

Improving Funeral Processions

A procession of mourners following the deceased from the church to the grave is centuries old and still continues to this day with police units cordoning off intersections and guiding the line of vehicles to the cemetery.



Beacon GIS cannot only assist police agencies by finding the best route to lead the processional, but also estimate the time given the route and the number of vehicles. Additionally, we can design a route that involves major arterials and school zones to minimize the effect on traffic congestion. Another aspect that would improve safety is to develop a route that involves many left hand turns. These turns are the most dangerous to negotiate, take more resources to control, and cause more traffic congestion.