

JOINT SPECIAL SESSION COMMITTEE ON INTERSTATE 5 BRIDGE

September 15, 2025
01:00 PM

Hearing Room Virtual G

OREGON MEMBERS PRESENT:

Sen. Khanh Pham, Co-Chair
Sen. Lew Frederick
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. Marko Lias
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

STAFF PRESENT:

Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
Sean Murphy, Sr. Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS:

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

MEASURES/ISSUES:

Adoption of Committee Rules – Organizational Meeting
Program Updates, including program milestones, the
environmental review process, and the bridge permitting
process – Informational Meeting
Program Funding Updates – Informational Meeting
Update on Bistate Toll Rate Setting Process – Informational
Meeting
Public Comment – Public Hearing
Efforts to Advance to Delivery – Informational Meeting
Next Steps – Informational Meeting

This meeting was held virtually with remote participation only

00:00:01 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:02 Co-Chair McLain
00:00:27 ROLL CALL

00:01:34 **Adoption of Committee Rules - Organizational Meeting**
00:01:35 Co-Chair McLain
00:02:12 MOTION: REP. TRAN MOVES ADOPTION OF COMMITTEE RULES
00:02:19 VOTE: 7-0-1
 AYE: SENS. FREDERICK, WEBER, PHAM; REPS. BOSHART DAVIS,
 MANNIX, TRAN, MCLAIN
 EXCUSED: SEN. STARR

00:03:00 **Program Updates, including program milestones, the environmental
review process, and the bridge permitting process - Informational
Meeting**
00:03:01 Co-Chair McLain
00:03:23 Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement
 Program
00:19:14 Shilpa Mallem, Program Design Manager, Interstate Bridge Replacement
 Program
00:27:53 Rep. Tran
00:32:29 Co-Chair Pham
00:36:36 Co-Chair Orcutt
00:39:13 Rep. Ley
00:42:02 Frank Green, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge
 Replacement Program
00:45:23 Paige Schlupp, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge
 Replacement Program
00:48:54 Rep. Fey

00:50:45 **Program Funding Updates - Informational Meeting**
00:50:46 Co-Chair McLain
00:50:52 Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement
 Program
00:53:10 Frank Green, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge
 Replacement Program
01:01:29 Paige Schlupp, Assistant Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge
 Replacement Program
01:11:24 Sen. Lias
01:14:02 Co-Chair Pham
01:17:34 Rep. Ley

01:21:01 **Update on Bistate Toll Rate Setting Process - Informational Meeting**
01:21:02 Co-Chair McLain
01:21:05 Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement
 Program
01:21:19 Ed Barry, Director, Toll Division, Washington State Department of
 Transportation
01:28:27 Travis Brouwer, Deputy Director, Oregon Department of Transportation
01:32:36 Carl See, Deputy Director, Washington State Transportation Commission

01:41:31 Co-Chair Pham
01:45:21 Sen. Wilson
01:47:15 Rep. Tran

01:50:03 Public Comment - Public Hearing

01:50:04 Co-Chair McLain
01:50:52 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
01:51:11 Ron Arp, President, Identity Clark County; Coordinator, Clark County
Transportation Alliance; Coordinator, Southwest Washington Freight and
Commerce Task Force
01:53:17 Joe Cortright, Economist, City Observatory
01:57:03 Chris Smith, Just Crossing Alliance
01:59:18 Khanh Tran, Policy Director, Oregon Chapter, National Association of
Minority Contractors
02:01:42 Dee Burch, Co-Chair, Legislative Forum Committee, Oregon Columbia
Chapter, Associated General Contractors; President, Advanced American
Construction
02:04:26 Stratos Flanders, President, West Region, Knife River Corporation
02:05:39 Sharon Nasset, President/CEO, Third Bridge Now
02:07:57 Meeting Recessed
02:08:35 Meeting Reconvened
02:09:42 Sarah Iannarone, Executive Director, The Street Trust

02:13:03 Efforts to Advance to Delivery - Informational Meeting

02:13:04 Co-Chair McLain
02:13:11 Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement
Program
02:13:59 Casey Liles, Program Delivery Manager, Interstate Bridge Replacement
Program

02:20:13 Next Steps - Informational Meeting

02:20:14 Co-Chair McLain
02:20:15 Greg Johnson, Program Administrator, Interstate Bridge Replacement
Program
02:23:53 Co-Chair Orcutt
02:24:38 Rep. Ley
02:25:15 Patrick Brennan, LPRO Analyst
02:25:48 David Munnecke, Counsel, Office of Program Research
02:26:41 Meeting Adjourned