



## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Office of the Secretary

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### United States Department of Transportation Advisory Board; Public Meeting

**AGENCY:** Office of the Secretary (OST), Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of the Secretary of Transportation (OST) announces a public meeting of the United States Department of Transportation Advisory Board (U.S. DOT Advisory Board) on Wednesday, March 18, 2026. This notice announces the date, time, and location of the meeting, which will be open to the public virtually. The purpose of the U.S. DOT Advisory Board is to provide strategic vision and high-level guidance to modernize and enhance the United States transportation systems.

**DATES:** This meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 18, 2026, beginning at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time (ET). The exact start time is subject to change; please monitor [www.transportation.gov/USDOTAdvisoryBoard](http://www.transportation.gov/USDOTAdvisoryBoard) for the most up-to-date information and to access the link for live viewing of the meeting.

**ADDRESSES:** The U.S. DOT Advisory Board members will be meeting in-person at U.S. DOT Headquarters in Washington, D.C. The public may attend the meeting virtually, with information and registration details available on the U.S. DOT Advisory Board website ([www.transportation.gov/USDOTAdvisoryBoard](http://www.transportation.gov/USDOTAdvisoryBoard)) in advance of the meeting date.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** U.S. DOT Advisory Board Designated Federal Officer, c/o Juli Huynh—Director, Office of Policy Coordination and Development, Office of the Secretary, [DOTAdvisoryBoard@dot.gov](mailto:DOTAdvisoryBoard@dot.gov) or (202) 366-2278.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### I. Background

The U.S. Secretary of Transportation (Secretary) established the U.S. DOT Advisory Board as a Federal Advisory Committee in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. No. 92-463, 5 U.S.C. Ch. 10) to provide strategic vision and high-level guidance to modernize and enhance the United States transportation systems.

The U.S. DOT Advisory Board will be dedicated to: (1) developing strategic recommendations for infrastructure modernization and expansion; (2) identifying key investment opportunities in transportation technology and innovation; (3) providing insights into regulatory and policy improvements to enhance efficiency and reduce bureaucratic obstacles; and (4) advising on public-private partnerships to maximize funding and impact.

## **II. Agenda**

At the meeting, the agenda will cover the following topics:

1. Call to Order
2. Opening Remarks
3. Committee Business
4. Recap of Meeting Progress and Review of Next Steps

## **III. Public Participation**

The meeting will be open to the public via livestream with advance meeting registration required. Members of the public who wish to observe the virtual meeting can access the livestream by registering at the link provided on the following website:

[www.transportation.gov/USDOTAdvisoryBoard](http://www.transportation.gov/USDOTAdvisoryBoard).

Meeting materials will also be made available at this same link. Members of the public may also submit written materials, questions, and comments to the Committee in advance, as well as any requests for an electronic meeting accommodation consistent with the relevant sections of the Rehabilitation Act, as amended, 29 U.S.C. 794, by contacting the individual listed in the **For Further Information Contact** section of this notice no later than Wednesday, March 11, 2026.

All advance submissions will be reviewed by the Designated Federal Officer. If approved, advance submissions shall be circulated to the U.S. DOT Advisory Board members for review prior to the meeting. All advance submissions will become part of the official record of the meeting.

*Authority:* The Committee is a discretionary Committee under the authority of the U.S. Department of Transportation (U.S. DOT), established in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), as amended, 5 U.S.C. Ch. 10.

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