

JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

September 25, 2024
02:30 PM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT:

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

Rep. Susan McLain, Co-Chair
Rep. Shelly Boshart Davis, Co-Vice
Chair
Rep. Paul Evans
Rep. Kevin Mannix
Rep. Nancy Nathanson
Rep. Khanh Pham
Rep. E. Werner Reschke

STAFF PRESENT:

Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
Desi Root, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

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

MEASURES/ISSUES:

Update on Port of Portland Terminal 6 Container Shipping –
Informational Meeting
Local Government Transportation Funding Needs Assessment –
Informational Meeting
Progress Report on Joint Transportation Committee Statewide
Tour – Informational Meeting
Next Steps on Transportation Package: Work Groups, ODOT
Update, Resource Library, and Answers to Questions from
May Meeting – Informational Meeting
Salem-Area Stakeholder Panel on Statewide Transportation
Funding Package – Informational Meeting
Virtual public testimony on statewide transportation funding –
Public Hearing

00:00:43 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:44 Co-Chair McLain

00:01:07 [Update on Port of Portland Terminal 6 Container Shipping -
Informational Meeting](#)

00:01:08 Co-Chair McLain

00:01:30 Dave Robertson, Chief Public Affairs Officer, Port of Portland

00:03:43 Keith Leavitt, former Chief Trade and Economic Development Officer, Port
of Portland

00:18:15 Sen. Findley

00:23:08 Rep. Evans

00:27:50 Rep. Pham

00:31:13 Co-Vice Chair Boshart Davis

00:33:58 **Local Government Transportation Funding Needs Assessment -
Informational Meeting**

00:33:59 Co-Chair McLain

00:34:51 Brian Worley, Program Director Association of Oregon Counties (AOC)

00:53:39 Jim McCauley, Legislative Director, League of Oregon Cities

01:04:29 Rep. Nathanson

01:07:56 Sen. Findley

01:08:47 Rep. Pham

01:11:12 Co-Vice Chair Boquist

01:13:45 **Next Steps on Transportation Package: Work Groups, ODOT Update -
Informational Meeting**

01:13:46 Co-Chair McLain

01:16:29 Co-Chair Gorsek

01:17:32 Sen. Findley

01:18:20 Sen. Woods

01:19:08 Sen. Frederick

01:19:39 Co-Vice Chair Boquist

01:21:21 Co-Vice Chair Boshart Davis

01:22:21 Rep. Nathanson

01:22:42 Rep. Pham

01:24:08 Rep. Mannix

01:24:39 Rep. Reschke

01:28:53 **Progress Report on Joint Transportation Committee Statewide Tour -
Informational Meeting**

01:28:54 Co-Chair McLain

01:29:42 Lindsey Baker, Government and External Relations, Oregon Department
of Transportation (ODOT)

01:41:22 Sen. Findley

01:44:39 Rep. Mannix

01:47:57 **Salem-Area Stakeholder Panel on Statewide Transportation Funding
Package - Informational Meeting**

01:47:58 Co-Chair McLain

01:48:34 Meeting Recessed

01:48:57 Meeting Reconvened

01:49:38 Tom Hoffert, CEO and President, Salem Chamber of Commerce

01:53:44 Cathy Clark, Mayor, city of Keizer

02:00:17 Lyle Moroharst, Polk County Commissioner

02:04:55 Julie Hoy, Mayor Elect, city of Salem

02:08:07 Maria Hinojos Pressey, Board President, Cherriots

02:10:33 Scott Dadson, Executive Director, Mid-Willamette Valley Council of
Governments

02:13:28 Rep. Mannix

02:13:46 **Virtual public testimony on statewide transportation funding - Public Hearing**

02:13:47 Co-Chair McLain

02:14:57 Rejeena Jackson, resident, Klamath Falls

02:17:02 Allan Pollock, General Manager, Cherriots

02:19:23 Laurie Dougherty, co-coordinator, 350 Salem

02:21:09 Marja Beyers, resident, Salem

02:23:36 Jim Row, Assistant City Administrator, city of Woodburn

02:25:55 Max Light-Pacheco, resident, Portland

02:28:09 Evelyn Kocher, resident, Beaverton

02:30:22 Ahlem Osman, resident, Portland

02:32:36 Sen. Brian Boquist, Senate District 12

02:35:17 Gerri Wilthuhn, Strong Towns PDX

02:37:21 Joe Stanger, co-chair, transportation committee, Mobilizing Climate Action Together

02:40:34 Catherine Thomasson, vice-chair, Environmental Caucus, Democratic Party

02:45:16 Roger Bradford, owner, Bradford's Barber Shop

02:47:12 Leah Davis, resident, Portland

02:51:21 Maria Sipin, resident, Portland

02:53:12 Meeting Adjourned