



OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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Media Advisory

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*****Editors and News Directors:** Monday's Oklahoma Transportation Commission meeting will be at **10 a.m., an hour earlier** than usual, because of the governor's State of the State address.***

February Transportation Commission Meeting

The Oklahoma Transportation Commission will hold its monthly meeting at **10 a.m. Monday, Feb. 3** in the R.A. Ward Transportation Building, 200 N.E. 21st St. in Oklahoma City. Items to be addressed at the meeting include:

- In a report to the commission, Oklahoma Department of Transportation Executive Director Mike Patterson will provide an update on Oklahoma's system of state-owned railroad.
- Director of Engineering Tim Tegeler will introduce the agency's new Roadway Design Division Engineer.
- Commissioners are expected to consider whether to award a nearly \$16.9 million contract to replace the SH-51 bridge across the Grand River between Wagoner and Cherokee counties. The existing bridge has been in service since 1949.
- Contracts for two projects in Tulsa County are expected to go before the commission. These include a contract to resurface nearly four miles of US-64/US-412 near Keystone Lake and a contract for bridge rehabilitation on SH-51 over the Arkansas River.
- Commissioners are expected to vote on whether to award contracts for two highway projects in the Oklahoma City metro area, including contracts to resurface six miles of SH-9 near Lake Thunderbird in Norman and more than four miles of SH-4 near Mustang.
- They are also expected to consider approval of a \$5.5 million contract to resurface nearly 20 miles of US-60 between Vici and Seiling in Dewey County.

The meeting agenda can be viewed at www.okladot.state.ok.us by clicking the Public Meeting link. The commission, an eight-member panel appointed by the governor to oversee the state's transportation development, awards project contracts for road and bridge construction on a monthly basis. The meeting is open to the public. If you have any questions about Monday's meeting, call the ODOT Media and Public Relations office at 405-521-6000. Next month's Oklahoma Transportation Commission meeting is currently scheduled for March 3 at 11 a.m.

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