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## Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission Tentative Agenda

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Department of Transportation Building  
105 West Capitol Avenue  
Jefferson City, MO

April 8, 2026

Open Meeting 9:00 a.m.

	<u>Est. Time</u>
<b>COMMISSION ITEMS.</b>	
1. <b><u>Action Item</u></b> – <b>Consideration of Minutes:</b> Regular Meeting on March 4, 2026, and Special Meeting on March 3, 2026.	9:05 – 9:10
2. <b><u>Action Item</u></b> – <b>Consideration of Items on the Consent Agenda.</b>	9:10 – 9:15
a. <b>Removals.</b> <i>Items removed from the consent agenda will be discussed under “Items Removed from the Consent Agenda” below. All items not removed from the consent agenda will be approved, without discussion, by a single action taken by the Commission.</i>	
b. <b>Abstentions.</b> <i>A Commissioner may abstain from voting on an item on the consent agenda without removing it by specifying the item number and his desire to abstain prior to the vote.</i>	
3. <b><u>Non-Action Item</u></b> – <b>Committee and Board Reports.</b>	9:15 – 9:30
a. Audit (Boatwright, Slay, and Baker)	
b. Legislative (Boatwright and Erdman)	
c. Missouri Transportation Finance Corporation Board of Directors (Smith, Erdman, and Baker)	
d. MoDOT and Patrol Employees’ Retirement System Board of Trustees (Boatwright, Erdman, and Hegeman)	
e. Missouri Coalition for Roadway Safety Executive Committee (Boatwright)	
4. <b><u>Non-Action Item</u></b> – <b>MoDOT Director’s Report.</b>	9:30 – 9:45

Est. Time**MODOT PRESENTATIONS.**

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| 1. | <b><u>Action Item</u> – Consideration of Bids for Transportation Improvements.</b><br>Consideration of award or rejection of bids on individual projects that will be presented, which is necessary to construct the improvements contained in the current year of the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program.<br><i>Sarah Kleinschmit, State Design Engineer</i>    | 9:45 – 10:00  |
| 2. | <b><u>Non-Action Item</u> – Work Zone Awareness.</b><br>This presentation will highlight the steps MoDOT has taken to make work zones in Missouri safer for all.<br><i>Jon Nelson, State Highway Safety and Traffic Engineer, and Alex Wassman, Traffic Liaison Engineer</i>   | 10:00 – 10:15 |
| 3. | <b><u>Non-Action Item</u> – MoDOT Improve I-70 Program Report.</b><br>This presentation will provide a brief overview of the current state of the Improve I-70 Program projects, upcoming events, and other critical issues.<br><i>Eric Kopinski, I-70 Project Director</i>  | 10:15 – 10:30 |
| 4. | <b><u>Non-Action Item</u> – Maintenance Operations Update.</b><br>This presentation will give an overview of the 2025-2026 winter operations season, response efforts, and provide information concerning efforts to address windshield items including potholes, sweeping, signing, litter, and dead animal removal.<br><i>Darin Hamelink, State Maintenance Director</i> | 10:30 – 10:45 |

-- **Items Removed from the Consent Agenda, if any.**  
(Taken in numerical order.)

**PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD.**

Members of the public who have not scheduled presentations before the Commission may speak to the Commission on transportation-related issues by signing in at the registration desk by 9:30 a.m. Comments will be limited to five minutes per person, ten minutes per topic.

**COMMISSION CONCERNS.****ADJOURN.**

**-- CONSENT AGENDA --**

**All items on the Consent Agenda require Commission Action.**

*Items on the Consent Agenda are taken up by the Commission as the first order of business. Any items removed from the Consent Agenda are taken up by the Commission in numerical order under "Items Removed from the Consent Agenda". (See previous page.) All items not removed from the Consent Agenda are approved with a single action by the Commission.*

**BUSINESS ISSUES.**

**1. Fiscal Year 2026 Budget Amendment.**

Consideration of proposal to increase the fiscal year 2026 budget \$642.7 million for personal services, expense and equipment, and program appropriations for Administration, Safety Operations, and Program Delivery, as authorized in the Supplemental Appropriations Truly Agreed to and Finally Passed by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor.

*Doug Hood, Financial Services Director*

**STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (STIP).**

**2. Approval of Plans for Condemnation.**

Request for ratification of staff approval of detailed right of way plans on various routes.

*Sarah Kleinschmit, State Design Engineer*

<u>County</u>	<u>Route</u>	<u>Job Number</u>
Franklin, Jefferson, St. Charles, St. Louis, and St. Louis City	F, I-70, MO 94, I-64, MO 115, MO 141, I-170, MO 367, and I-55	J6P3510
St. Louis	67	JSL0029

**PROPERTY ACQUISITION AND CONVEYANCES.**

**3. Consideration of Disposal of Excess Property, Route 61 in Cape Girardeau County, Excess Parcel Numbers SE-200526 and SE-277268.**

Convey 5.53 acres of land located on the north and south sides of Route 61, west of Route 61 and I-55 interchange, in the City of Jackson.

*Donnie Brown, Southeast District Engineer*

**-- REPORTS --**

Written reports pertaining to the items listed below are presented for Commission information and do not require action.

1. **Medical and Life Insurance Plan: Missouri Department of Transportation and Missouri State Highway Patrol Medical and Life Insurance Plan Report.**  
*Brandon Denkler, Assistant to Chief Administrative Office – Employee Health & Wellness, Medical and Life Insurance Plan Board Chairman*
2. **MoDOT Briefing Report.**  
*Ed Hassinger, Director*
3. **Missouri Department of Transportation Financial Report – Fiscal Year 2026.**  
Year-to-Date. Period ending February 28, 2026.  
*Doug Hood, Financial Services Director*
4. **Consultant Services Contract Report.**  
*Sarah Kleinschmit, State Design Engineer*