



Anthem Test Bed

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On January 29th, MCDOT welcomed Supervisor Jack Sellers, members of the Transportation Advisory Board, staffs of Senator Martha McSally and Representative Debbie Lesko, the Arizona Commerce Authority and State Farm to the Anthem Connected Vehicle Test Bed. Our guests had the opportunity to:

- Learn about vehicle prioritization technology and how it works with Automated Driving Systems to improve safety, mobility and the environment.
- Experience a real-time vehicle tour and demonstration of signal prioritization and connected vehicle applications that warn the driver of driving conditions that are on their route.
- Explore and discuss the traffic signal technology that makes it all work, including the pedestrian application designed to assist those who need additional time to cross busy intersections.

MCDOT and our partners proudly demonstrated our leadership in connected vehicle technology and several MCDOT employees were showcased as well!



April Wire points out connected vehicle equipment during the Anthem tour.



Faisal Saleem leads a discussion on connected vehicles.