



MULTNOMAH COUNTY AGENDA PLACEMENT REQUEST

(revised 12/31/09)

Board Clerk Use Only

Meeting Date: 8/31/2010

Agenda Item #: B-2

Est. Start Time: 10:30 am

Agenda Title: **Sellwood Bridge Project Briefing**

Note: If Ordinance, Resolution, Order or Proclamation, provide exact title. For all other submissions, provide a clearly written title sufficient to describe the action requested.

Requested Meeting Date:	<u>8/31/2010</u>	Amount of Time Needed:	<u>60</u>
Department:	<u>Community Services</u>	Division:	<u>Bridges</u>
Contact(s):	<u>Ian Cannon</u>		
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Presenter(s):	<u>Ian Cannon</u>		

General Information

1. What action are you requesting from the Board?

No action – briefing only.

2. Please provide sufficient background information for the Board and the public to understand this issue. Please note which Program Offer this action affects and how it impacts the results.

The Sellwood Project is approaching the end of the National Environmental Policy Act Planning Phase. The Project has been working with the community to gather information about potential bridge types. This briefing will provide information about current project status, upcoming events and activities, the project schedule, and provide more detailed information about the bridge types and selection process.

3. Explain the fiscal impact (current year and ongoing).

No fiscal impact.

4. Explain any legal and/or policy issues involved.

No legal or policy issues.

5. Explain any citizen and/or other government participation that has or will take place.

The Sellwood Project has had an extensive public outreach program. There have been public meetings, open houses, and online surveys. In addition there have been numerous meetings of the

project Community Advisory Committee, a group of 17 community members representing various interests in the project. The project has a Public Stakeholder Committee (PSC) consisting of elected officials from Multnomah County, Clackamas County, Metro, Portland, Milwaukie, the Oregon House of Representatives, and Oregon Senate. In addition the PSC includes representatives from the offices of Representative Blumenauer and Senator Merkely. Officials from the Oregon Department of Transportation, TriMet, and the Federal Highway Administration are included on the PSC. The Sellwood Project has involved numerous local, state, and federal regulatory agencies. The public and agency involvement will continue throughout the design and construction phases of the project.

Required Signature

**Elected Official or
Department/
Agency Director:**



Date: 8/17/10
