FRA 2023 BROAD AGENCY ANNOUNCEMENT

ROLLING STOCK

HUMAN FACTORS

TRACK

TRAIN CONTROL

FRA's Office of Research, Development, and Technology is dedicated to conducting research that improves railroad safety, promotes innovation, and supports national rail transportation policy. These efforts advance U.S. Department of Transportation strategic goals, FRA's mission, and the rail industry as a whole.

Through the Broad Agency Announcement (BAA), FRA is soliciting concept papers on a variety of research topics that will have a direct impact on the safety and efficiency of freight and passenger rail operations in the United States. Submissions will then undergo evaluation and selection by the Office of Research, Development, and Technology.

FRA invites 2023 BAA concept papers on topic organized by FRA's research areas:

- Track
- Rolling Stock
- Train Control
- Human Factors
- Railroad Systems Issues

For more information about the BAA, including program guidelines, specific research topics under consideration, and submission deadlines, visit FRA's BAA webpage.

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