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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.

WASHINGTON STATE WEB SITE GETS ABOUT 1,200 REPORTS OF AGGRESSIVE DRIVING IN FIRST YEAR

Link to story in *The News Tribune*:

<http://www.thenewstribune.com/news/local/story/5386852p-4869941c.html>

CAMERAS WILL SOON CATCH CONSTRUCTION ZONE SPEEDERS IN ILLINOIS

Link to story in the *Daily Herald*:

<http://www.dailyherald.com/news/cookstory.asp?id=130347>

SPEEDING CAMERAS SLOWS TRAFFIC, NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY STUDY SHOWS

Link to news release from the Institute for Transportation Research and Education:

<http://itre.ncsu.edu/ITREmain/NewsReleases/05AutoEnforcement.html>

A FUTURE FREE FROM GRIDLOCK, FOR A PRICE

Toll lane network swiftly taking form in Maryland and Virginia.

Link to story in *The Washington Post*:

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2005/12/11/AR2005121101368.html> (free registration required)

DO CROSSES VIOLATE US STANDARDS?

Atheists say Utah shrines may break highway signage, advertising regulations.

Link to story in the *Deseret Morning News*:

<http://deseretnews.com/dn/view2/1,4382,635167790,00.html?textfield=crosses>

AKRON MAY PULL PLUG ON MOBILE POLICE CAMERAS

Link to AP story:

http://www.wkyc.com/akron/akron_article.aspx?storyid=44589

MINNESOTA LOOKING FOR A BETTER WAY TO PREVENT DEER-CAR CRASHES

State will not replace deer warning signs but is experimenting with electronic warnings.

Link to story in *The Post-Bulletin*:

<http://www.twincities.com/mld/twincities/news/state/minnesota/13386643.htm>

FATAL CRASH RENEWS CALLS FOR ELECTRONIC HIGHWAY SIGNS IN OTTAWA

Link to story on CFRA-AM:

<http://www.cfra.com/headlines/index.asp?cat=1&nid=33866>

NEW HIGHWAY SIGNS TO CUT EMERGENCY RESPONSE TIME IN COLORADO

Mile markers now located one-fifth mile apart.

Link to story and video report on KMGH-TV:

<http://www.thedenverchannel.com/traffic/5291487/detail.html>

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