

JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

September 12, 2024
11:30 AM

Hearing Room Offsite

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Chris Gorsek, Co-Chair
Sen. Brian Boquist, Co-Vice Chair
Sen. Lynn Findley
Sen. Lew Frederick

Rep. Susan McLain, Co-Chair
Rep. Kevin Mannix
Rep. E. Werner Reschke

MEMBERS EXCUSED:

Sen. Aaron Woods
Rep. Shelly Boshart Davis, Co-Vice Chair
Rep. Paul Evans
Rep. Nancy Nathanson
Rep. Khanh Pham

MEMBER(S) VISITING:

Rep. Kropf

STAFF PRESENT:

Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
Beverly Schoonover, LPRO Analyst
Isabel Hernandez, Sr. Committee Assistant
Sean Murphy, Sr. Committee Assistant
Madi Wiebe, Committee Assistant
Madison Meckel, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES:

ODOT Transportation Funding Review – Public Hearing
Public Comment

00:00:26 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:27 Co-Chair Gorsek
00:01:44 Rep. Kropf
00:01:56 Rep. Mannix
00:02:05 Rep. Reschke
00:02:17 Co-Chair McLain
00:02:28 Co-Chair Gorsek
00:02:41 Co-Vice Chair Boquist
00:02:45 Sen. Findley
00:03:13 Sen. Frederick

00:03:53 [\(5:00 PM – 5:10 PM\) ODOT Transportation Funding Review - Public Hearing](#)

00:03:54 Co-Chair Gorsek
00:04:23 Kris Strickler, Director, Oregon Department of Transportation
00:04:43 Tiffany Johnson, Region 4 Manager, Oregon Department of Transportation
00:04:50 Christine Hike, Central Regional Manager, Oregon Department of Transportation

00:15:03 **(5:10 PM – 7:00 PM) Public Comment**
00:15:04 Co-Chair Gorsek
00:16:05 Eileen Kiely, member, Regional Public Transportation Advisory Committee
00:18:16 Nancy Stevens, resident, Bend
00:20:50 Carol Elwood, resident, Bend
00:23:18 Sharlene Wills, member, Central Oregon Coalition for Access; member, Transportation Bond Oversight Committee
00:24:59 Hal Deshow, resident, Bend
00:27:00 Jim Elliot, resident, Bend
00:29:27 Trevor Johnson, member, Cascades East Transit Regional Advisory Committee
00:31:47 David Green, resident, Bend
00:33:55 Melanie Kebler, Mayor, Bend
00:36:44 Greg Bryant, Wildfire Coordinator, Deschutes River Woods; board member, Deschutes River Woods Fire Department; member, Bend Metropolitan Planning Organization Technical Advisory Committee; member, Regional Transportation Technical Advisory Committee
00:38:32 David Brittan, resident, Seattle, Washington
00:40:05 John Livingston, caseworker, Full Access High Desert
00:42:31 James Teeter, resident, Bend
00:44:37 Meghan Teeter, resident, Bend
00:46:56 Deren Ash, resident, La Pine
00:49:13 Karen Rippberger, member, La Pine Chamber of Commerce
00:51:30 Jordan Ohlde, member, Regional Public Transit Committee
00:52:49 Kristin Reidelberger, Associate Program Manager, Cities and Town Programs, Central Oregon Land Watch
00:55:39 Matt Muchna, Executive Director, Envision Bend
00:57:58 Corie Harlan, resident, Bend
01:00:23 Erich Winchester, resident, Bend
01:03:23 Samuel Robinson, member, Statewide Transportation Improvement Fund; member, Oregon Self Advocacy Coalition; member, Full Access High Desert
01:06:17 Jill Vaughan, resident, Bend; Project Director, Sundt Construction
01:08:28 James Dorofi, member, Envision Bend; member, Bend Metropolitan Planning Organization
01:11:01 Ben Gordon, Executive Director, Central Oregon Land Watch
01:13:25 Elisa Cheng, resident, Bend
01:14:50 Dorinne Tye, resident, Bend; member, Harness Oregon Group; member, Aviation-Impacted Communities Alliance
01:16:59 Thomas Tsuneta, Union Liaison, ATU Local 757

01:19:45 Scott Robinson, resident, Bend
01:21:55 Tom Grummon, State Foundation Engineer, Oregon Department of Transportation; board member, Association of Engineering Employees Political Action Committee
01:23:41 Freddy Finney-Jordet, student, Bend
01:25:58 Sam Lowry, retired education administrator, Redmond
01:28:15 Neil Baungard, Transportaion and Climate Policy Manager, The Environmental Center
01:31:07 Amy Sabbadini, teacher, Bend
01:33:24 Jamie Collins, board member, Meissner Nordic Ski Club
01:35:32 Mike Hamilton, resident, Bend
01:37:16 Anthony Ferro, President, Pacific Crest Bust Lines
01:37:51 Joe Katroserk, resident, Bend; member, Bicycle Resource of Bend
01:40:03 Sara Odendahl, Director of Government Affairs, Bend Chamber of Commerce
01:45:12 Meeting Adjourned