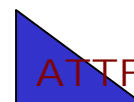
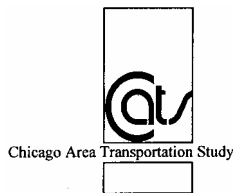


# Advanced Technology Task Force

Wednesday November 17, 2004

10:00AM



Chicago Area Transportation Study  
300 West Adams Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606  
Cunningham Williams Conference Room

## AGENDA

1. **Introductions**
2. **Approval of Meeting Minutes from September 15, 2004**
3. **Government Accountability Office Study (5 minutes) ..... Samer W Abbas**

The GAO is in the early stages of a research study examining ITS applications to improve congestion and system efficiency. As part of the effort the GAO would like to meet with those involved with ITS planning and deployment efforts in Chicago, among other cities across the nation. Discussion topics include issues that led to ITS deployments, what has been deployed, impacts on travel, and barriers to future deployments.
4. **ITS Project Prioritization Study (5 minutes) ..... Vonu Thakuriah**

UIC has initiated a new project that will identify a decision support method for the evaluation of ITS project alternatives. This new effort will be summarized.
5. **ITS Deployment Plan (30 minutes)..... Jim Powell/Bruce Eisenhart**

Eleven outreach meetings have been held since July and we are in the final stages of project development. Participation in the next two Task Force Meetings will be critical to shaping the ITS Plan.

Technical Memorandum 1 has been drafted and includes Vision and Goals, Accomplishments and mapping ITS Plan projects to the Architecture. The remaining tasks will also be discussed focusing on the project list prototype and the outline of the plan.
6. **ITS Deployment Plan Remaining Schedule (5 minutes)..... Dave Zattero**

A schedule for the completion of the Northeastern Illinois ITS Deployment Plan Update will be identified, and should include Plan approval by the ATTF, the CATS' Work Program Committee and discussion with the CATS' Policy Committee.
7. **511 Update (5 minutes)..... Dave Zattero**

A summary of the Draft Implementation Plan for 511 Traveler Information Program Assistance will be provided.
8. **Other Items/ Upcoming Meetings and Conferences ..... All**
9. **Next Meeting – Suggested Date Wednesday, January 19, 2005.**