

RAILCET INTELLIGENCE REPORT #9

To: RAILCET

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Subject: Speedlines Special Report on Corridor ID Projects

I am a member of a special APTA Committee planning a Supplemental Report on the History and Current Status of the Corridor Identification and Development (CID) program. Under separate cover I will send the first draft of the Supplement. Much of our discussion was on how to format the Supplement in the most appealing way. We will be meeting on a weekly basis. The goal is to have the supplement published by April

This Supplement will be of special interest to Construction and Operating contractors who are members of RAILCET and AIPRO. It provides greater detail on the advancement of 69 new projects that have received FRA inception funding across 41 states.

Further, it appears to dovetail nicely with the Thomas Cornillie TRAD Report on CID projects he identified as open to the competitive model which was funded by RAILCET and AIPRO. My mission is to see the Speedline CID project direct attention to a business oriented and competition model for future corridor operations.