

Request for Approval to Operate Traffic Signal Control Operating Devices on State Highways

ORS 810.260 and 815.445 and OAR 734-020-0300 to -0330 provide for the use of traffic control signal operating devices by buses and emergency vehicles. A transit authority seeking to use a traffic control signal operating device on a State Highway must make a formal request to the Oregon Department of Transportation.

To make a request, please provide the information requested below and submit it to the ODOT Region where the bus priority system will operate. The Region Traffic Manager will review the request and submit a recommendation to the State Traffic Engineer. The State Traffic Engineer has approval authority for all requests.

Contact the Traffic Engineering and Operations Unit, Oregon Department of Transportation at 503-986-3568, if you have questions about completing this form.

Transit Authority _____ Telephone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Contact _____ Title _____ Email _____

- List the types of vehicles that you want to equip with traffic control signal operating devices.

Type of Vehicle	Gross Vehicle Weight	Purpose of Vehicle
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- Describe the geographical area where the buses operate or provide a map.
- Describe any emergency vehicle preemption or bus priority systems currently operating in the area in which you wish to operate.
- Describe the impact the proposed bus priority system would have on the efficiency of public transit operations and effect the system will have on traffic safety and efficient traffic flow.
- Sign this request form, and submit it to the ODOT Region Traffic Manager for review. Attach a copy of the agreement required per OAR 734-020-0320 that you have entered into with the road authority

Signature of Applicant _____ Date _____

ODOT Region Review

Review the Request Form, check the following, and submit to the State Traffic Engineer for approval.

____ Region is in substantial agreement with the information supplied by the applicant.

Region Traffic Manager _____ Region _____ Date _____

State Traffic Engineer Review

_____(name of transit authority) is authorized to operate traffic control signal operating devices on state highways in buses as provided for in ORS 810.260 and 815.445 and OAR 734-020-0300 to -0330.

State Traffic Engineer _____ Date _____