Local Programs Advisory Committee

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1. Purpose

The Local Programs Advisory Committee (LPAC) is an ODOT-led forum that provides interdisciplinary and interagency counsel to ODOT programs that serve local agencies.

LPAC is co-chaired by the Statewide Investments Management Section Manager and a Region Manager selected by Delivery and Operations Management Team.

2. Background

LPAC does not make decisions over programs or disciplines. The Statewide Project Delivery Branch has decision-making authority for ODOT project delivery policy. Individual programs retain decision-making authority for their respective policies. Other engagement forums where ODOT is present, such as the Certification User Group or external forums, maintain a specific charge and audience that is narrower than LPAC.

3. Stakeholders & Resources

LPAC provides a dedicated forum for funding and project delivery program managers and their stakeholders to engage in program and policy improvement discussions. To that end, LPAC does not have dedicated members other than the co-chairs but instead has targeted stakeholders and resources as shown in the tables below.

Funding & Delivery Programs					
Local Bridge	State Funded Local Projects & Fund Exchange				
Local Agency Certification Program	Transportation Alternatives Program				
Small City Allotment	Connect Oregon				
Safe Routes to School	All Roads Transportation Safety				
Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality	Surface Transportation Block Grant Urban				
Emergency Relief	Immediate Opportunity Fund				
Oregon Community Paths					
Interagency Project Delivery					
Statewide Investments Management Section	Region 1				
Association of Oregon Counties	Region 2				

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Federal Highway Administration	Region 3			
League of Oregon Cities	Region 4			
	Region 5			
Discipline Partners				
Technical Disc. (Env, ROW, UR, TR, etc.)	Program & Funding Services			
Civil Rights	Procurement			
Construction				

4. Frequency

LPAC meets on the first Wednesday of every other month beginning in January each year. LPAC meets from 9:00AM – 12:00PM.

5. Agenda Model

The LPAC agenda content is the responsibility of the co-chairs. The typical agenda includes a case study or program overview, ODOT roundtable or a single ODOT topic, stakeholder roundtable or a single stakeholder topic, LPAC business, and a dedicated Certification Program forum. Only stakeholders involved in the Certification Program need to attend the final topic.

Topic	Sponsor	Audience	Time	Minutes
Intros, Agenda Review, & NOAs	Co-Chairs	-	9:00	05
Case Study or Program OverviewOverviewChallenges & OpportunitiesQ&A	Program Manager or Other		9:05	40
ODOT RoundtableIssues & Opportunities	Region or HQ staff		9:45	20
Break			10:05	15
Stakeholder Roundtable	LOC, AOC, & FHWA		10:20	20

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Additional LPAC BusinessTopics from Co-ChairsNOAs	Co-Chairs	 10:40	20
Break (Only Staff Engaged in Certification Need to Stay)		 11:00	05
 Local Agency Certification Program Work Plan Status Bulletins & Guidance Region & LAL Check In 	Program Manager	 11:05	55

Review & Update

The Charter and Operations document will be reviewed annually by LPAC and updated as needed.

Contacts

For further information about LPAC or to be added to the agenda distribution list, contact <u>Statewide Programs Unit</u>.