

ADVANCE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Lester Woods, External Civil Rights Director



MEASURES OF DEPARTMENTAL PERFORMANCE



Missouri's transportation system has a direct impact on the state's economy. Missouri businesses depend on our roadways, rail, waterways and airports to move their products and services both nationally and globally. An efficient, well-connected transportation system helps attract new businesses to our communities and helps existing businesses maintain a competitive edge with easy customer access, minimal shipping costs and strong links to a diverse workforce. We believe investments in transportation should create jobs and provide opportunities for advancement to all Missouri citizens. An investment in transportation should provide a positive economic impact on both the citizens we serve and the communities in which they live.

MEASUREMENT DRIVER:

Eva Voss Transportation Planning Specialist

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

This measure tracks the economic impact resulting from the state's transportation investments.

MEASUREMENT AND DATA COLLECTION:

MoDOT works with the Economic Development Research Group to perform economic impact analyses for the state's transportation investments. The analyses are performed using a model called the Transportation Economic Development Impact System. The TREDIS model results demonstrate a strong link between transportation investment and economic development.

This target was set by analyzing historical performance. MoDOT would like to reach the performance level of \$3.62 which is consistent with what was achieved in the 2014-2018 STIP cycle.

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Economic return from transportation investment – 7a

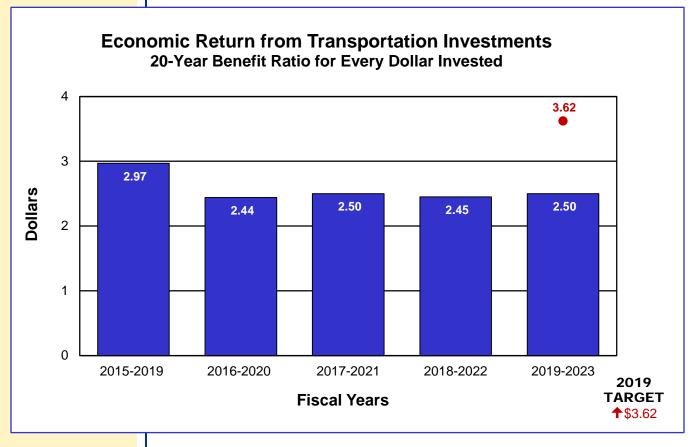
Investment in transportation improvements has long been held as a major economic engine that drives growth in job creation, personal income and new value added to Missouri's economy.

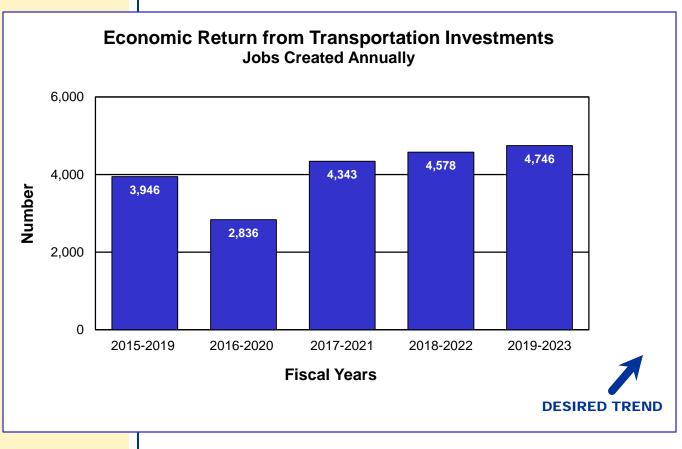
Based on MoDOT's 2019-2023 Statewide Transportation Improvement Program investment of \$5.9 billion, the program is estimated to create 4,746 jobs – a 4 percent increase when compared to MoDOT's 2018-2022 STIP. Transportation investments are expected to contribute \$15 billion of economic output during the next 20 years, resulting in a \$2.50 return on every \$1 invested in transportation which is fairly consistent with the last four years of STIP analyses.

The increase in economic return is due to the increasing construction investment of highway and bridge improvements. Though these figures tell a powerful economic story, they are also a sign of missed opportunity. Current investments must focus on maintaining the current transportation system rather than new major projects that offer a larger economic return.



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MEASUREMENT DRIVER:

Cheryl Ball Administrator of Freight and Waterways

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

This measure tracks the estimated cost of transporting representative Missouri products from key economic industries (chemical manufacturing, transportation equipment and agriculture) to top destinations as compared to shipping the same products from competitor states. The relative costs for these illustrative products serve as a proxy for Missouri's competitiveness on transport costs as a whole.

MEASUREMENT AND DATA COLLECTION:

Transearch 2011 freight data was used to identify products representative of Missouri's economic drivers as well as the top origins, destinations and modes of transport. Estimates of the transport costs are calculated using different external sources for the modes: (1) The 2014 American Transportation Research Institute report, An Analysis of the Operational Costs of Trucking, (2) AAA's diesel on-highway price data, (3) the Bureau of Labor Statistics wage data, (4) the Surface Transportation Board's Uniform Railroad Costing System and (5) the USDA's Average Weekly River Barge Rates.

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Goods movement competitiveness – 7b

Product transportation costs vary depending on the efficiency, reliability, safety and modal options in a state's transportation system. Accumulation of costs to transport, starting at product origination through travel to the production facility and finally to market, directly impact the final cost of a product as well as how competitive the product is in the global market. Transportation costs account for 9 to 14 percent of a product's market price. Therefore, maintaining low transportation costs is critical to retain and expand current businesses in Missouri as well as attracting new businesses to create new employment.

The three key Missouri products (soybeans, finished motor vehicles and chemical manufacturing) account for more than \$8 billion in revenue annually and employ more than 300,000 Missouri workers. Missouri producers of these products compete with other states and other countries for customers. MoDOT compares Missouri transportation costs to those of the closest domestic competitors. At this time, Missouri's transportation cost is among the lowest of these competitors.

Deterioration of any of the factors influencing transportation cost not only impacts the competitiveness of Missouri products in external markets, but also influences the cost to bring products into Missouri, which controls the prices at local stores.

MoDOT plays an active role in keeping costs low by working with existing businesses to identify transportation barriers that reduce competitiveness regardless of transportation mode. These barriers can include bridges with load postings, closed bridges, rough pavement, at-grade rail crossings, congestion and inability to access a port or airport. MoDOT works to find solutions for these barriers, but Missouri's transportation funding does not allow the agency to fully respond to those needs.

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MEASUREMENT DRIVER:

Bryan Ross Railroad Operations Manager

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

This measure tracks the amount of freight moved by Missouri's largest transportation modes.

MEASUREMENT AND DATA COLLECTION:

Twice a year, a freight tonnage estimator is used to calculate the amount of freight moved by railroads and highways. The estimator provides timely information for Missouri's primary freight movers. Freight data for aviation and waterways is a combination of direct surveys and trend analysis. This measure's data is estimated yet provides an indication of current trends and movements.

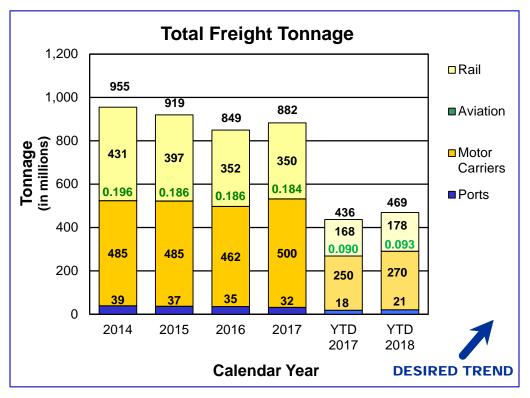
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Freight tonnage by mode – 7c

Everything comes from somewhere. How it gets from place to place depends on a number of factors. The different transportation modes experience volume shifts from year to year often based on the health of the national economy and shifts in consumer preferences. A key element to a healthy economy is a robust transportation system.

State road funding cannot address transportation needs other than highways and bridges. Moving hundreds of million tons of freight a year requires careful improvements of other transportation facilities such as ports, railroads and airports. Yet many of these needs remain underfunded.

In the first six months of 2018, Missouri experienced a 7.5 percent increase in freight movements as compared to the same period in 2017. All modes experienced year-to-year increases in freight movements. These numbers can be attributed to the national trend of increasing employment, exports and gross domestic product.



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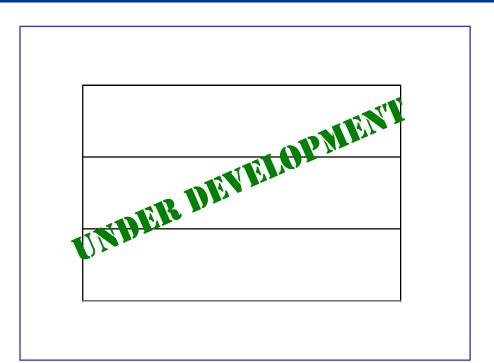
Brian Reagan Transportation System Analysis Engineer

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

MEASUREMENT AND DATA COLLECTION:

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Truck travel time reliability index – 7d



MEASUREMENT DRIVER:

Beckie Brietzke Senior Diversity and Inclusion Specialist

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

This measure tracks minority and women employment in MoDOT's workforce and compares it with availability data from the Missouri 2010 Census report.

MEASUREMENT AND DATA COLLECTION:

The SAM II database is used to collect data. The Missouri 2010 Census data is used as the benchmark for this measurement. The availability number is derived from two different sets of data: the 2010 census and the current pool of MoDOT employees who are trainable, transferable or promotable. The two statistics are factored together and weighted based on the hiring practices from the previous year. The weighted number allows for a more accurate reflection of the hiring process. This number ultimately conveys the number of minorities and women who currently possess the skills necessary to work for the department.

The target for this measure is based on Missouri's availability and is set each October.

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Percent of minorities and women employed – 7e

By placing the right people in the right position, MoDOT can better serve its customers and help fulfill its responsibilities to taxpayers.

The number of minority employees increased about 1.2 percent (511 to 517) from first quarter fiscal year 2018 to first quarter FY 2019.

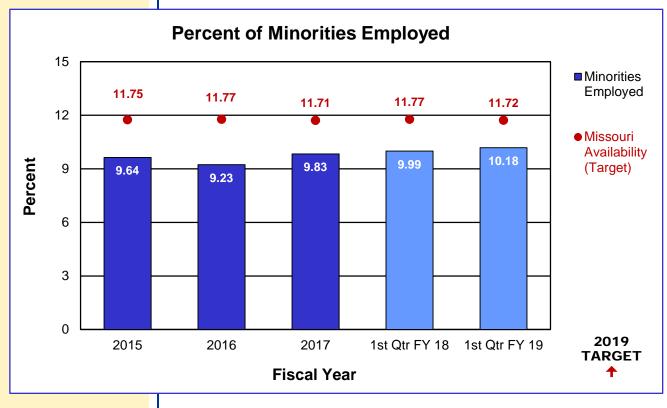
The number of women employees decreased slightly by .9 percent from first quarter FY 2018 to first quarter FY 2019 (918 to 910).

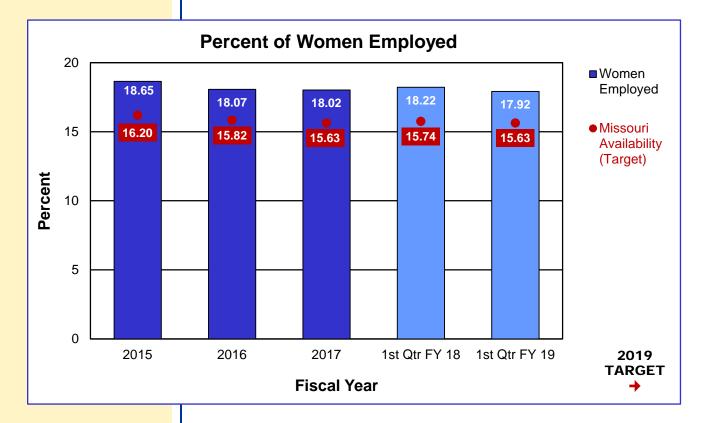
Total full-time employment between first quarter FY 2018 and first quarter FY 2019 increased from 5,047 to 5,079 employees.

Recently, MoDOT has developed new relationships with organizations and universities that are geared toward minorities and women. MoDOT has expanded its partnership with Lincoln University to include employment preparedness training opportunities and increased presence in disciplinespecific classrooms. These good-faith efforts aid in increasing an applicant pool of qualified minorities and women, which ultimately helps narrow the gap between actual employment and target employment of minorities and women.



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MEASUREMENT DRIVER:

Missy Stuedle External Civil Rights Manager

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

This measure tracks the percent of Disadvantaged Business Enterprise use on construction and engineering projects.

MEASUREMENT AND DATA COLLECTION:

Data is collected through Site Manager for each construction project. The overall DBE goal is a yearly target established by MoDOT and the Federal **Highway Administration** regarding the expected total DBE participation on all federally-funded construction projects. Individual DBE project goals are determined by subcontract opportunity, project location and available DBE firms that can perform the scope of work. DBE utilization is tracked for each construction project identifying the prime contractor, contract amount, the established goal and how the prime contractor fulfilled the goal. This measure is based on the federal fiscal year. Collection of data began in federal fiscal year 2012.

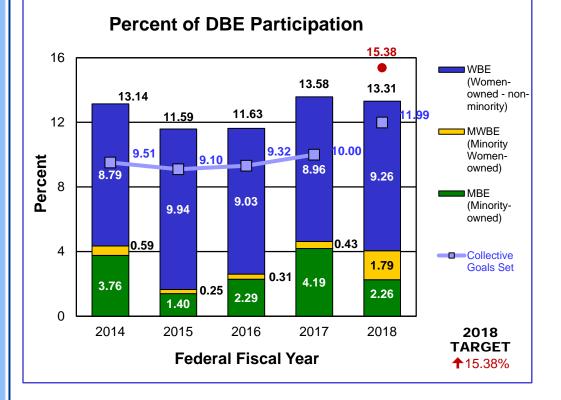
The target for this measure is set by FHWA policy and is updated every three years.

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Percent of disadvantaged business enterprise participation on construction and engineering projects – 7f

MoDOT believes it is good business to support diversity among its contractors, subcontractors and suppliers. Contractors, subcontractors and suppliers working on construction projects that receive federal aid or federal financial participation are required to take reasonable steps to ensure DBEs have an opportunity to compete for and participate in project contracts and subcontracts.

The overall DBE target for federal fiscal year 2018 is 15.38 percent. The DBE participation for first three quarters of FFY 2018 is 13.31 percent. This is a 0.27 percent decrease from FFY 2017. Of the 13.31 percent utilization, 2.26 percent was participation from minority-owned DBE firms, 1.79 percent was participation from more DBE firms and 9.26 percent was participation from women-owned DBE firms. The collective goals set for projects closed during this period amounted to 11.99 percent. To narrow the gap between the target and performance, MoDOT is conducting outreach meetings to encourage new firms to apply for DBE certification and using DBE supportive services funding to expand the capacity of certified DBE firms.



Missouri Department of Transportation 7f

MEASUREMENT DRIVER:

Debbie Rickard General Services Director

PURPOSE OF THE MEASURE:

This measure tracks the department's non-program spending with certified minority, women and disadvantaged business enterprises.

MEASUREMENTAND DATA COLLECTION:

Data is obtained from the statewide financial accounting system expenditure reports and United Missouri Bank purchasing card reports. Certified vendors are maintained in a statewide procurement vendor database. Vendors may be certified through the Office of Administration as well as the Missouri Regional Certification Committee. Included in these expenditures are items such as materials, equipment, tools and supplies. Program spending, including construction. design consultants, local agencies, highway safety and multimodal programs and exempted activities such as utilities, postage, organizational memberships, conferences and travel, is excluded from total dollars spent.

The target for this measure is an average of the availability percentage of minority-owned and women-owned businesses and MoDOT's most recent fiveyear average utilization. This target will be updated annually in October.

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Expenditures made to certified minority, women and disadvantaged business enterprises – 7g

Ensuring MoDOT spending is reflected in all Missouri communities advances economic development for all business enterprises. Historical data helps identify opportunities for improvement. Improvement efforts include training staff who have procurement authority, outreach to MWDBE vendors in order to encourage them to become certified and focused inclusion efforts.

Fiscal year 2019 first quarter results show a decrease of \$500,000 in MWDBE disbursements compared to the first quarter of FY 2018. Compared to first quarter FY 2018, the FY 2019 percentage of MWDBE expenditures decreased by 0.9 percent of total expenditures.

This measure will continue to track the department's efforts to ensure the vendor pool is representative of the business community as a whole, including MWDBE firms.

