

PUBLIC NOTICE

2021-23 State Transportation Improvement Fund (STIF)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Yamhill County Board of Commissioners (BOC) as the STIF Qualified Entity intends to apply to the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) for State Transportation Improvement Formula Funding (STIF) as set forth under OAR Chapter 732, Division 40, Sections 0030 and 0035, Division 42, Section 0020, and Division 44, Section 0025.

The Yamhill County Transit Advisory Committee (YCTAC) was formed in 2018 to assist the Qualified Entity which is the Yamhill County Board of Commissioners to carry out the purposes of the STIF Formula Fund and the Advisory Committee requirements are specified in ORS 184.761 (1).

YCTAC advises Yamhill County Board of Commissioners as the Qualified Entity on the development of the STIF planning process and prioritizes projects proposed to receive STIF Formula Funds.

Yamhill County as the Qualified Entity announces the opportunity for Yamhill County Transit as an eligible provider to propose to YCTAC the 2021-23 STIF Plan for application for STIF Formula Funds designed to improve public transit services in Yamhill County. Improvements such as increased frequency, bus service expansion, reducing fares to serve low-income households, improve service connections between communities inside and outside of the Qualified Entities service area, increase coordination and expand student transit services for grades 9 – 12.

The YCTAC will meet on **December 17, 2020 at 2:00 pm** to discuss and rank the STIF projects and make a recommendation to the Yamhill County Board of Commissioners for the 2021-23 STIF plan and application to ODOT as required by OAR Chapter 732.

The Board of Commissioners as the Qualified Entity will hold a public meeting on **January 7, 2021 at 10:00 am** to approve the STIF plan and authorize submittal of the **2021/23 STIF Plan** and application to ODOT by **February 1, 2021**.

STIF Funding information is available on the ODOT Rail and Public Transit Division website at [ODOT STIF Information](#) Please contact Cynthia Thompson, Transit Manager with any questions at 503-474-4910, email: thompsonc@co.yamhill.or.us

The YCTAC meeting on **December 17, 2020 from 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm** will be held virtually via Microsoft TEAMS. We are requesting all YCTAC members, local staff, and the public to **participate by MS TEAMS rather than attend in person.**

General public who want to participate by phone can access the virtual MS TEAMS meeting at 1-971-357-0426, Conference ID# 844 401 533. For additional meeting access assistance, please

contact Cynthia Thompson at thompsonc@co.yamhill.or.us or call 503-474-4910 at least 24 hours in advance.

To request an accommodation or an interpreter for the meeting, please contact at least 48 hours in advance of the December 17th meeting. Further questions please call 503-474-4910 or email ycta@co.yamhill.or.us.

Si necesita esta información de otra forma o si necesita servicios de traducción, por favor marque al 503-474-4910.