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(Please note: Many of the news articles cited below are only available on-line for a limited time. It may be necessary to search archives. Some articles may be from sources requiring a free registration)

The following links to articles and items of interest are provided for your quick review. We trust you will find them useful.

NEW TRAFFIC CAMERAS HEAR DANGER

Link to story on WBNS-TV:

<http://www.10tv.com/Global/story.asp?S=2484854>

HEARING ABOUT WHISTLE BAN'S COST

Lives at are stake, T engineer says.

Link to article in *The Boston Globe*:

http://www.boston.com/news/local/articles/2004/10/28/hearing_about_whistle_bans_cost/

CONFERENCE AIMS TO LOWER TRAFFIC FATALITIES

Regional meeting says greater outreach is needed to encourage seat belt usage.

Link to story in *The News-Enterprise*:

<http://www.newsenterpriseonline.com/articles/2004/10/28/news/news04.txt>

ARTICLES FROM LATEST ISSUE OF CTS RESEARCH E-NEWS

- *Visualization Tools Make Sense of Traffic Data*

<http://www.cts.umn.edu/news/renews/2004/09/index.html#visualization>

Link to report, *High-Performance Spatial Visualization of Traffic Data*:

<http://www.cts.umn.edu/pdf/CTS-04-04.pdf>

- *Flashing Beacons Can Help Drivers Avoid Deer*

<http://www.cts.umn.edu/news/renews/2004/09/index.html#deer>

Link to report, *Deer Avoidance: The Assessment of Real World Enhanced Deer Signage in a Virtual Environment*:

<http://www.lrrb.gen.mn.us/pdf/200413.pdf>

US DOT AWARDS \$17.9 MILLION IN FEDERAL GRANTS FOR TRANSPORTATION RESEARCH AND EDUCATION

Link to news release:

<http://www.dot.gov/affairs/rsp1204.htm>

SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER ISSUE OF TR NEWS

Issue focuses on stakeholder involvement in highway research.

Link to magazine from the Transportation Research Board:

http://trb.org/news/blurb_detail.asp?id=4345

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