## **FULL COMMITTEE PONY**

## Department of Transportation Highway Corridor and Feasibility Studies Report

The Transportation and Economic Development Subcommittee recommends acknowledging receipt of a report on highway corridor and feasibility studies for the past 10 years.

A budget note in the Department's appropriation bill directed a report on the past 10 years of feasibility and corridor studies and what projects have been undertaken as a result of the studies. The Department reported on 43 projects. At the direction of the Oregon Transportation Commission, most of the adopted projects focus on interchange management and improvement.

Of the 43 projects, 15 have been completed and an additional 7 are underway. Projects are developed in advance of actual need, and are undertaken when need arises and funding is available.

The budget note also specifically mentioned interest in any east-west corridor studies. No such studies have been completed since 2004.

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