



TOPS Hires 511 Program Manager

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On April 24, 2006, Peter Rafferty was hired to manage the 511 Traveler Information Program for Wisconsin. He comes to the Wisconsin Traffic Operations and Safety (TOPS) Laboratory with nine years of consulting experience in projects related to transportation planning and engineering for state and local agencies. Previous responsibilities included managing and performing planning and technical analysis related to operational evaluations, travel forecasting, ITS planning, traffic simulation, and other network, safety, and economic analyses.

Peter earned a BS in civil engineering from the University of Washington and a MS in transportation planning and economics from the University of Minnesota. He is a licensed engineer, a professional traffic operations engineer, and a member of the American Institute of Certified Planners.

Primary responsibilities of the Traveler Information Program Manager at the TOPS Lab include coordinating statewide traveler information, managing the 511 system deployment, integrating data through the WisTransPortal system as it relates to traveler information, and managing interoperability and telecom issues.