## **Productivity First-Round Winner**

Innovations Challenge

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# Fluorescent Green Flagger Cone



## **Description**

The fluorescent green traffic cone is a factory made cone with reflective bands. On a crack seal project in Polk County, the crew had trouble with traffic not stopping at the orange cone placed in the roadway. The flagging crew decided using the fluorescent green cone as the stop cone would break up the orange in the work zone.

#### **Benefit**

By breaking up the colors of the work zone the green cone helps in distinguishing the flaggers. The cone has been used since January of 2017 on all work zones in the Bolivar work group. Since that date, the traveling public provided positive feedback, stating they can see the flaggers sooner when the green cone was in the lane. By using the fluorescent green cone, the safety of the flagger is greatly improved.

## **Materials and Labor**

Cost of the cone is \$17.

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