



A Regional Concept for Transportation Operations

A Blueprint for Action

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Regional Concept for Transportation Operations (RCTO)

◆ Definition:

A management tool to assist in planning and implementing management and operations strategies in a collaborative and sustained manner.

◆ Guides agencies in thinking through what they would like to achieve within 3 to 5 years and how they want to get there.

◆ Facilitates coordination with the transportation planning process.





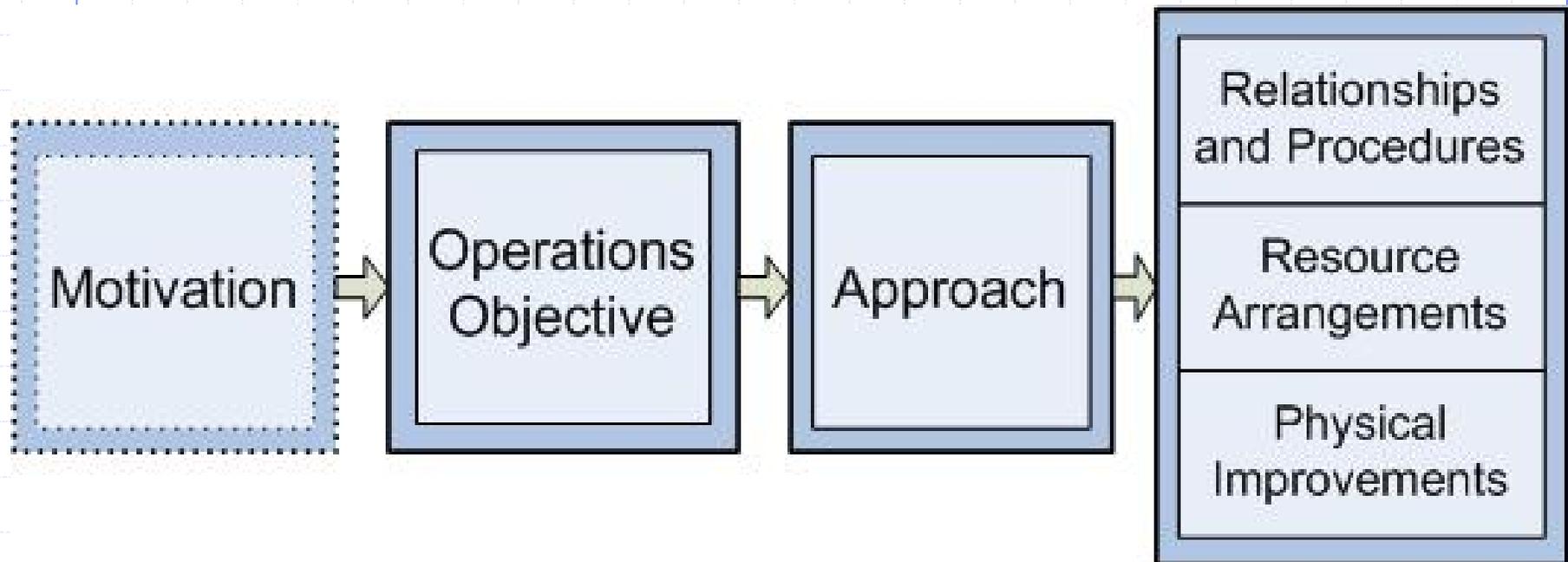
Origins of an RCTO

- ◆ Brings together elements from systems engineering and experience of successful collaborative partnerships.
- ◆ Idea emerged from FHWA-FTA Linking Planning and Operations Working Group 2000-2001.
- ◆ Supported in 2003 by special policy committee of TRB.





Elements of an RCTO





RCTO Demonstration Sites





For more information

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Regional Concept for Transportation Operations: The
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A Primer

<http://ops.fhwa.dot.gov/Travel/plan2op.htm>