

JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE 5 BRIDGE

December 15, 2025
09:00 AM

Hearing Room Virtual B

OREGON MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Lew Frederick, Co-Chair
Sen. Chris Gorsek
Sen. Suzanne Weber

Rep. Susan McLain, Co-Chair
Rep. Shelly Boshart Davis
Rep. Kevin Mannix
Rep. Thuy Tran

WASHINGTON MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Annette Cleveland, Co-Chair
Sen. Paul Harris, Co-Chair
Sen. Jeff Wilson

Rep. Ed Orcutt, Co-Chair
Rep. Sharon Wylie, Co-Chair
Rep. Jake Fey
Rep. John Ley

OREGON MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:

Sen. Bruce Starr

WASHINGTON MEMBER(S) EXCUSED:

Sen. Marko Liias

STAFF PRESENT:

Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
Isabel Hernandez, Sr. Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

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

MEASURES/ISSUES:

Program Updates, including on program milestones and the environmental review process, the bridge permitting process, and recent activities – Informational Meeting
Update on the Cost Estimate Process, including the development of the new cost estimate and next steps – Informational Meeting
Addressing Questions from Previous Meeting – Informational Meeting
Next Steps, including ongoing work to advance to construction and upcoming work – Informational Meeting
Public Comment – Informational Meeting

00:00:07 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:08 Co-Chair Wylie

00:00:24 ROLL CALL

- 00:01:38** **Program Updates, including on program milestones and the environmental review process, the bridge permitting process, and recent activities - Informational Meeting**
- 00:01:39** Co-Chair Wylie
- 00:01:58** Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 00:07:57** Ray Mabey, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 00:21:31** Rep. Boshart Davis
- 00:23:45** Co-Chair McLain
- 00:27:09** Rep. Fey
- 00:29:20** Rep. Tran
- 00:34:20** Rep. Mannix
- 00:36:27** Rep. Ley
- 00:37:18** **Update on the Cost Estimate Process, including the development of the new cost estimate and next steps - Informational Meeting**
- 00:37:19** Co-Chair Wylie
- 00:38:06** Ray Mabey, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 00:39:06** Carley Francis, Incoming Interim Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 00:48:22** Rep. Tran
- 00:53:34** Co-Chair Orcutt
- 00:55:57** Rep. Fey
- 00:58:46** Sen. Wilson
- 01:02:04** Co-Chair Cleveland
- 01:04:29** Rep. Boshart Davis
- 01:08:39** Co-Chair McLain
- 01:11:46** **Addressing Questions from Previous Meeting - Informational Meeting**
- 01:11:47** Co-Chair Wylie
- 01:11:57** Frank Green, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 01:20:45** Paige Schlupp, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 01:25:49** Steve Witter, Deputy Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program
- 01:36:36** Rep. Tran
- 01:37:25** Rep. Fey
- 01:38:40** Sen. Wilson
- 01:41:32** **Next Steps, including ongoing work to advance to construction and upcoming work - Informational Meeting**
- 01:41:33** Co-Chair Wylie

01:41:43 Ray Mabey, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program

01:41:58 Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement Program

01:50:09 Rep. Tran

01:51:56 Rep. Ley

01:53:14 Co-Chair McLain

01:56:28 Co-Chair Cleveland

02:00:47 **Public Comment - Informational Meeting**

02:00:48 Co-Chair Wylie

02:01:12 Joe Cortright, Economist, City Observatory

02:04:17 Chris Smith, Just Crossing Alliance

02:05:51 Bob Ortblad, resident, Washington

02:09:01 Laurie Layne, resident, Buckley, Washington

02:10:08 Sharon Nassett, resident, Portland; President/CEO, Third Bridge Now

02:15:11 Meeting Adjourned