# A NATIONAL UNIVERSITY TRANSPORTATION CENTER AT MISSOURI UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

# CENTER FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE AND SAFETY

# ADVANCED MATERIALS, TRANSITION-STATE FUELS AND NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTING TECHNOLOGIES

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**PART C: PERFORMANCE INDICATOR REPORT** 

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## GOAL 1 - EDUCATION

A multidisciplinary program of course work and experiential learning that reinforces the Center's mission and theme.

#### **Performance Indicator 1**

Information about the Center's transportation education program for the academic year(s) being reported (Year III), in comparison with the baseline (Base) provided in the Appendix of the Center's Strategic Plan.

Transportation Education	Base	2008-2009
1a. Cumulative number of transportation-related courses:	89	81
Undergraduate:	43	41
Graduate:	46	40
1b. Number of students participating in transportation research projects:	149	243
Undergraduate:	118	197
Graduate:	29	46

#### GOAL 2 - HUMAN RESOURCES

An increased number of students, faculty and staff who are attracted to and substantively involved in the undergraduate, graduate and professional programs of the Center.

#### **Performance Indicator 2**

Information about the Center's transportation education program for the academic year(s) being reported (Year III), in comparison with the baseline data (Base) provided in the Appendix of the Center's Strategic Plan.

<b>Human Resources</b>	N	Master's		Doctorate		Total
	Base	2008-2009	Base	2008-2009	Base	2008-2009
2a. Cumulative number of transportation-related advanced degree programs	5	5	5	5	10	10
2b. Numbers of Students Enrolled	13	25	16	21	29	46
2c. Number of Students Receiving Degrees	1	7	2	1	3	8

# **GOAL 3 - RESEARCH SELECTION**

An objective process for selecting and reviewing research that balances multiple objectives of the program.

#### **Performance Indicator 3**

Information about the Center's transportation research selection process during the academic year(s) being reported (Year III).

Transportation Research Selection	2008-2009
3a. Research Projects Awarded by Center	24
3b. Number of those projects that you consider to be:	
basic research	17
advanced research	0
applied research	7
3c. Total Budgeted Costs for Those Projects	\$7,582,947

<sup>\* \$</sup> Grand total includes NUTC match, non-federal and federal totals, but not administrative expenses, which total \$279,103.

# GOAL 4 - RESEARCH PERFORMANCE

An ongoing program of basic and applied research, the products of which are judged by peers or other experts in the field, to advance the body of knowledge in transportation.

#### **Performance Indicator 4**

Information about the Center's transportation research performance during the academic year(s) being reported (Year III):

Transportation Research Performance	2008-2009
4a. Number of reports issued that resulted from transportation research projects funded by the NUTC grant.	34
4b. Number of transportation research papers presented at academic/professional meetings that resulted from projects funded by the NUTC grant.	69

<sup>\*</sup> Performance is defined as a meritorious accomplishment, such as distinguished service awards, best paper award, fellow member, etc.

# **GOAL 5 - TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER**

Availability of research results to potential users in a form that can be directly implemented, utilized or otherwise applied.

#### **Performance Indicator 5**

Information about the Center's technology transfer and outreach efforts during the academic year(s) being reported (Year III):

Technology Transfer	2008-2009
5a. Number of Transportation Seminars, Symposia, Distance Learning Classes, etc., Conducted for Practicing Professionals	98
5b. Number of transportation professionals participating in those events.	2,725