Membership Discussion

Freight Advisory Committee

December 11, 2019
## Committee Structure Types

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<th>Technical Committee</th>
<th>Advisory Committee</th>
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<td>• Non-voting</td>
<td>• Formal voting structure</td>
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<td>• Guidance made to PSRC staff but not in the form of a formal recommendation</td>
<td>• Recommendations from committee are made formally to PSRC</td>
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<td>• Guidance offered on general work program items but not necessarily advisory for PSRC plans or funding programs</td>
<td>• Advisory recommendations include but not limited to PSRC work program items and/ or PSRC planning documents</td>
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<td>• Wide array of member types</td>
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Committee preference
Voting Members

- Representation from member agencies with interest in freight planning
  - Metro cities
  - Other cities and towns
  - Counties
- Ports
- State
- Other?
Appointments

- Appointments provided in writing by appropriate department head or elected official
- For other cities and towns, PSRC will work with each county-wide transportation committee to assist with appointments
Non-Voting membership

• Non-voting members will be allowed to participate and can include:
  • Educational institutions
  • Freight related organization/implementers
  • Other?
• Non-voting members may participate in general discussions but may not vote and should refrain from discussion on action items.
• Non-voting membership will be requested in writing from the sponsoring organization for consideration by PSRC.
Interested Parties

• Interested parties are welcome to observe proceedings. These include:
  • Businesses
  • Consulting firms
  • Individuals
Leadership

• As committee membership structure is finalized
  • Typically there is a Chair and Vice-Chair for the committee (typically a two-year term)
  • Committee representation on other PSRC committees
Questions?

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