City of Austin Transportation Management Center

MONTHLY PERFORMANCE REPORT  July 2018

815 service requests this month
9,800 annual average
The TMC staff respond to 3-1-1 service calls every day of the week, including weekends and most holidays.

50 signal timing adjustments
When there are incidents on surface streets or freeways, TMC staff respond quickly with new signal timings to adjust for the change in flow.

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Growing traffic control network
9 Cameras added
18 Video detectors added/adjusted

86 tweets last month
TMC staff post Twitter updates on malfunctioning signals; major incidents causing lane closures, detours and signal adjustments; and new signals and pedestrian hybrid beacons. You can receive updated traveler information via @austinmobility.

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Dynamic Message Signs
The City of Austin has 13 dynamic message signs located above the roadway. TMC staff actively monitor roadway conditions and keep the motoring public up to date on travel time, roadway conditions, routing information for special events and general public service announcements. July public service announcements include “KIDS RIDE FREE ON CAPMETRO THROUGH SEP 1.”

Spotlight: Fourth of July Signal Timing
The TMC prepares to manage signals around large events and holidays ahead of high expected volumes of traffic. For the Fourth of July, staff worked to implement an exit plan which provided extended green times on Lamar Boulevard for travelers departing the fireworks show downtown. The TMC saw that users were able to travel 3.5 mph faster than if no timing change was made.

Actual message from July