

<p>REVISED AGENDA Oregon Freight Advisory Committee</p>
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Date: March 7, 2007
Time: 1:30 – 4:30 PM
Location: Oregon Department of Transportation, Room 122
355 Capitol Street, NE
Salem, OR 97301
Directions/
Parking: Directions and parking availability description are at the end of the agenda packet.¹
Contact: Jerri Bohard, Executive Sponsor; 503-986-4163
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1:30 1. Call to Order / Introductions / Agenda Review.....Susie Lahsene, Vice Chair

1:35 2. Review Meeting Notes – Dec. 6, 2006 Meeting (Attachment # 1)Vice Chair Lahsene

1:40 - 3. Summary of Transportation Legislature Bills.....Robin Freeman, Manager
1:55 ODOT Government Relations

Background: 2007 Transportation Legislative Update
Attachments: Handouts at meeting.
Action sought: OFAC input.

1:55 - 4. Metro Freight Updates.....Deena Platman, METRO
2:05 Sr. Transportation Planner

Background: Overview of Portland Metro Freight Study progress to date. Metro staff are developing economic development focused performance performance measures.
Attachments: Handouts at meeting.
Action sought: Metro is seeking input particularly on non-highway performance measures.

2:05 - 5. Salem-Keizer MPO Regional Transportation PlanRay Jackson, Senior Planner
2:20 Mike Jaffe, Program Manager

Background: The draft 2031 RTP and 2008-2011 MTIP are out for public review; the MTIP includes \$2.3M in multimodal projects from the RTP. Presenters will provide overviews of the RTP and MTIP, and provide MTIP copies to interested members.
Attachments: Handouts at the meeting.
Action sought: OFAC member input during the public review period (March-April 2007).

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2:20 - 6. Freight Plan Status.....Jerri Bohard, TDD Administrator
2:35 Julie Rodwell, Freight Mobility Mgr.

Background: ODOT is committed to doing a Freight Plan. Early steps including an Expert Freight Panel and dinner on March 21 followed by a large Stakeholders breakfast meeting on March 23.

Attachments: None.

Action sought: Guidance on approach.

2:35 - 7. Statewide Cost of Congestion Study.....Susie Lahsene, Vice Chair
2:55

Background: Building on the metro area study this work has now been developed statewide

Attachments: Handouts at the meeting

Action sought: Guidance on approach; implications for freight.

2:55 - 8. Region 3 Trade Study Report.....Mike Montero, RVACT
3:20 Martin Callery, Port of Coos Bay

Background: Private sector and legislative representatives initiated a study to determine the feasibility of increasing funding to certain state programs. The Port of Coos Bay strategic plan will also be discussed.

Attachments: PowerPoint to be distributed at meeting.

Action Sought: Informational presentation for OFAC feedback.

3:20 - 9. 2010-2013 STIP Stakeholder Committee Update.....Susie Lahsene, Vice Chair
3:30

Background: The 2010-2013 STIP process has begun and freight stakeholders on the STIP committee are working to ensure freight is appropriately included in the process.

Attachments: None.

Action Sought: Input to process.

3:30 – 10. STIPKaren Green, ODOT
3:35 Freight Mobility Senior Planner

Background: Bi-annual STIP update.

Attachments: None.

Action sought: Input to process.

3:35 - 11. OR 140 Status Report.....Julie Rodwell,
3:45 Freight Mobility Mgr.

Background: An update of the 2001 OR 140 Study commenced in June, 2006. The overall goal of the study is to better understand the potential benefits, costs, and other considerations associated with removing the truck length restrictions on OR 140. The current study will also update the estimated construction costs to eliminate the restrictions.

Attachments: None.

Action Sought: Feedback.

3:45 - 12. Diverging Diamond Interchanges (DDIs).....Smith Siromaskul,
4:10 Mobility Coordinator, OR Bridge Delivery Partners

Background: The Diverging Diamond Interchange (DDI) is a relatively new interchange concept being considered across the country. It provides several traffic operational benefits that are capturing the interest of many people and is being considered for several sites around OR.

Attachments: PowerPoint will be distributed at meeting.

Action sought: Advice.

4:10 - 13. Round Table / Agenda BuildingAll

4:20

4:20 14. Other Business and announcements².....Vice Chair

15. Next Quarterly Meeting (June 6, 2007 - Salem).....Vice Chair

4:25 16. Public Comment.....Vice Chair

4:30 17. AdjournmentVice Chair

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

March 21, 2007 Freight Workshop with OTC
1:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.,
ODOT Transportation Building
355 Capitol Street, NE
Salem, OR 97301

Dinner with OTC and OFAC (RSVPs needed!)
J James Restaurant
325 High St. SE
Salem, OR 97302

March 23, 2007 Stakeholders' Discussion to Help Shape Freight Plan (with Gordon Proctor)
7:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
ODOT Region 1 Headquarters
123 NW Flanders Street, Main Conference Room
Portland, OR 97209

June 6, 2007 OFAC Projects Subcommittee Meeting
Salem, OR (Venue TBD)

September 12, 2007 OFAC Quarterly Meeting
Portland, OR (Venue TBD)

December 5, 2007 OFAC Quarterly Meeting
Portland, OR (Venue TBD)

² We have been asked to get a head count for the March 21 freight dinner with OTC.