



# Alternative Contracting Methods Alternative Technical Concepts Webinar Series



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Each webinar will be delivered by highway agency and industry experts, who will present an overview of the ATC process, the use of ATCs with various project delivery methods, implementation challenges, procedural and legal guidance, and case studies. To further assist agencies, additional resources will be provided. Each 90 minute session will include time for participant's specific questions and answers. There are no fees for registration.

## 2014 Webinar Schedule

- 1. Introduction to ATCs**  
Tuesday, April 1, 1-2:30 p.m. EST
- 2. ATCs in Design-Bid-Build**  
Wednesday, May 7, 1-2:30 p.m. EST
- 3. ATCs in Design-Build**  
Tuesday, June 3, 1-2:30 p.m. EST
- 4. ATCs in Construction Manager/  
General Contractor (CMGC)**  
Tuesday, July 8, 1-2:30 p.m. EST
- 5. ATC Development, Submittal  
and Review**  
Tuesday, August 5, 1-2:30 p.m. EST
- 6. ATC Legal Issues**  
Tuesday, September 9, 1-2:30 p.m. EST

Register *NOW* for the first webinar!

Introduction to ATCs

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The Alternative Technical Concepts (ATCs) contracting method facilitates a smarter way of doing business by allowing early contractor involvement during a project's competitive procurement phase, which often leads to the best value for state DOTs and the public. Through ATCs, the contractors can propose cost-effective solutions that are equal to or better than the State DOT's design and/or construction criteria. The ATCs encourage competition among contractors, allow innovations, save costs and reduce the delivery time. Given these known benefits, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is actively promoting the implementation of ATCs as a part of the second round of Every Day Counts initiatives (EDC-2).

The webinar series will:

- Demonstrate the benefits of ATCs
- Address barriers and challenges to implementation with real examples
- Highlight activities leading to full implementation of the ATCs
- Address institutional, procurement, and legal issues
- Provide greater understanding of technical practices

## Who Should Attend

The series is designed to appeal to a wide audience of all stakeholders that help deliver highway projects, regardless of experience with ATCs. The target audience includes FHWA Division offices, State and local transportation agencies, Federal Lands Highway offices, and the contracting and consulting communities.

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