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September 13, 2021

Community Task Force – Agenda Meeting #26

Project:	Earthquake Ready Burnside Bridge
Subject:	Community Task Force Meeting #26
Date:	Monday, September 13, 2021
Time:	Early Arrivals: 5:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
	Meeting Timing: 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Location:	WebEx Virtual Meeting

TASK FORCE MEMBERS

Amy Rathfelder, Portland Business Alliance
Art Graves, Multnomah County Bike and
Pedestrian Citizen Advisory Committee
Dennis Corwin, Portland Spirit
Ed Wortman, Community Member
Frederick Cooper, Laurelhurst Neighborhood
Emergency Team and Laurelhurst Neighborhood
Association

Gabe Rahe, Burnside Skatepark
Howie Bierbaum, Portland Saturday Market
Jackie Tate, Community Member
Jane Gordon, University of Oregon
Jennifer Stein, Central City Concern
Marie Dodds, AAA of Oregon
Neil Jensen, Gresham Area Chamber of
Commerce
Paul Leitman, Oregon Walks
TBD, Old Town Community Association
Peter Finley Fry, Central Eastside Industrial

Sharon Wood Wortman, Community Member

Stella Funk Butler, Coalition of Gresham
Neighborhood Associations
Susan Lindsay, Buckman Community Association
Tesia Eisenberg, Mercy Corps
William Burgel, Portland Freight Advisory
Committee

PROJECT TEAM MEMBERS

Megan Neill, Multnomah County
Mike Pullen, Multnomah County
Heather Catron, HDR
Cassie Davis, HDR
Steve Drahota, HDR
Liz Stoppelmann, HDR
Jeff Heilman, Parametrix
Allison Brown, JLA
Sarah Omlor, Envirolssues

Meeting Purpose:

- Provide a project update on funding and timeline
- Review updated workplan and schedule
- Review status on cost saving measures
- Review bridge type selection process



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5:30 p.m.	Early Arrivals	Project Team
	WebEx meeting platform will be available for folks that want to join early and test computer functions before meeting start	
6:00 p.m.	Welcome, Introductions and Housekeeping	Allison Brown
	Meeting protocolsRound table introductions	
6:05 p.m.	Public Comment	Allison Brown
	Acknowledge any public comments received	
6:15 p.m.	Project Update	Megan Neill
	Funding status	Heather Catron
	Workplan	
	Working groups	
6:30 p.m.	Cost Saving Measures – Early Findings	Megan Neill
	Skatepark	Steve Drahota
	Streetcar right-of-way	
	Bridge width	
7:15 p.m.	Bridge Type Selection	Steve Drahota
	Status and next steps	
7:40 p.m.	Next Steps	Heather Catron
7:50 p.m.	Open Discussion	Allison Brown
8:00 p.m.	Adjourn	All

The purpose of the CTF is to serve as an advisory body to Multnomah County by:

- Considering the potential environmental impacts of the alternatives
- Providing informed insights and opinions on the impacts being evaluated
- Discussing technical recommendations, suggesting measures to avoid, minimize or mitigate potential impacts
- Representing the interests, needs and opinions of community, business organizations and groups
- Considering input and information from other community members, stakeholders and interested parties.

CTF members approached by interest groups other than their own constituencies are encouraged to share these conversations at CTF meetings. For information contact Mike Pullen, County Communications Office at mike.j.pullen@multco.us

