

Agenda
Mid-Willamette Valley Area
Commission on Transportation
(MWACTION)

Date: Thursday, January 5, 2006
Time: 3:30 p.m.
Place: Senator Hearing Room, Courthouse Square
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3:30 p.m. Item 1. Call To OrderRichard Bjelland

- Introductions
- Approval of December 1, 2005 Meeting Summary
- Public Comment
- Comments from the Legislative Delegation
- OTC Comments/Area Updates
- Commission Discussion

4:00 p.m. Item 2. Oregon Transportation Plan (OTP).....Gail Curtis

The OTP takes a 25-yr look into the future of transportation in Oregon. After analyzing trends, transportation needs, projected revenues, and possible transportation futures, the OTP Steering Committee concluded that *transportation as we've known it in Oregon will have to change*. In order to preserve our standard of living and to continue to improve our economy, we must change the way we make decisions about managing and funding transportation. Gail Curtis will present the major findings and recommendations of this comprehensive policy document.

Action: Discuss and formulate comments for submittal.

5:00 p.m. Item 3. Transportation Enhancement Program Policy and Procedures Pat Fisher

The Enhancement Program funds projects, which must meet one or more of the twelve federally stipulated "Transportation Enhancement Activities"

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such as pedestrian and bicycle facilities. Pat Fisher will explain the program and proposed schedule for submitting project requests.

Action: Discussion and Comment.

5:25 p.m. Item 4. Freight Advisory Committee Project List Dan Fricke

The ODOT Freight Mobility Section has begun assembling freight priority project list for each Region for consideration of the Oregon Freight Advisory Committee. Region 2 staff have submitted an updated list of projects that improve freight mobility. A public involvement program, that will include formal review by the ACTs, is being developed.

Action: Discussion and Comment.

5:40 p.m. Item 5. Other Business.....Richard Bjelland

5:45 p.m. Item 6. AdjournmentRichard Bjelland