



**US Army Corps
of Engineers®**

**PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT
BETWEEN
THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION
AND
THE UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS**

Purpose: To promote a long-term relationship between the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) on collaborative efforts that will be of mutual benefit to United States and governments of other nations.

Goals: We have established the following goals for our partnership:

- To express our joint commitment to the prudent development of the nation's transportation systems including waterborne systems.
- To share best practices, lessons learned, and expertise.
- To encourage a spirit of cooperation and synergy between our agencies at all levels.
- To work in collaboration to assist other nations enhance their economic development through transportation systems.
- To commit to continuing dialogue to find transportation solutions for the benefit of the American public and citizens of other nations.

Implementation: We commit to achieve our goals through fostering a spirit of teamwork between our organizations at all levels. We will meet in partnering sessions as needed to ensure that we are achieving our goals. This partnership agreement does not commit either the Corps or FHWA to fund particular initiatives, as funding must be addressed pursuant to a more formal document to be developed through this partnership.

Effective Date: This agreement is effective when signed by both parties and will be reviewed periodically to renew our commitment and consider needed changes.

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