	Enhancing Safe Traffic Operations Using Connected Vehicles Data and
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Brief Description of Research Project	The main objective of the proposed research is to use connected vehicles (CVs) data and technologies to improve traffic safety on roadway networks (e.g., freeways and intersections). Connected vehicle technology provides invaluable information such as vehicles location, speed, and acceleration rate to other vehicles and the infrastructure. Such information can be used to inform other road users (drivers, bicyclists, and pedestrians) of potential hazards on a transportation network and increase driver awareness about their surroundings. This increased awareness can contribute to a reduction in the risk of traffic accidents. Furthermore, traffic control systems can use such information to manage traffic incidents effectively by making real-time changes of traffic signal timings, speed limits, integrated corridor management strategies, and metering rate, among other strategies.

Describe Implementation of Research Outcomes (or why not implemented)	
Place Any Photos Here	
Impacts/Benefits of Implementation (actual, not anticipated)	
Web Links Reports Project Website	
Project Type (basic, applied, advanced, etc)	Applied