



CONNECTING WASHINGTON TASK FORCE

Meeting AGENDA

Tuesday, October 4, 2011 · 10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Columbia Room, Legislative Building, Olympia

- 10:30 Welcome
- 10:35 Introductions
- 10:45 Discussion of Jobs and Economic Development in Washington State
- Overview of where job growth is occurring
 - Importance of transportation investments to maintaining and increasing jobs and economic growth
 - The impact of transportation investment on different types of job creation
 - Implications for investment recommendations
- 11:45 Public Comment Period
- 12:10 Lunch Break
- 1:00 Discussion of Revised Investment Principles (*Task Force*)
- Discussion Questions:
 - *Do the revisions capture the ideas/comments from the September meeting?*
 - *Is the Task Force ready to adopt the principles as revised?*
- 1:55 Discussion of Categories of Investment (*Task Force*)
- Discussion Question:
 - *Do these categories reflect the key areas of investment that should be included in a statewide investment package?*
- 2:50 Break



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- 3:00 Discussion of Relative Priorities for Categories of Investment (*Task Force*)
- Discussion Question:
 - *Do the priorities reflect the statewide transportation needs that have been presented?*

 - *How should the categories of investment be prioritized in recommendations to the Governor and Legislature? (Allocation exercise)*
- 3:50 Discussion of Next Steps
- November Meeting Topics
 - Confirm upcoming meeting dates
- 3:55 Closing Remarks and Adjourn