

Around the Region by Daryl Winand
Regional - State of City/County Presentations

What are Your Thoughts on Tolling to Alleviate Traffic Congestion?

PMAR members have an opportunity to weigh in on several tolling concepts being proposed by the Oregon Department of Transportation to address traffic congestion. There are currently four open-house events being held at which you can provide in-put or simply share your thoughts by engaging online at www.ODOTValuePricing.org.



Join the conversation

We have a congestion problem. The Oregon Department of Transportation is working to improve travel times and get you where you need to go – reliably.

Engage online or in-person

Join the online open house conversation April 5 – 19 at www.ODOTValuePricing.org

Drop-in to an open house event

ODOT is gathering community input to inform a proposal for using congestion pricing, also called value pricing, on I-5 and I-205. Learn the latest and lend your voice on how ODOT is analyzing congestion pricing as one part of a comprehensive strategy to reduce traffic congestion.

Share your thoughts on five proposed tolling concepts and how congestion pricing could work for the Portland metro area.

Thursday, April 12, 5:30 - 7:30 pm
Museum of Oregon Territory
211 Tumwater Drive, Oregon City

Saturday, April 14, 10 am - 12 pm
Ron Russell Middle School
3955 SE 112th Avenue, Portland

Wednesday, April 18, 5:30 - 7:30 pm
Tigard Public Works Auditorium
8777 SW Burnham Street, Tigard

Saturday, April 21, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm
Embassy Suites Airport, Pine Room
7900 NE 82nd Avenue, Portland

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Washington County State of the County

In what was essentially a retirement farewell celebration, Washington County Chairman Andy Duyck gave his last "State of the County" address covering topics that included growth, transportation, housing, water, and the event center. Several westside leaders shared their insight and at the end gave tribute to Duyck, who has served on the Washington County Board of Commissioners for 24 years. To see the video clips, [click here](#).

Chairman Duyck also spoke to the county's rich diversity of residents, noting that one in six residents living in the county had been born outside of the United States and one in four primarily spoke a non-English language at home. PMAR Realtors® have access to the fully translatable www.HOWNW.com that may be helpful when working with these potential homebuyers. The website can be translated into languages ranging from Afrikaans to Yiddish. Just go to the bottom of the home-page to make the appropriate selection.



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