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Regional Projects Web site: <http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/REGION1/>

Statewide Transportation Improvement Program Web site: <http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/STIP/>

## Oregon Citizens asked to Comment on Draft 2010-2013 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program

The Oregon Transportation Commission has released the draft 2010-2013 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and has opened a public comment period that runs through November. The transportation construction projects in the draft STIP constitute the four-year capital improvement plan for the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT), identifying the highest priority transportation projects to be constructed in 2010-2013. The STIP covers four years of construction projects, and is updated every two years. ODOT Region 1, which includes the Portland metro area, Columbia, Washington, Clackamas, and Hood River Counties, has scheduled seven public meetings to gather comment on the 2010-2013 draft STIP.

### **Public Meetings with Metro and its MTIP Construction Project List**

Four of ODOT's public meetings will be held jointly with Metro, which is following a parallel public involvement process asking citizens to comment on its federally funded draft Transportation Priorities 2010-2013 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP). For a list of Metro's proposed transportation projects, please call 503-797-1839 or visit [www.metro-region.org](http://www.metro-region.org).

Portland-area and Hood River Public Meetings:

- ◆ **Hood River: Wednesday September 17, 5 pm—7 pm**  
Hood River County Public Library  
502 State Street  
Hood River

- ◆ **Clatskanie: Wednesday September 24, 5 pm—7 pm**  
Clatskanie River Inn  
600 E. Columbia River Hwy.  
Clatskanie
- ◆ **Gresham: Wednesday Oct. 15, 5 pm—8 pm** *(joint with Metro)*  
Gresham City Hall  
Conference Rooms 2A and 2B  
1333NW Eastman Parkway  
Gresham
- ◆ **Hillsboro: Monday Oct. 20, 5 pm—8 pm** *(joint with Metro)*  
Hillsboro Civic Center  
1233 W. Main Street  
Rooms 113 B and 113 C  
Hillsboro
- ◆ **Oregon City: Tuesday Oct. 28, 5 pm—8 pm** *(joint with Metro)*  
Oregon City Pioneer Community Center  
615 Fifth Street  
Oregon City
- ◆ **Portland: Thursday Oct. 30, 5 pm—8 pm** *(joint with Metro)*  
Metro Council Chambers  
600 NE Grand Ave.  
Portland

### Many Ways to Comment

- ◆ ODOT has scheduled public meetings all over Oregon; for a complete list of public meetings please visit <http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/STIP/> and click on “Public Meetings 2010-2013 STIP”

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