

# OREGON TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES COMMITTEE

# MEETING MINUTES

Date:	January 24, 2025
Time:	9:00 am – 12:00 pm
Location:	Microsoft Teams Meeting
Virtual/Hybrid Option:	Microsoft Teams Meeting

#### IN ATTENDANCE

## **Committee Members**

- ☑ Laurel Byer, Chair, Benton County
   ☑ Will Farley, Vice Chair, City of Lake Oswego
   ☑ Kevin Haas, Interim Secretary, ODOT
   ☑ Jeremy Morris, Klamath County
   ☑ Ali Eghtedari, ODOT Region 1
   ☑ Joseph Marek, Clackamas County
   ☑ Angela Kargel, ODOT
   ☑ Karl MacNair, City of Medford
- ☐ Cadell Chand, Washington County

# **ODOT**

- Brenda Gessner, Program Analyst Social Equity
- Brendan Baggett, Traffic Work Zone Analyst
- Bob Stolle, Crossing Engineer Rail
- Dean Chess. Product Evaluation Coordinator
- Eric Finney, Engineering Manager Region 3
- Eric Leaming, State Traffic Investigations Engineer
- Fahad Alhajri, Work Zone Standards Engineer
- Frank Belleque, Traffic Markings & Sign Engineer
- o Gary Obery, Traffic and Active Modes Engineer
- Jamie Schmidt, Traffic Operations Engineer Region 2
- Jiguang Zhao, Traffic Safety Engineer

- Justin King, State Traffic Work Zone Engineer
- Katie Johnson, Traffic Signal Quality Engineer
- Keith Blair, Region Traffic Unit Manager

- Maria Morrow, Support Specialist ETSB
- Marie Kennedy, State Traffic Sign Engineer
- Rodger Gutierrez, Bicycle and Pedestrian Design Engineer
- Roger Boettcher, Traffic Signal Operations Specialist
- Scott Jollo, State Traffic Structures Engineer
- Scott Cramer, State Traffic Signal Engineer
- Scott Parker, Traffic Design Engineer Region 3

## Others Present (online or in person)

- Arturo Alvarado, Washington County
- Bret Jones, City of Eugene
- Brian Barnett, City of Springfield
- o Bill Mullican, Lane Transit District
- Chris Henry, City of Eugene

- Marcos Zarate-Garcia, Washington County
- Marcus Hecker, Lane Transit District
- Melissa Norman, Washington County
- Natasha Karan, City of Eugene
- Nick Fortey, FHWA

- Colton Minton, Jackson County
- Darryl Whitaker, Lane Transit District
- Erica Bloker, Washington County
- Jabra Khasho, City of Beaverton
- James Philp, Jackson County
- Kevin Hottmann, City of Salem

- Patrick Marnell, Q-free
- o Peter Koonce, City of Portland
- Ryan Lancaster, Idaho Transportation Department
- Sarah Owens, Washington County
- Scott Beaird, Kittleson & Associates
- Stefan Bussey, City of Portland

## CALL TO ORDER, ATTENDANCE

- Chair, Laurel Byer, called the meeting to order at 9:00am
- Round table introductions of committee and non-committee members

## APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

- OTCDC Minutes 2024.09
  - Will moved to approve
  - Joe Second
  - All in favor, none opposed
- OTCDC Minutes 2024.11
  - Kevin Hass has mentioned that meeting calendar will have a Motion to amend
    - Karl moved to approve
    - Will Second
    - All in favor, none opposed

#### **BUSINESS FROM THE AUDIENCE**

- Laurel asked for input from the audience
- No Input from the audience

## **REVIEW 2025 MEETING CALENDAR**

- Kevin Haas has requested a motion to have a joint meeting with Oregon ITE on Thursday March 13th, Region 1
  Flanders Building at 9AM for in person with hybrid/teams
- ITE is flexible for the start of their meeting to accommodate the OTCDC schedule
- Suggested start time of 8:30

Date	Location
March 13	8:30 am ODOT Flanders Joint meeting with Oregon ITE
June 20	Online MS Teams
August 15	Online MS Teams (possibly hybrid or in-person meeting)
October 17	Online MS Teams
December 19	Online MS Teams

- Maggie second
- All in favor none opposed

## MUTCD NEWS FROM FHWA AND NATIONAL COMMITTEE UPDATE

Eric Leaming shared information from the National Committee Annual Meeting from Arlington, VA

- FHWA Report Sharing
  - Calloway reported list of known errors, update coming soon
  - Hotlink to the MUTCD is posted and available
  - FHWA working on training slides
    - Currently in the review process prior to being posted online
  - PROWAG transit stops
    - Acknowledged the administration change, rulemaking stopped during this process
    - March of 2026 for adoption
  - Experimental guide and handbook
  - 12<sup>th</sup> edition would include a series of listening sessions
    - To be held in 2025, but not yet scheduled
      - o 3 in person
      - o 1 virtual

#### SUPPLEMENT PROPOSALS REVIEW

Eric Learning shared timeline and is asking for comments from committee members from this round of review by February 4<sup>th</sup>. For the 3<sup>rd</sup> round of review, comments will be due after the March meeting. Additionally, attendees were reminded of the decision-making process.

Decisions based on:

Green - Accept and move forward with changes

Yellow - Back to Subcommittee for changes

Red – Do not move forward

Review of status of proposals. Eric Learning has asked that subcommittee leads state changes since last review.

# Part 8 – Traffic Control for Railroad and Light Rail Transit Grade Crossings

- Proposal 11805 8C.03 Stop and Yield Lines
  - Majority vote green
- **Proposal 11806** 8D.02 Flashing-Light Signals
  - Majority vote green
- Proposal 11807 8D.15 Use of LRT Signals for Control of LRT Vehicles at Highway-LRT Grade Crossings
  - Unanimously voted yellow
- Proposal 11808 8E.03 Pathway and Sidewalk Signs and Markings & 8E.07 Active Traffic Control Systems
  - Majority vote green, with discussed modifications

## Part 9 – Traffic Control for Bicycle Facilities

- Proposal 11903 9B.15 Bicycle Passing Clearance Sign
  - Majority vote green
- Proposal 11904 4A.05 Meaning of Bicycle Signal Indications, 4H.03 Bicycle Signal Signs, 9B.22 Bicycle Signal Signs.
  - Majority vote green
- Proposal 11905 9D.01 Bicycle Destination Signs
  - Majority vote green, with discussed modifications
- **Proposal 11907** 9E.01 Bicycle Lanes 9E.07 Separated Bicycle Lanes
  - Previous portions voted in November:
  - o Symbol
    - Majority vote green
- **Proposal 11910** 9E.13 Shared Use Paths
  - Majority voted green, with discussed modifications
- **Proposal 11911** 9E.15 Bicycle Detector Symbol
  - Vote to updating figures
    - Majority vote green, with discussed modifications

## **BREAK**

# Part 1 – General

• No Proposals to Discuss in this section

## Part 2 – Signs

- **Proposal 11202** 2B.21 Speed Limit Sign (R2-1)
  - Majority vote green, with discussed modifications
- Proposal 11203 2B.27 Intersection Lane Control Signs (R3-5 through R3-8)
  - Majority vote green
- Proposal 11204 2B.60 No Turn on Red Signs
  - Majority vote green, with discussed modifications
- Proposal 11205 2C.69 Photo Enforced Plaques (Warning)
  - Majority vote green

## Part 3 - Markings

- Proposal 11302 Stop and yield lines
  - Majority vote yellow

## OTCDC UPDATES AND NOA ITEMS

No NOA items

#### AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

Proposals not discussed here will be discussed in March

- Proposal 11403
- Proposal 11404
- Proposal 11405
- Proposal 11701
- Proposal 11702
- Proposal 11703

## **ADJOURN**

Laurel Byer called the meeting to adjourn at 12:04 pm

## **NEXT MEETING**

Date: March 13, 2025

Time: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm

**ODOT Flanders Building** 

Location: 123 NW Flanders

Portland, OR 97209

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