Agenda

RDPO — REGIONAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS ORGANIZATION

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600 NE Grand Ave.
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Meeting:	Regional Emergency Transportation Routes (RETR) Ph 2: Technical Workshop 1
Date:	Monday, March 10, 2025
Time:	2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Place:	[Zoom Meeting ID: 830 7608 9109 ; Passcode: 977235](#)
	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83076089109?pwd=jDZ1b0C73dkbV8NuRP1iUtTbXZAaQX.1
Purpose:	Introduce the project and gather input to help develop a methodology for tiering/prioritizing Regional Emergency Transportation Routes
Outcome(s):	Participants orient themselves to the project and share ideas to help the project team develop a prioritization methodology

2:00 p.m. Welcome! Introductions and Agenda Review
(Tom Kloster, Metro / John Mermin, Metro)

2:15 p.m. Project Background, Approach and Timeline
(John Mermin, Metro/ Carol Chang, RDPO)

2:35 p.m. Small Breakout groups (Briana Calhoun, Fehr & Peers)
- Ice Breaker: How do you see the ETR designations impacting your work or emergency response processes?
- In the immediate aftermath of a disaster, what roadways do you need open first and why?
- What key locations do you need to get to first?
- What are the biggest logistical challenges in responding to an emergency?
- Who are we missing from these discussions that are part of the initial response decisions and communications?

3:20 p.m. Report back from small groups (Tom Kloster, Metro)

3:50 p.m. Next Steps (Carol Chang, RDPO)
- Community Based Organization (CBO) workshop – April 3
- Project workgroup meeting – April 10
- Develop draft prioritization methodology to share at next technical workshop in June - date TBD