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MaineDOT Innovation Showcase

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The Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT) is proud to host its first Innovation Showcase, celebrating the people, ideas, and solutions that are transforming how we deliver transportation across the state.

*Join us in celebrating
innovation and helping
drive the future of Maine's
transportation system.*

Morning refreshments and lunch will be provided.

**October 27, 2026
8:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Augusta Civic Center**



**MaineDOT
INNOVATES**

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This event highlights the creativity and dedication of our workforce and partners who are developing innovations that address today's infrastructure challenges while building resilient transportation systems for the future.

The Innovation Showcase provides an opportunity to share successful initiatives, pilot projects, and forward-thinking practices that enhance safety, efficiency, sustainability, and overall performance. By bringing these efforts together, MaineDOT continues to foster a culture of collaboration, continuous improvement, and innovation.

Get Involved

We encourage MaineDOT employees and partners to participate in the Innovation Showcase. *Do you have an idea, project, or solution to share?*

- **Submit Your Innovation** to be considered for presentation and award recognition.
- **Register to Attend** and explore the latest ideas shaping the future of transportation in Maine.



As part of the showcase, MaineDOT will recognize outstanding contributions through a series of Innovation Awards. These categories highlight excellence across a range of focus areas.

Route to Innovation Award

Recognizes innovations that improve processes through research and creative solutions, with a focus on efficiency, effectiveness, and leadership.

Driving Innovation Together Award

Highlights the importance of collaboration by recognizing innovative and research contributions achieved through teamwork.

People's Choice Innovation Award

Honors the innovation or research effort selected as the MVP by Showcase attendees.

Pioneering Safety Award

Recognizes innovations and research that demonstrate a strong commitment to improving safety through forward-thinking approaches.

Homegrown Innovation Award

Celebrates locally developed innovations from MaineDOT Maintenance & Operations employees, highlighting practical and creative solutions from the field.

Distinguished Innovator Award

Recognizes an individual who demonstrates a strong commitment to research and innovation while advancing a culture of innovation in transportation.

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