



JOINT TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

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Agenda

Thursday, October 16, 2014

10:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Tacoma Municipal Building North, Room 16

733 Market Street, Tacoma, WA 98402

1. **Introductions and Welcome** (5 min) 10:00

2. **Presentation of Draft Final Report, Driver Education Study** (40 min)10:05

Staff will present the draft final report of the JTC’s driver education study, which addresses online driver education for youth under age 18, and additional driver training requirements for 18-24 year olds who have not taken driver education.

Beth Redfield, Project Manager

3. **ESHB 1635, Driver Training Schools Administering Driver License Exams** (15 min) 10:45

ESHB 1635 (2011) sought to reduce wait times in driver license offices by authorizing licensed driver training schools to administer driver licensing examinations. DOL will provide an update on the outcomes of the legislation and the implementation process.

Tony Sermonti, DOL Policy and Legislative Director

4. **Traffic Safety Curriculum** update (15 min) 11:00

DOL will provide an update on their update of the state’s traffic safety curriculum and their work with young drivers. The update will recap the project scope, preliminary findings and planned next steps.

Evelyne Lloyd, DOL Special Projects Manager and Tony Sermonti, DOL Policy and Legislative Director

5. **Tolling Update** (45 min) 11:15

WSDOT will present information on the Tacoma Narrows Bridge and upcoming rate increases, as well as a general update on Washington’s tolled facilities.

Craig Stone, Assistant Secretary, Toll Division, WSDOT

6. **Performance Audit of WSDOT’s Toll Collection System** (30 min) 12:00

The State Auditor has begun work on a performance audit of WSDOT’s toll collection system. SAO staff will discuss the issues to be addressed in the performance audit, and the schedule for its completion.

Susan Hoffman, Principal Performance Auditor, Office of the State Auditor

7. **Adjourn** 12:30

Upcoming Meetings:

- December 11, Olympia
- January 7, 2015, Olympia