

Hi. This is Sally Oxenhandler with your MoDOT Minute.

In honor of Veterans Day, MoDOT is using the 60 message boards along state interstates to recognize those who have served our country in the armed forces. The signs will carry messages supporting veterans and reminding the public about this important day. When the electronic boards are not conveying information about travel times, traffic accidents, road conditions or work zones, MoDOT uses them to provide highway safety messages.

To celebrate 30 years of passenger rail service across Missouri, MoDOT and Amtrak are holding a contest to give the two trains that run between St. Louis and Kansas City a new name. You can visit morail.org to submit your suggestion for the "Name The Train" contest. The winner will be announced in January.

And with the start of the holiday season just around the corner, the Missouri Coalition for Roadway Safety is reminding you not to drink and drive so you can be around to enjoy time with family and friends.

That's been your MoDOT Minute. Remember to check back every Tuesday for new information.