

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION INTERAGENCY WORKING GROUP

Purpose

This policy implements Board Policy 4089 concerning the activities of the Public Transportation Interagency Working Group.

Legal Authority

- Idaho Code 40-514 Public Transportation Services Council and Interagency Working Group created
- Idaho Code 40-312(6) The Board shall establish a statewide comprehensive plan for public transportation.
- Idaho Code 40-528 ITD and the Director are the designated recipients of the FTA funds for distribution within the State of Idaho.

On behalf of the Director, all Idaho Transportation Department activities concerning the Public Transportation Interagency Working Group shall be the responsibility of the Public Transportation Program Manager or designee.

In order to give proper consideration to matters concerning the public transportation industry in the state of Idaho, the Idaho Transportation Department requests the Public Transportation Interagency Working Group to function in the following manner:

- Assist the Idaho Transportation Department in analyzing public transportation needs, identifying areas for coordination, and developing strategies for eliminating procedural and regulatory barriers to coordination at the state level.
- Undertake detailed work assignments related to transportation services which promote cooperation and collaboration among systems.

Public Transportation Interagency Working Group Membership

The Public Transportation Interagency Working Group shall be composed of a representative from the Office of the Governor and one (1) staff representative from each of the following agencies which expend public funds for transportation services or associations representing public transportation interests:

- Idaho Commission on Aging
- Two (2) representatives from the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare, one (1) of whom shall represent the Division of Medicaid
- Idaho Department of Education
- Idaho Transportation Department

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- Community Transportation Association of Idaho
- Idaho Council on Developmental Disabilities
- Division of Vocational Rehabilitation.
- Idaho Department of Labor
- Workforce Development Council

Ex officio members may be appointed to the group as deemed necessary.

The Chair and Vice Chair shall be elected by voting members of the Public Transportation Interagency Working Group. The term shall be for a one-year period and is not eligible to serve consecutive terms. The Vice Chairman will assume the position of Chairman and a new Vice Chairman shall be elected.

The Chairman will work with the Idaho Transportation Department's Public Transportation Office staff to generate meeting agendas, conduct meetings, and work as the spokesman for the Public Transportation Interagency Working Group.

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