportation Issues
- AME60 - Historic and Archeological Preservation in Transportation
- AP055 - Rural, Intercity Bus, and Specialized Transportation

Task Forces - Search for task force under committee here

CRP Panels

- D08120 - Initiating the Systems Engineering Process for Rural Connected Vehicle Corridors
- D08131 - Access to Jobs, Economic Opportunities, and Education in Rural Areas
- D08135 - Reliability and Quality of Service Evaluation Methods for Rural Highways
- D08144 - Best Practices in Determining Rural Transit Fleet Size
- D08147 - Design Guide for Rural Deviated Fixed Route Transit Systems
- D20122 - Workshop on Rural Transportation Issues and Needs
- D1792 - Developing Safety Performance Functions for Rural Two-Lane Highways that Incorporate Speed Measures
- DB015 - Highway Safety Strategies for Rural Communities
- SN5111 - Lighting Practices for Isolated Rural Intersections

Councils

- A0040T – Young Member Council

Recent and Upcoming Events

Upcoming Conferences - Left hand menu “upcoming conferences by topic”
(Conferences cosponsored by TRB are denoted with an asterisk.)

24th National Conference on Rural Public and Intercity Bus Transportation
October 24-27, 2021
Charleston, SC

Webinars – View upcoming webinars, suggest a webinar or add registration information

Past Webinars

- Human Trafficking and Mobility of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women – July 29, 2020
- Understanding and Using Census Data for Tribal Transportation Programs – October 17, 2019
- Practices and Marketing to Increase Rural Transit Ridership and Investment – August 27, 2019
- Practices in Rural Regional Mobility: Case Studies and Lessons Learned – September 27, 2018

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- **Research in Progress (RiP) Database** – [rip.trb.org](http://rip.trb.org) - Current or recently completed transportation research projects
- **Research Needs Statements (RNS)** – [rns.trb.org](http://rns.trb.org) - Research needs as identified by TRB Technical Activities standing committees
- **Publications Index (PubsIndex) Database** – [pubsindex.trb.org](http://pubsindex.trb.org) - The papers, articles and reports published by the Transportation Research Board, Strategic Highway Research Programs or the Marine Board

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