

Oregon Transportation Commission   <b>POLICY</b>	NUMBER <b>TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION-05</b>	SUPERSEDES <b>TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION-01</b>
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SUBJECT <b>NAMING HIGHWAY FACILITIES</b>		

The following guidelines are to be applied on a case-by-case basis:

- I. The Oregon Transportation Commission generally will not name highway facilities after individuals.
- II. The Oregon Transportation Commission may elect to suspend Guideline 1 if a requester can show compliance with the following criteria:
  1. Demonstrated statewide support for naming a facility.
  2. The honored individual shall have made a lasting contribution, with a significant and historic impact on Oregon.
  3. The honored individual shall have been deceased for at least one year.
  4. The facility is long enough to merit a title, such as a bridge or tunnel more than one-half mile long, or a highway section with defined end-points which was completed as a whole.
- III. The comments of the Oregon Geographic Names Board will be solicited prior to naming any highway facility. (Any federal recognition will be contingent upon their approval.)