

How to Plan a Pop-Up Demonstration

• Choose Demonstration

- Identify traffic or pedestrian issues within your community or service area
- Discuss which project would help improve issue (ex. roundabout, pedestrian access, traffic calming, bike lane)
- Discuss a demonstration project using AMATS materials
- Set goals for the demonstration

Choose a Lead Person(s)

- Lead person familiar with project plan and outcomes (Ex. City planning or engineer team).
- Team leader in charge of meeting with AMATS staff to discuss demonstration project.

Assemble the Team

- Elected officials, residents, community groups. You will need a team with a diverse skillset
- Who needs to know? Contact them

• Choose Date, Location & Time

- Single day or multi-day events work best. (No more than 3 days as temporary materials tend to fail for longer periods)
- Begin event in the morning
- Visit location to plan demonstration set up prior to the event day(s)

Planning the Event

- Assign roles to team
- Determine what materials you can borrow and what must be provided by your team
- Establish timeline:
 - o data collection before event
 - obtain proper permits
 - o team meeting dates
 - o promotion of pop-up
 - o plan for data collection during event

Day(s) of Event

• Follow proper set up plans for demonstration by assigning roles and understanding everything that needs to be complete for proper set-up and take-down of materials. (See AMATS Pop-up Recipes)

Promotional

- Include a plan for informational signage at location about change that is being implemented.
- Mass e-mail
- AMATS Website, create a social media event page, flyer, email, & press release.
- The Community Flyer & event notice on City website. Distribute flyers at parks, YMCA, libraries, hospitals, local businesses (i.e. restaurants, etc.), and social media platforms.
- 2-3 weeks before the event. Know how you will inform the public of demonstration to reduce confusion during the event.
- Include information regarding location, duration, reason for temporary installation, and potential next steps

• Other Materials Needed for Demonstration

- Contract/Waiver(s) signed
- City Staff Contact Sheet (cell #s)