Meeting summary for CVPFS May 2025 Conference - Maryland (Day Two) (05/07/2025)

Recap:

The meeting focused on logistics for an upcoming demo, transportation details, and timing. Discussions included new potential projects. Plans for the next meeting in Savannah, Georgia were also made, with a focus on project ideas and the need for more data on the safety benefits of connected vehicle technologies.

Summary:

Logistics and Audio Communication Challenges:

The group reviewed logistics for an upcoming demo, detailing transportation and timing. Buses will depart the hotel at 7:30 AM, with attendees expected to arrive by 7:15-7:20 AM. The demo will conclude by 1:30 PM, with a guaranteed return by 4:00 PM. Despite some technical difficulties, audio communication with remote participants was successfully established, though video connectivity remained uncertain.

Savannah Meeting Plans and Project Ideas:

Plans for the December meeting were discussed, with the next meeting scheduled for Savannah, Georgia, tentatively set for December 9-11. Alan offered to organize a tour to highlight freight-related deployments around the port. The group also discussed the need for additional data on the safety benefits of connected vehicle technologies, considering studies from Europe and Japan. Participants planned to leave at 7:30 AM the next day for Turner Fairbanks and at 8:30 AM on Friday from the hotel.