

Columbia River CROSSING

Draft Environmental Impact Statement Comment Form

The Columbia River Crossing project welcomes your comments on the findings of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement or any other aspect of the project or process. Please fill out this form and use additional sheets of paper if necessary. Give this form to project staff or return to the project office.

TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF

What is your home zip code? 97217 Work zip code? _____

Do you: (check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Live in the project area?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commute through the project area?	How do you regularly travel in the project area: (check all that apply)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Work in the project area?	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle?	<input type="checkbox"/> Bus?
<input type="checkbox"/> Own a business in the project area?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Car or Truck?	<input type="checkbox"/> Walk?
		<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

Comments:

P-0673-001 This is a comprehensive plan to resolve a serious problem in a 5-mile stretch of I-5. IT IS NEEDED!!

IT IS NOT, AS APPARENTS SEEM TO THINK, A BRIDGE PROJECT - IT'S A LOT MORE!!

1. WHICH BRIDGE OPTION DO YOU SUPPORT? (please check any that you would support)

P-0673-002 Replace the existing bridges

Supplement the existing bridges with a new structure

Do nothing—make no changes to the existing bridges

No opinion

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P-0673-001

Preferences for specific alternatives or options, as expressed in comments received before and after the issuance of the DEIS, were shared with local sponsor agencies to inform decision making. Following the close of the 60-day DEIS public comment period in July 2008, the CRC project's six local sponsor agencies selected a replacement I-5 bridge with light rail to Clark College as the project's Locally Preferred Alternative (LPA). These sponsor agencies, which include the Portland City Council, Vancouver City Council, TriMet Board, C-TRAN Board, Metro Council, RTC Board, considered the DEIS analysis, public comment, and a recommendation from the CRC Task Force when voting on the LPA.

With the LPA, new bridges will replace the existing Interstate Bridges to carry I-5 traffic, light rail, pedestrians and bicyclists across the Columbia River. Light rail will extend from the Expo Center MAX Station in Portland to a station and park and ride at Clark College in Vancouver. Pedestrians and bicyclists would travel along a wider and safer path than exists today.

For a more detailed description of highway, transit, and bicycle and pedestrian improvements associated with the LPA, see Chapter 2 of the FEIS.

P-0673-002

Thank you for your comment. Preferences for specific alternatives or options, as expressed in comments received before and after the issuance of the DEIS, were shared with local sponsor agencies to inform decision making.

2. WHAT HIGH CAPACITY TRANSIT MODE DO YOU SUPPORT? (please check any that you would support)

P-0673-002 Bus rapid transit between Vancouver and Portland

Add Light rail between Vancouver and Portland

Do not add high capacity transit between Vancouver and Portland

No opinion

3. WOULD YOU SUPPORT BRINGING BUS RAPID TRANSIT OR LIGHT RAIL TO THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS? (please check any that you would support)

	Yes	No	Unsure	No Opinion
Lincoln Terminus (39th and Main)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Higgins Bowl Terminus (I-5 and 45th)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Clark College MOS Terminus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Hill Plain MOS Terminus (15th and Main)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

DO YOU WANT TO STAY INVOLVED IN THE PROJECT? | Optional

YES NO Would you like to be added to the Project mailing list?

Name (First & Last Name, Organization)

Address (Street, City, State, Zip)

E-mail (enter address to receive monthly electronic updates)

Thank you!

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Comments must be postmarked by July 1, 2008

