#### About the Forum

This seminar-styled forum provides education and information on current project delivery trends, strategies, methods, best practices, issues, and updates.

The forum is sponsored by the Project Delivery Leadership Team, and is open to leadership staff and key business line staff responsible for project delivery, as well as key organizational partners.

Don't miss this excellent opportunity to meet your peers and partners, network at a statewide level, and receive the latest information on ODOT Project Delivery initiatives.

We look forward to seeing you there!



## Registration

There is no registration fee to attend the Business Line Forum; however, participants will need to charge crew EA's for any applicable lodging, meals and other travel related expenses. Please see the ODOT Travel Handbook at the Financial Services Intranet website for current travel rules.

SEATING IS LIMITED! You must register online at: <a href="http://s-salemrev-69/stc/student/psciis.dll?class=student&loc=0000054767">http://s-salemrev-69/stc/student/psciis.dll?class=student&loc=0000054767</a> by Wednesday, October 15, 2008 in order to reserve a seat and be included in the lunch. Click on the Course Description link for additional information.

If you have any problems registering or have questions regarding the forum, please contact Lissa Willis at Lissa. Willis@odot.state.or.us or (503) 986-3893.

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9th Annual Project Delivery Business Line Forum

# Sustaining Oregon's Highway Infrastructure

Project Delivery
Opportunities
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Wednesday, October 29, 2008 8:30 am-4:30 pm



Chemeketa Community College NW Viticulture Center

215 Doaks Ferry Road NW Salem, Oregon

503-584-7272

# **Preliminary Agenda**

<u>Time</u>	Topic	<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
7:45–8:30 A	REGISTRATION & NETWORKING	12:45—1:00 P	NETWORKING & DISPLAYS
8:30-8:40 A	Welcome & Opening Remarks PDLT Co-Chair Cathy Nelson, Technical Services Manager/Chief Engineer	1:00-2:00 P	<u>Lessons Learned: Risk and Reward</u> Region project highlights — key challenges, successes, and learning
8:40-9:00 A	FORUM KICKOFF: <u>ODOT's Project Delivery Outlook</u> PDLT Co-Chair Paul Mather, Southwest Region Manager	2:00–2:30 P	<u>Thinking out Loud: Strategies for Streamlining</u> Environmental—Hal Gard, Environmental Program Manager
9:00–9:50 A	<u>Trends in Highway Economics</u> Randall Pozdena, PhD		Construction —Bob Pappe, Contract Administration Engineer
	Portland Managing Director ECONorthwest	2:30-3:00 P	ODOT Highway Division Outlook  Doug Tindall, Deputy Director  Highway
9:50–10:10 A	On the Federal Horizon Phil Ditzler, Oregon Division Administrator Federal Highway Administration	3:00-3:15 P	BREAK: NETWORKING & DISPLAYS
10:10–10:30 A	BREAK: NETWORKING & DISPLAYS	3:15–3:45 P	Message from the Director Matthew Garrett ODOT Director
10:30–11:00 A	<u>Transportation Funding Challenges</u> Travis Brower, Senior Federal Affairs	3:45-4:15 P	"Excellence In Project Delivery" Awards Presentation
11:00–11:30 A	Advisor, Director's Office  Lessons Learned: Risk and Reward	4:15–4:30 P	Closing Remarks and Announcements Cathy Nelson and Paul Mather
	Region project highlights — key challenges, successes, and learning	4:30–5:00 P	NETWORKING & DISPLAYS
11:30–12:00 P	LUNCH BUFFET & NETWORKING		

Alternative Funding Strategies

Betsy Imholt, Alternative Funding Administrator, Office of Innovative Partnerships

12:00-12:45 P



### **Salem Lodging Information**

Best Western Mill Creek	800-346-9659
3125 Ryan Dr. SE	503-585-3332
Best Western Black Bear Inn	877-594-1110
1600 Motor Court NE	503-581-1559
Comfort Suites	877-424-6423
630 Hawthorne Ave SE	503-585-9705
Holiday Inn Express	888-465-4329
890 Hawthorne Ave SE	503-391-7000
Phoenix Inn Suites—South	800-445-4498
4370 Commercial St. S	503-588-9220

See State Qualified Lodging Listing for more options: http://www.azumano.com/orhotels/index.html

#### Map & Directions

#### From the North

From I-5 southbound take exit 260A Salem Parkway. Follow the Salem Parkway and signs for "Dallas/ Oregon Coast." Turn right onto Marion St. Bridge [OR-22]. Continue to follow OR-22 west (approximately 4 miles). Turn right on Doaks Ferry Rd. Driveway is on the left.

#### From the South

From I-5 northbound take exit 253. Turn left onto OR-22 (OR-22 becomes Mission St.). Take the 13th St. exit ramp and follow OR-22



signs through Salem. Take a right onto Front St. Take the Marion St. Bridge (OR-22) exit. Continue to follow OR-22 west. Turn right on Doaks Ferry Rd. Driveway is on the left.