# Surdex's Department of Transportation Geospatial Services Experience



ince 1954, Surdex has provided mapping services to state Departments of Transportation (DOTs) and other state transportation entities. The datasets requested by DOTs have evolved, from film imagery, which is no longer used, to high resolution digital orthoimagery and lidar derivatives. Planimetric mapping data has drastically changed as well, from paper and mylar plots to digital files, including Bentley MicroStation V8 and GEOPAK formats. This data facilitates more precise planning for roadway repairs and improvements, including bridge and interchange projects. In addition to numerous direct DOT contracts, Surdex has also provided geospatial data as a subcontractor to surveying and engineering firms that are directly contracted with DOTs (as was the case with the image above).

## **State Prequalification**

Efficient roadway repairs and improvements are essential to smooth and safe traffic flow and must be completed in a timely manner, and geospatial data allows for more effective design and execution of roadway projects. Many states maintain lists of prequalified contractors, which enables them to request geospatial data as needed rather than losing valuable time to the Request for Proposal or Request for Qualifications (RFP/RFQ) processes for each project. The map to the right indicates those states where Surdex maintains prequalifications. We have completed recent projects for many of the DOTs with which we are prequalified, including numerous task orders for the Illinois, Iowa and North Carolina DOTs. Lidar point cloud of Highway 81 for an Oklahoma DOT project (Surdex was a subcontractor)

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States where Surdex has recently completed a project/task order for the DOT (or similar state entity)

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### **Services to DOTs**

Each DOT has unique resources and data needs; as a result, we have a broad range of DOT project experience. In Iowa, Surdex acquires imagery in preparation for the photogrammetrists at the Iowa DOT who perform the mapping. In North Carolina it is the reverse—NC DOT provides the imagery, and we perform the processing and mapping tasks. Across our DOT projects we have provided the following services:

- Image acquisition and processing
- Lidar acquisition and processing
- Digital planimetric and topographic mapping
- Mobile lidar
- Control survey

# **Recent Transportation Projects**



Orthoimagery and planimetric mapping for the North Carolina DOT

DOT	Project	Services Provided
Missouri (as subcontractor)	I-55	<ul> <li>3" GSD imagery acquisition</li> <li>8 ppsm lidar acquisition</li> <li>Orthoimagery production</li> <li>Lidar derivative production</li> <li>Topographic mapping</li> <li>1"=50' scale planimetric mapping</li> </ul>
lowa	I-380	<ul><li> 10 ppsm lidar acquisition</li><li> Lidar derivative production</li></ul>
North Carolina	3.2 sq. mi. of roadway near Kitty Hawk	<ul> <li>3" GSD orthoimagery production</li> <li>1"=50' scale planimetric mapping</li> </ul>
Illinois	I-55	<ul> <li>0.15' GSD imagery acquisition</li> <li>4 ppsm lidar acquisition</li> <li>Orthoimagery production</li> <li>Lidar derivative production</li> <li>Topographic mapping</li> <li>1"=50' scale planimetric mapping</li> </ul>
Oklahoma (as subcontractor)	Highway 81	<ul> <li>0.25' GSD imagery acquisition</li> <li>2 ppsm lidar acquisition</li> <li>Orthoimagery production</li> <li>Lidar derivative production</li> </ul>



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