



Puget Sound Regional Council

Transportation Operators Committee Agenda

Date: Wednesday, October 28, 2020 from 10:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.

Online Meeting Only: Use Zoom Connection Information Provided Below

- 1. Welcome and Introductions (10:00)**
- 2. Action: Approval of Meeting Summary – August 26, 2020* (10:05)**
- 3. Discussion: Regional Transportation Plan - Transit Components (10:10)**

PSRC will facilitate a discussion on the transit updates that will need to be incorporated into the 2022 Regional Transportation Plan update, including discussion of the following questions:

- Where are transit agencies in the update of their long-range transit plans?
- Where are transit agencies in the process of adjusting project schedules / service levels based on COVID or other factors?

This discussion is intended to help inform updates to future transit networks including any changes to projects on the Regional Capacity Project List.

The second part of this discussion will address conceptual planning for future projects and services out to 2050. Given that the 2022 RTP is timed to help inform local jurisdiction and transit agency long-range planning to a new 2050 horizon year, PSRC will continue discussions with transit agencies on how the 2022 RTP can identify a high-level, conceptual assessment of future transit needs, including potential high capacity transit expansions, to help inform transit agency long-range plan updates.

TOC members are invited to incorporate any relevant staff from their agencies who can contribute to the discussion. Please introduce any staff who are attending for this discussion at the beginning of the meeting.

- 4. Discussion: Puget Sound Passenger-only Ferry Update (11:00)**

PSRC staff will share a brief update on the status and next steps associated with the Puget Sound Passenger-only Ferry Study.

- 5. Discussion: PSRC Park & Ride Data Dashboard (11:15)**

PSRC staff will share a PSRC region park & ride data dashboard that was created using transit agency-provided data.

6. Discussion: 2020 Transit Integration Report Status (11:30)

PSRC staff will provide a brief update on the status of the 2020 Transit Integration Report.

7. Discussion: Transit Agency Roundtable (11:40)

As time permits, transit agency staff will provide updates on their work that they want to share with regional partners.

8. Information: 2020-21 Planned Meeting Topics*

9. Next Meeting: December 2, 2020

Calendar Link: <https://www.psrc.org/sites/default/files/toc2020-calendar.pdf>

10. Adjourn (12:00)

*Supporting materials attached

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Transportation Operators Committee Meeting Summary

Date: August 26, 2020

Location: Online Meeting Only: BlueJeans Remote Meeting

Welcome and Introductions

Gil Cerise PSRC, welcomed everyone at 10:00 a.m. Representatives and guests were asked to use the chat feature to type in their name for attendance.

Approval of Meeting Summary

The summary for the June 24, 2020 meeting was approved.

Discussion: Transit Funding Discussion at TPB/TPB Transit Caucus

Gil provided a debrief on the July 9, 2020 Transit Caucus discussion about transit funding and next steps. He noted this will be a discussion item on the September 10 Transportation Policy Board meeting.

The presentation is available on the PSRC website [here](#) .

For more information, contact Gil Cerise at gcerise@psrc.org or Kelly McGourty at kmcgourty@psrc.org

Discussion: PSRC FY 2021-2022 Transit-Related Work Program

Gil reviewed a draft of the next PSRC transit-related work program that is being developed for PSRC's 2021-2022 biennial budget. He noted that the draft document mainly consists of what continuation of ongoing coordination, planning, and data work. He noted the developed document will be presented to the November Transit Executive meeting. He said he would be sending a follow-up to the TOC for additional input before the next TOC meeting in October.

The Draft PSRC FY 2021-2022 Transit-Related Work Program can be view [here](#) .

For more information, contact Gil Cerise at gcerise@psrc.org or Kelly McGourty at kmcgourty@psrc.org

Discussion: PSRC Regional Transportation Plan Update

Gil reviewed preparations for the initial meeting of technical transit agency staff in September. He explained that this group was formed to assist in development of transit-related Regional Transportation Plan data and assumptions and reviewed a draft update of the regional transit service typologies to align with VISION 2050. He reviewed the planned schedule for this work and noted he will be sharing results from the first meeting at the next TOC meeting. The committee provided feedback and suggestions.

For more information, contact Gil Cerise at gcerise@psrc.org or Kelly McGourty at kmcgourty@psrc.org

Discussion: Puget Sound Passenger-only Ferry Update

Gil shared an update on the status of the POF Study, which included information on responses received in June from the POF survey and that were also presented during the recent August 20 webinar for stakeholders and interested parties. He reviewed the upcoming schedule of next steps for fall/winter and noted that there will be another POF Study webinar sometime in October.

The presentation is available on the PSRC website [here](#) .

More information on the Puget Sound POF Study and August 20 webinar is available on the PSRC website here: <https://www.psrc.org/passenger-ferry-study>

For questions or additional information, contact Gil Cerise at gcerise@psrc.org

Discussion: 2020 Transit Integration Report Status

Maggie Moore, PSRC, reviewed the outline for the report and asked the committee for feedback and if there were any stories should be removed or added. The TOC reviewed and discussed the various topics and suggested other stories that could be added. Maggie said she would update the outline and then she reviewed the schedule for the next steps for the report and noted she would be sending a draft report for the committee to review and provide feedback sometime in September. She would then provide a draft report from the feedback received for the committee to review at the TOC meeting in October.

For questions or additional information, contact Gil Cerise at gcerise@psrc.org or Maggie Moore at mmoore@psrc.org

Transit Agency Roundtable

During the Roundtable, the committee received updates and announcements from the following attendees:

- Melinda Adams, Everett Transit
- Sabina Araya, Community Transit

- Peter Heffernan, King County Metro
- Dan Hoyt, WSDOT
- Alex Krieg, Sound Transit
- Benjamin Smith, City of Seattle

Information: 2020 Planned Meeting Topics

An updated 2020 Planned Meeting Topics was provided for review.

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

***Members and Alternates Present**

Peter Heffernan, King County Metro and Chair; Alex Krieg, Sound Transit and Vice-Chair; Melinda Adams, Everett Transit; Sabina Araya, Community Transit; Dan Hoyt, WSDOT; Justin Resnick, Washington State Ferries; Benjamin Smith, City of Seattle; Lindsey Sehmel, Pierce Transit; Lisa Wolterink, Sound Transit

***PSRC Staff and Other Guests Present**

Kirste Johnson, Sound Transit; Lacey Jane Wolfe, City of Bellevue

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Monica Adkins, Gil Cerise, Sarah Gutschow, Craig Helmann, Erin Hogan, Jean Kim, Kelly McGourty, Maggie Moore, Kimberly Pearson, Kalon Thomas

**All attendees were present via remote participation*

2020 TOC Planned Meeting Topics



Ongoing

- FTA fund adjustments
- FTA fund project tracking

Quarter 1 (January – March)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
- Check-in FTA Performance-based Planning:
 - Transit Safety Rule implementation – agency plan development; performance and targets
 - Transit Asset Management

Quarter 2 (April – June)

- COVID-19 Impacts
- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
- Action 2020 FTA Project Selection
- 2020 Transit Integration Report Initiation

Quarter 3 (July – September)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
- PSRC Budget Year 2022-2023 Transit Work Program Development
- 2020 Transit Integration Report development

Quarter 4 (October – December)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
- Transit Safety Plan completion/ submission of targets to PSRC (deadline December)
- Development of regional transit safety performance targets in compliance with FTA
- UPWP Transit information updates for PSRC 2022-2023 Budget & UPWP

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2021 TOC Planned Meeting Topics

Ongoing

- FTA fund adjustments
- FTA fund project tracking

Quarter 1 (January – March)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
 - Completion of future transit networks
 - Continued work on access to transit
 - Update to transit performance measures beyond the FTA requirements
 - Approach to incorporating TDM throughout the RTP
 - Planning for people with special transportation needs: assessment of needs and gaps
- Action on Consolidated Grant Regional Priority Rankings (special needs transportation)
- Check-in FTA Performance-based Planning:
 - Transit Safety Rule implementation – agency plan development; performance and targets
 - Transit Asset Management

Quarter 2 (April – June)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
 - Regional Capacity Projects submitted: cross-check with future transit networks.
 - Continued work on access to transit
 - Update to transit performance measures beyond the FTA requirements
 - Refining approach to incorporating TDM throughout the RTP
 - Planning for people with special transportation needs: prioritized strategies for addressing mobility challenges
- 2021 Transit Integration Report Initiation

Quarter 3 (July – September)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
 - Incorporating transit elements into the Draft Regional Transportation Plan
- 2021 Transit Integration Report development

Quarter 4 (October – December)

- Next Level of Transit Planning for Regional Transportation Plan
- Completion 2021 Transit Integration Report