

Policy and Organization Group (AJ) Executive Management Issues Section (AJE)

Standing Committee on Strategic Management (AJE10)

Tuesday, Jan 07, 2025 3:45PM - 5:30PM, Liberty Salon K (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The committee is concerned with the identification of long-range external and internal issues and trends and their implications for transportation organizations; with the processes and structures organizations use to consider these implications and to plan, implement, and measure strategic change; and with the policies, decisions, and institutional structures and relationships that result from this strategic change.

Chair: Stephen Woelfel steve.woelfel@state.ma.us

Standing Committee on Workforce Development and Organizational Excellence (AJE15)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 8:00AM - 12:00PM, Liberty Salon K (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The committee is concerned with short-range (1-5 year) process and operational approaches that produce improved performance of transportation organizations. The committee will explore, analyze, synthesize, and disseminate leading management and organizational concepts that relate to improved performance.

Chair: Victoria Beale Victoria.Beale@dot.ohio.gov

Standing Committee on Performance Management (AJE20)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 1:30PM - 5:30PM, Liberty Salon J (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: This committee is concerned with the use of performance measurement in a broad range of transportation applications. The committee spans the range of performance measurement in transportation through its membership and joint activities with committees across the TRB spectrum. The committee provides a forum for the exchange of ideas, sharing experience, developing research topics and statements, developing and disseminating resource material.

Chair: Michael Grant Michael.Grant@icf.com

Standing Committee on Transportation Asset Management (AJE30)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 1:30PM - 5:30PM, Union Station (M3) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: This committee is concerned with the use of asset management principles and practices to strategically manage transportation infrastructure systems in a cost-effective, efficient, and sustainable manner. The committee provides a forum for the transportation asset management (TAM) community to exchange ideas, share experiences, and to develop and disseminate research. The committee strives to support and advance the state of the art and state of the practice of TAM knowledge and implementation. The committee seeks to span all modes of transportation systems through its diverse membership and joint activities with other stakeholders, including AASHTO, AMPO, APTA, USDOT, PIARC, other TRB committees, and many others.

Chair: Meredith Hill mhill8@mdot.maryland.gov

Standing Committee on Research Innovation Implementation Management (AJE35)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 1:30PM - 5:30PM, Liberty Salon M (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The committee explores research and innovation processes and life cycles, from formulating needs through conduct of research and development efforts to technology transfer and implementation activities.

Chair: Emily Parkany emily.parkany@vermont.gov

Standing Committee on Public Engagement and Communications (AJE40)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 8:00AM - 12:00PM, Liberty Salon J (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The committee focuses on the integration of tools, guidance, and best professional practices for engagement and communication with the public, stakeholders, and decision-makers during the planning, development, and delivery of transportation projects and policies, resulting in transportation decisions that reflect an understanding of current and emerging community, regional, statewide, and federal needs, values, and issues.

Chair: Walter (Jeff) Moore wjmoore1963@gmail.com

Standing Committee on Information and Knowledge Management (AJE45)

Tuesday, Jan 07, 2025 8:00AM - 9:45AM, Liberty Salon J (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The committee is concerned with advancing and disseminating practices that improve knowledge and information creation, access, sharing, preservation and retention within and among transportation organizations. The committee identifies critical research needs in these areas, promotes understanding of these topics throughout the transportation community, and fosters the use of library and information science and knowledge management practices through education, training, collaboration, outreach and research.

Co-Chair: Frances Harrison fharrison@spypondpartners.com
Co-Chair: Kendra Levine kklevine@berkeley.edu

Standing Committee on Economics and Finance (AJE50)

Tuesday, Jan 07, 2025 8:00AM - 12:00PM, Liberty Salon M (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The Committee is concerned with advancing economic and financial concepts, methods, and tools that can be applied to the analysis of transportation programs, policies, systems, and infrastructure investment. Key focus areas include the measurement of economic benefits and impacts; financial forecasting and planning; assessment of infrastructure funding needs; traditional and alternative revenue sources and financing mechanisms; innovations in project financing and delivery; and fiscal management.

Chair: Nathan Macek nathan.macek@hdrinc.com

Standing Committee on Contracting Equity (AJE60)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 8:00AM - 12:00PM, Georgetown University (M1) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: This committee is concerned with issues related to the involvement of Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) in the transportation industry. It is especially interested in strategies associated with achieving the objectives of the United States Department of Transportation's DBE program.

Chair: Scheryl Portee Scheryl.Portee@dot.gov

Standing Committee on Data for Decision Making (AJE70)

Monday, Jan 06, 2025 6:00PM - 10:00PM, Liberty Salon I (M4) / Marriott Marquis

Scope: The committee is concerned with understanding and improving the delivery and use of data and information at the executive-level in transportation agencies to support informed, efficient, and data-driven strategic, policy, investment, and operations decisions. Its concerns include effective ways to deliver information to decision makers; sufficiency, quality, and timeliness of data to support policy and organizational processes; strategies for converting data into metrics and information that respond to critical decision settings and support various decision making styles; application of emerging data sources and frameworks; and systematic ways to use data to learn from prior decisions. Its purview encompasses all modes, public and private.

Chair: Joseph Schofer j-schofer@northwestern.edu