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Niagara International Transportation Technology Coalition

Serving the Emergency Response Community through Effective Incident Management

The Niagara International Transportation Technology Coalition is an organization of fourteen local, regional and international agencies with a common goal to improve safety and reduce secondary accidents, reduce congestion and save energy, and to increase roadway efficiency on our region's transportation system.

NITTEC's Traffic Operations Center (TOC) is a state-of-the-art clearinghouse for all transportation related information and activities in the Niagara Frontier region.



The TOC is a 24/7 Centralized Communications Center that provides up-to-the-minute incident notification to the media, the public and the emergency response community. NITTEC provides one-stop shopping for multi-transportation agency notification and coordination; and activation of the region's Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) elements.

Whether we realize it or not, the practice of controlling traffic as law enforcement, emergency medical personnel, highway maintenance or construction, fire police or firefighters – is probably the job we do most often – and certainly one of the most dangerous jobs we do.

NITTEC provides tools, resources and support to the emergency response community through small group meetings, their popular *Highway Safety Awareness Course*, the *Responder Check List* and their web site.

The *Highway Safety Awareness* training course is designed for every first responder – anyone who may respond to a traffic incident on a rural, urban or limited access highway – and regardless of rank or title.

NITTEC integrates all local, county, state and federal transportation assets to promote cooperation, coordination and communication between all of the disciplines involved in keeping our roadways safe and operational.



Coalition partners and participants represent Law Enforcement, Fire and EMS, Towing & Recovery, DOT/DPW, Highway Maintenance and Construction, Dispatch Centers and anyone involved or interested in traffic control or highway safety.

Visit the NITTEC web site or contact our office to get involved and take advantage of the opportunities available to keep your personnel safe and make our region's roadway system more efficient. Individual and group tours of the Transportation Operations Center are welcome.

We're here to serve you and keep you safe in the roadway!

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FIRE + MAINTENANCE + LAW ENFORCEMENT + TOWING + EMS + CONSTRUCTION



SAFE & EFFECTIVE TRAFFIC CONTROL IS **NO** ACCIDENT

THE JOB WE DO MOST OFTEN. THE MOST DANGEROUS JOB WE DO.

INCIDENT ACTION PLAN:

- ★ ***Dress for Success: Wear Reflective Gear***
- ★ ***Position Vehicles to Protect the Scene***
- ★ ***Go Amber! Reduce Distracting Lighting***
- ★ ***Take Charge! Upgrade Your Traffic Control Every 15 Minutes***



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