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## Transportation Community News Update – Posted June 18, 2004

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

(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)

### All-Seeing Traffic and Emergency Management

Sensor-equipped vehicles and helicopter video will help Athens keep an eye on traffic during the Olympics.

Link to story on IST Results:

<http://istresults.cordis.lu/index.cfm?section=news&tpl=article&BrowsingType=Features&ID=65419>

### Getting Around Washington During Reagan Funeral Eased by Day Off Work and Warnings to Motorists

Officials said their campaign to advise travelers through the media, highway signs and Web sites had been effective.

Link to article in *The Washington Post* (Washington, DC):

<http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/articles/A35542-2004Jun11.html>

### Articles from June-July Issue of Nebraska Department of Road's *The Roadrunner*

- 'Smart' Work Zones on I-80 in the Omaha Area (page 4)
- Western Nebraska Electronic Message Boards Operational Soon (page 8)

<http://www.dor.state.ne.us/roadrunner/docs/june-july-04.pdf>

### Texting and Driving: Young Drivers Don't Obey Limits

Link to story on ZDNet Australia:

<http://www.zdnet.com.au/news/communications/0,2000061791,39150199,00.htm>

### Where's My Bus?

Radio signposts, dead reckoning, and GPS.

Link to article in *GPS World*:

<http://www.gpsworld.com/gpsworld/data/articlestandard/gpsworld/222004/96976/article.pdf>

### Amber Plan Implementation Assistance Program; Request for Applications

Link to announcement from the Federal Highway Administration:

<http://www.ops.fhwa.dot.gov/TravelInfo/resources/amberimp.htm>

### High-Tech Device Cuts Time on Mackinac Bridge

Motorists push button on transponder to pay toll and raise gate.

Link to column in *The Detroit News* (Detroit, Michigan):

<http://www.detnews.com/2004/commuting/0406/15/c08-183546.htm>

### Study: Cameras Don't Curb Wrecks

Link to story in the *News & Record* (Greensboro, North Carolina):

[http://www.news-record.com/news/local/redlight\\_061604.htm](http://www.news-record.com/news/local/redlight_061604.htm)

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