

Streetcar Subcommittee

Winter Meeting

Portland, Oregon

Governor Hotel, Library Room
614 SW 11th Avenue, Portland, OR 97205
Tel: (503) 224-3400

Friday-Saturday, January 13-14, 2012

James Graebner	Chair
Tom Hickey	Vice Chair
Tim Borchers	Secretary

FRIDAY AGENDA (8AM – 5PM)

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| 1. Welcome & Introductions | Jim Graebner |
| 2. Previous meeting minutes | Jim Graebner |
| 3. Project updates from around the country | All |
| 4. APTA Updates | Charles Joseph |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Streetcar Subcommittee succession planning • 2012 APTA Conference Schedules • 2012 APTA Rail Conference in Dallas, TX • 2012 APTA & TRB Light Rail & Streetcar Conference, Salt Lake City, UT • Streetcar Guideline | |
| 5. FTA and streetcar projects
The latest information on FTA process issues, and discussion | FTA Representative
(invited) |
| 6. Streetcar Implementation Policy Analysis Abstract
Research work done by MARTA | Paul Grether
Mgr. Streetcar Development
MARTA |
| 7. Two “off wire” system case studies - St. Louis and Seattle
Both were originally planned to use off-wire capable vehicles. St. Louis has now opted not to not use this design and the Seattle project decided to go for it. The presentations will discuss the how and why of the decision-making process. | Tim Borchers plus a
representative from
the Seattle project
(invited) |
| 8. Power Supply Chapter in the APTA Streetcar Guideline | John Smatlak |

LUNCH (IN ROOM)

9. **"Headache relief" session** Panel
Chance to "ask the experts" about particular technical challenges in your project
10. **Streetcar Guideline Working Group Meeting** All
Working group will review progress on document and tackle list of open items. Advance copy of overview presentation and Draft versions of Chapters 1,2 and 4 available from John Smatlak, Project Manager.
11. **Next Meeting** Jim Graebner
- Date
- Location



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SATURDAY AGENDA

Technical Tours

- 8:00am - Meet in lobby of hotel - introductions of tour guides
 - 8:10am - Board streetcar to maintenance facility
 - 8:20am - Tour maintenance facility/expansion
 - 9:20am - Board bus to South Waterfront to see Moody TIGER grant project
 - 9:40am - Get off on north end of Moody project, walk across
 - 10:10am – Re-board bus on south end of Moody project. Drive to OMSI
 - 10:10 - 11:45am - tour Eastside Loop alignment with a few key location stops.
 - 11:45am - leave Loop alignment, drive to United Streetcar
 - 12:15pm - arrive United Streetcar, boxed lunch, tour of facility and discussions with US staff.
 - 3:30 or 4pm - leave United Streetcar to return to downtown Portland.
- Bus drops group off at 10th & Lovejoy in the Pearl to look at new special work. When done, group boards streetcar to return to Governor Hotel.