



REVISED AGENDA

TRANSPORTATION INTERIM COMMITTEE

LEGISLATURE Wednesday, September 18, 2019 | 1:15 P.M. | Room 210 Senate Building

1. Committee Business

- Call to order
- Approval of the minutes of the August 21, 2019, meeting

2. Update: Local Option Sales Taxes Authorized by 2018 General Session S.B. 136 Transportation Governance Amendments

2018 General Session S.B. 136 Transportation Governance Amendments granted authority to counties, cities, and towns, in certain circumstances, to impose a quarter-cent sales tax for certain transportation purposes. The Utah League of Cities and Towns and the Utah Association of Counties will discuss which counties, cities, and towns have imposed the tax, how much revenue is being collected or is estimated to be collected, and for what purposes the revenue will be used.

- Representatives of the Utah League of Cities and Towns
- Representatives of the Utah Association of Counties
- Committee discussion/action

3. Annual State Highway System Modifications

Utah Code Subsection 72-4-102(4)(b) requires the Department of Transportation or the Transportation Commission to annually recommend a list of highways or sections of highways for addition to or deletion from the state highway system. The Department of Transportation will provide a brief update on the recommendations and the committee may choose to open a bill file to address the recommendations.

- Representatives of the Utah Department of Transportation
- Committee discussion/action

4. Federal Transportation Funding Update and State Funding Alternatives

Changes to the federal government's approach to funding transportation are impacting Utah, including changes in national funding options for transportation and transit actions on fuel tax and transportation funds disbursements. Presenters will address how federal transportation funding is structured, what changes to federal transportation funding have occurred in recent years and the current funding outlook, and state level funding alternatives.

- Representatives of the Utah Department of Transportation
- Representatives of the Wasatch Front Regional Council
- Committee discussion/action

5. Update: Rules Governing Transportation Commission Prioritization Process

Utah Code Section 72-1-304 requires the Transportation Commission to develop administrative rules to implement the prioritization process for certain projects. As further provided by section 304, the commission's proposed rules are to be submitted to the Transportation Interim Committee for review prior to the commission taking final action on the rules. Presenters will explain the purpose of the draft rules and provide a timeline for when the proposed rules will be ready for committee review.

- Representatives of the Utah Department of Transportation
- Committee discussion/action



6. Update: Coordinated Mobility

In 2019 General Session S.B 3, the Utah Legislature provided a one-time \$250,000 appropriation for a study of opportunities for coordinated mobility among the various service providers along the Wasatch Front. UTA will provide an update on the status of the study.

- Representatives of the Utah Transit Authority
- Committee discussion/action

7. Future of FrontRunner

Presenters will address the role of FrontRunner in facing the challenges of growth and mobility in the Wasatch Front Region, the Utah Transit Authority's current activities related to Front Runner, and how joint efforts with agency partners and communities can help develop and define FrontRunner's short-term and long-term service vision.

- Representatives of the Utah Transit Authority
- Committee discussion/action

8. Other Items/Adjourn