

MoDOT's Driverless TMA Initiative

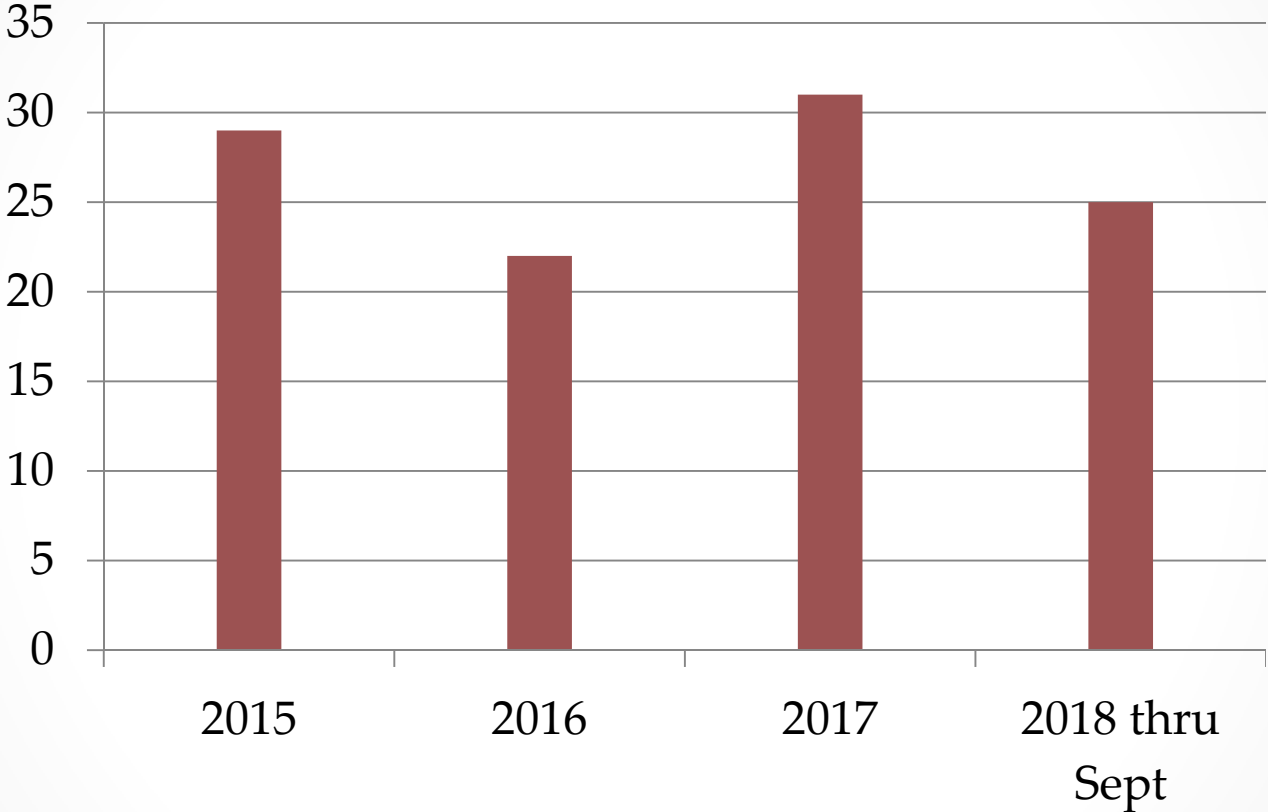


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What is the goal?

Eliminate operator injuries when the rear protective vehicle is impacted by removing the operator from the vehicle.



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System Requirements

- Leader-Follower system
- Cyber security protection
- Safety by multiple layers or redundancy
- Redundant V2V communication
- Non-line of sight V2V communication
- V2V RF hardening for RF interference
- Alignment to national standards and policy
- Retain multiple operations functionality
- Variable follow distances (20' to 1,500')
- +-6" lateral accuracy
- +-15' longitudinal accuracy



System Requirements

- Ability to temporarily pause FT
- Tablet interface
- Ability to function in GPS-denied environments
- Redundant navigation systems
- FT takeover capability
- Collision avoidance
- Arrow panel/turn signal coordination
- Brake & hazard light activation upon impact
- Emergency disengagement of driverless system
- 24 Month warranty after project acceptance



What It Won't Do

- Platoon to the project at highway speeds
- Follow through signals and intersections
- Laterally offset from the lead vehicle



Contract with Kratos Defense and Security Solutions

- \$550K to retrofit two trucks
 - Partially funded with Federal SPR Funds
 - International trucks w/ MASH TMA
- No payment until it performs
 - Training, component testing & verification
 - 32 Hour closed road test
 - 250 Hour live work zone test









Next Steps

- Two trucks in Florida now being retrofitted
- Two trucks delivered to MoDOT in January 2019
- Feb/March training, testing and 32 hour closed road trial
- Remainder of 2019: KC striping train 250 hour trial
- Operate driverless after successful pilot project?



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Questions?

