



June 23, 2021

To: Metropolitan Policy Committee

From: Kelly Clarke

Subject: Item 7.a: Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Plan

Action Recommended: Adopt Central Lane MPO Intelligent Transportation Systems Plan.

Issue Statement

This agenda item is to present the Central Lane MPO Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Plan for adoption.

Discussion

ITS leverages technology and support systems to help achieve a safer and more effective, equitable and multimodal transportation system for the mobility of people, goods, and services. The 2021 ITS Plan defines a vision for the effective use of technology to improve the safety, mobility, efficiency, and reliability of the existing transportation network and is intended to identify projects and priorities that meet the region's transportation needs over the next several years.

The 2021 ITS Plan is an update of the current ITS Plan which was adopted in 2003. It has been developed in partnership with ODOT and through coordination with the Cities of Coburg, Eugene and Springfield, Lane County and the Lane Transit District. The ITS Plan contains:

- Chapter 1 – Current Conditions
- Chapter 2 – User Needs
- Chapter 3 – ITS Architecture
- Chapter 4 – Communications Plan
- Chapter 5 – Deployment Plan

The draft ITS Plan has been developed along with development of the new draft CLMPO Regional Transportation Plan (RTP). RTP goals and objectives directed development of the ITS Plan and ITS projects and strategies are being integrated into the RTP.

Public Involvement

MPC held a public hearing for the draft ITS Plan during its June 3, 2021 meeting; no testimony was given. A 30-day public comment period is open from May 28 to June 28.

As of the date of this MPC packet, staff has received one comment which expressed support of the ITS Plan as drafted.

Action Recommended: Adopt the 2021 Central Lane MPO Intelligent Transportation Systems Plan.

Attachment

1. Draft Central Lane MPO Intelligent Transportation Systems Plan