



WASHINGTON STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA

Kelso City Hall
Council Chambers
203 S Pacific, Kelso, WA

Tuesday, April 21, 2015 – 9 a.m.

AGENDA ITEM	TIME
1. CHAIRMAN WELCOME AND COMMISSION INTRODUCTIONS	9:00
2. WELCOME <i>Presenter: David Futcher, Mayor, City of Kelso</i>	9:05
3. COMMISSION BUSINESS • Approval of March 17 & 18, 2015, meeting summary	ACTION 9:10
4. TRANSPORTATION 101 – A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF TRANSPORTATION IN WASHINGTON STATE <i>Presenter: Paul Parker, Deputy Director, WSTC</i>	9:15
5. CITY TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenters: Steve Taylor, City Manager, City of Kelso Mike Kardas, Public Works Director, City of Kelso David Campbell, City Manager, City of Longview Manuel Abarca, Traffic Engineer, City of Longview</i>	9:30
6. SR 432/433: ROAD, RAIL, RIVER <i>Presenters: Ashley Helenberg, Director of External Affairs, Port of Longview Michael Karnofski, Commissioner, Cowlitz County Don Jensen, Mayor, City of Longview Bart Gernhart, Assistant Regional Administrator, WSDOT Southwest Region</i>	10:00
BREAK	10:45
7. COUNTY TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenters: Dennis Weber, Commissioner, Cowlitz County Ron Junker, Public Works Director, Cowlitz County Pete Ringen, Public Works Director, Wahkiakum County</i>	11:00
8. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenter: Amy Asher, Transit Supervisor, River Cities Transit</i>	11:30
9. TRIBAL TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenters: Bill Iyall, Chairman, Cowlitz Indian Tribe Kim Stube, Transportation Director, Cowlitz Indian Tribe</i>	11:45
LUNCH	12:00
10. REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenter: Bill Fashing, Executive Director, Cowlitz-Wahkiakum Council of Governments</i>	1:00
11. WSDOT TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenter: Bart Gernhart, Assistant Regional Administrator, WSDOT Southwest Region</i>	1:30
12. TWO BRIDGES AND A FERRY: INTERSTATE CONNECTIONS ON THE LOWER COLUMBIA RIVER <i>Presenters: Bart Gernhart, Assistant Regional Administrator, WSDOT Southwest Region Pete Ringen, Public Works Director, Wahkiakum County</i>	2:00

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13.	INDUSTRY AND TRADE: TRANSPORTATION ISSUES, CHALLENGES AND SUCCESSES <i>Presenters: Ashley Helenberg, Director of External Affairs, Port of Longview Norm Krehbiel, Chief Operating Officer, Port of Longview Mark Wilson, Executive Director, Port of Kalama Dan Bowden, Pacific Lumber & Shipping Brendan Brophy, Plant Manager, Steelscape David Grillot, Plant Manager, TEMCO Grain</i>	3:00
14.	FIRE AND ICE SCENIC LOOP <i>Presenter: Lisa Brosnan, Economic Development Planner, Cowlitz-Wahkiakum Council of Governments</i>	4:15
15.	PUBLIC COMMENT	4:45
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