

**ODOT Freight and the Economy Working Group**  
**ODOT Human Resources Center - Suite C**  
**2775 19th Street SE, Salem, OR**

**Thursday, March 12, 2009**  
**2:00 PM – 5:00 PM**

**Meeting Agenda**

<b>FOR MEMBERS ATTENDING VIA CONFERENCE CALL, PLEASE DIAL IN AT (503) 945-7174</b>
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2:00 pm	Welcome and Introductions	Jack Lee, Manager ODOT Freight Mobility Section Monte Grove, Manager ODOT Region 5 Working Group Chair
2:15 pm	Meeting Purpose and Expectations	Lloyd Fobi, Freight Senior Planner ODOT Freight Mobility Section
2:45 pm	Methodology and Schedule: ◆ Baseline Economic Data and Forecasts ◆ Commodity Flow Forecast Update <i>Discussion.....</i>	Ira Hirschman, PB Principal Economist Tara Weidner, PB Planner June Carlson, PB Project Manager <i>All Working Group Members</i>
3:15 pm	Existing Forecast and Forecasting Processes  <i>Discussion.....</i>	Ira Hirschman, PB Principal Economist Tara Weidner, PB Planner June Carlson, PB Project Manager <i>All Working Group Members</i>
4:00 pm	Relationship between Freight Transportation and Economic Development  <i>Discussion.....</i>	Ira Hirschman, PB Principal Economist Chuck Green, PB Supervising Planner Tara Weidner, PB Planner June Carlson, PB Project Manager <i>All Working Group Members</i>
4:45 pm	Next Steps	Lloyd Fobi, Freight Senior Planner ODOT Freight Mobility Section June Carlson, PB Project Manager
5:00 pm	Adjourn	