

Motor Carrier Transportation Advisory Committee

Commerce and Compliance Division
Oregon Department of Transportation
Thursday, January 18, 2024

Housekeeping

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Motor Carrier Transportation Advisory Committee (MCTAC) Agenda

Thursday, January 18, 2024 | 9 am to 10:30 am

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Agenda/Meeting Materials: <https://www.oregon.gov/odot/MCT/Pages/MCTAC.aspx>



Time		Topic		Action	Lead
9:00-9:10	10 min	01	Welcome and Housekeeping	Discussion	Jason Lawrence
		Objective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Welcome, housekeeping, introductions, etc. Review and approve previous meeting summary Overview of today's agenda Important 2024 dates: MCTAC dates, CCD open houses and webinars <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Members, do you have any events you'd like to share? 			
9:10-9:25	15 min	02	Oregon Highway Plan Update	Information	Erik Havig
		Objective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on Oregon Highway Plan 			
9:25-9:40	15 min	03	Human Trafficking Awareness Work	Information	Ken Oke
		Objective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on work we are leading to help stop human trafficking 			
9:40-9:55	15 min	04	Administrator's Report	Information	Amy Ramsdell
		Objective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> OAR amendment: Annual adoption of federal safety regulations Service updates Over-dimension permit system replacement update Motor Carrier Education Program update 			
9:55-10:00	5 min	05	Agenda Build and Close	Discussion	All
		Objective: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify agenda topics and action items for April 18, 2024 			
Next Meeting: Thursday, April 18, 2024 9:00am-10:30 am					

MCTAC Summary Notes – October 19, 2023

Attendees: Members - Amy Ramsdell (ODOT-CCD), Kristan Mitchell (ORRA), Jon Golly (AOL), Mark Gibson (OTA), Andy Owens (A&M Transport), Donny Callahan (OTTA), Kaiger Braseth (Mountain West Moving), Andrew Eno (FMCSA), Diane DeAutremont (Lile International)

Presenters and Guests - Elisha Brackett (ODOT-CCD), Gareth Prior (ODOT), Phil Miller (ODOT), Daniel Porter (ODOT), Kenneth Stewart (ODOT), Erik having (ODOT), John Boren (ODOT), Audrey Lawson (ODOT-CCD), Gian Olsen (ODOT-CCD), Sven Johnson (ODOT-CCD), Jenny Galvin (ODOT-CCD), Carla Phelps (ODOT-CCD), Michelle Bowlin (ODOT-CCD), Joseph Gardner, Peter Van Houten, Tasha Cockreham, Ellen Palmquist, John Boren, Sherry Eidson, Waylon Buchan, Jana Jarvis, Amira Streeter

Support – Jason Lawrence (ODOT-CCD)

Previous meeting's minutes approved.

Toll Rulemaking Update – Gareth Prior, Phil Miller and Daniel Porter: Gareth, Daniel and Phil gave us an update on where the program stands within the Rulemaking process, what considerations they're emphasizing (see, particularly, HCAS and vehicle classification slides), and sought feedback on what they're maybe missing. They will join us again some time in 2024 with further updates.

Truck Parking Grant and Freight Plan Implementation – John Boren: John provided us with an update on the freight plan and truck parking grant, detailing observations on available parking data and options ahead, along with information on how Oregon is looking to build on Truck Parking Information Management System (TPIMS) technologies.

Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) Amendments – Sven Johnson:

- **Annual adoption of IFTA, IRP and HVUT (OAR 740-200-0010, -0020 and -0040):** These amendments are the annual adoption of IFTA, IRP and HVUT into OAR.
- **Final amendments on tow industry requests (Chapter 734, Division 76):** See slide deck for specific changes. These amendments have all been discussed previously at MCTAC. We simply finalized previous agreements on amendments to bring OAR in line with current industry practice and agreed to continue work looking into the FAST Act language.

Serialized IFTA Decals: Discussion – no action items to report.

Oregon Trucking Online (TOL) Data and Usage – Gian Olsen: Gian shared some data and analysis on TOL functions, including most- and least-utilized features, top inquiries and demographics. The Committee discussed features they like and utilize most on TOL, along with their thoughts on how we might encourage more carriers to take advantage of TOL.

Administrator's Report – Amy Ramsdell: Kenneth Stewart from DMV joined us with a quick update on DMV fee changes effective January 1, 2024. Amy then gave an update looking ahead to motor carrier renewal for 2024. Finally, she thanked Oregon Trucking Association (OTA) for their partnership and work in helping us with roadside driver appreciation week events.

Agenda build discussion. Close of meeting.

2024 Open Houses

- April 17: Roseburg
Region 3 office, 12-6pm
- June 19: Salem
CCD Headquarters, 9-5pm
- August 21: Umatilla
POE, 12-6pm
- October 16: Woodburn
POE, 9-5pm



2024 Webinars

January	Tax
February	Safety
March	TOL
April	OD
May	Enforcement/S&W
June	ALL
July	Tax
August	Safety
September	TOL
October	Reg/Renewal
November	Enforcement/Winter
December	ALL

Second Wednesday of the month,
12-1pm



Your events?

Oregon Highway Plan Update

Erik Havig, Statewide Policy and Planning Manager

Questions or Comments?

Thank you!

Human Trafficking Awareness

Kenneth Oke, Safety and Compliance Coordinator, CCD

Human Trafficking in Oregon. The National Human Trafficking Hotline 1-888-373-7888

All Time Statistics (Since 2007)

Signals

The Human Trafficking Hotline has received **4,103** signals since its inception.



Hotline Call: 3,181



SMS Report: 490



Online Report: 289



Web Chat: 84



Email Received: 59

Cases

Since its inception, the Human Trafficking Hotline has identified **1,037** cases of human trafficking. **1,920** victims were identified in these cases.

ODOT's Human Trafficking Prevention Efforts, 2020 to Present

TripCheck
OREGON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Road & Weather | Text Reports | Travel Center | Transit & More | About TripCheck | On the Go | Contact Us

Map Features

- Road Map
- Aerial Map

Road

- Cameras
- Incidents
- Parking lot
- Travel Time

Weather

- Restrictions
- Municipalities
- Waze Events
- Waze Traffic
- Live Traffic

Closure

- Heavy
- Moderate
- Light
- Free Flow

Alerts

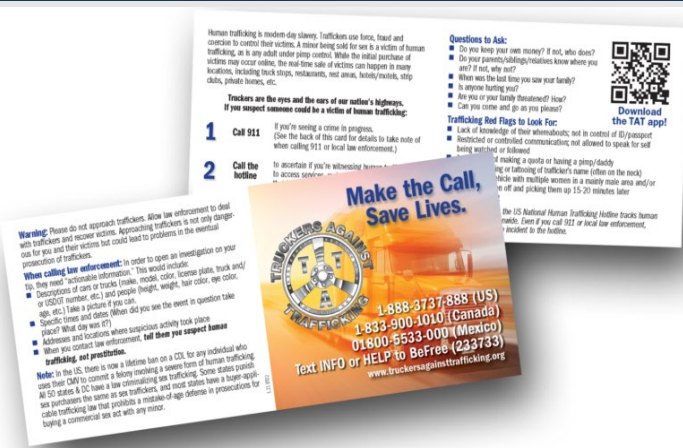
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Announcements

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CALL 888-3737-888 OR TEXT BEFREE

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CCD Human Trafficking Education Efforts



Human trafficking is modern-day slavery. Traffickers use force, fraud and coercion to control their victims. A minor being sold for sex is a victim of human trafficking, as is any adult under party control. While the initial purchase of victims may occur online, the real-time sale of victims can happen in many locations, including truck stops, restaurants, motels, hotels, motels, strip clubs, private homes, etc.

Truckers are the eyes and the ears of our nation's highways. If you suspect someone could be a victim of human trafficking:

- 1 Call 911** if you're seeing a crime in progress. (Give the back of this card for details to take note of when calling 911 or local law enforcement.)
- 2 Call the hotline** if you're witnessing human trafficking.

Warning: Please do not approach traffickers. Allow law enforcement to deal with traffickers and rescue victims. Approaching traffickers is not only dangerous for you and their victims but could lead to problems in the event of your prosecution of traffickers.

When calling law enforcement: In order to open an investigation on your suspicion of traffickers, they need "actionable information." This would include:

- Descriptions of cars or trucks (make, model, color, license plate, truck and/or trailer, etc.)
- Specific times and dates (When did you see the event in question take place? What day was it?)
- Addresses and locations where suspicious activity took place
- Names and phone numbers of anyone you suspect
- When you contact law enforcement, **tell them you suspect human trafficking, not prostitution.**

Note: In the US, there is now a lifetime ban on a CDL for any individual who uses their DMV to commit a felony involving a severe form of human trafficking. All 50 states & DC have a law criminalizing sex trafficking. Some states prohibit sex traffickers from the same sex trafficking, and most states have a separate law that prohibits a mistake-of-age defense in prosecutions for cable trafficking law that prohibits a mistake-of-age defense in prosecutions for buying a commercial sex act with any minor.

Questions to Ask:

- Do you keep your own money? If not, who does?
- Do your parents/siblings/relatives know where you are? If not, why not?
- When was the last time you saw your family?
- Is anyone hurting you?
- Are you or your family threatened? How?
- Can you come and go as you please?

Trafficking Red Flags to Look For:

- Lack of knowledge of their whereabouts; not in control of ID/passport
- Restricted or controlled communication; not allowed to speak for self being withheld or isolated
- Inaccurate or having a pimp/daddy
- Ring or tattooing of trafficker's name (often on the neck)
- Multiple women in a nearby male area and/or in off and picking them up 15-20 minutes later

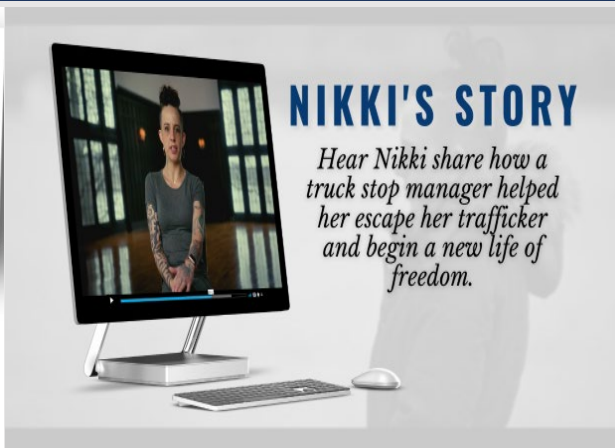
Download the TAT app!

Make the Call, Save Lives.

TRUCKERS AGAINST TRAFFICKING

1-888-373-888 (US)
1-833-900-1010 (Canada)
1-800-553-0000 (Mexico)
Text INFO or HELP to BeFree (233733)
www.truckersagainstrafficking.org

TAT Wallet Cards



NIKKI'S STORY

Hear Nikki share how a truck stop manager helped her escape her trafficker and begin a new life of freedom.

Training Videos



HUMAN TRAFFICKING IS NOT OUR LEGACY

To report suspected human trafficking, call the U.S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS) tip line:
1-866-347-2423

If you are a victim and need help, call the National Human Trafficking Hotline:
1-888-373-7888

BLUE CAMPAIGN
One Voice. One Mission. End Human Trafficking.

Posters



OREGON LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAININGS

TRUCKERS AGAINST TRAFFICKING

Law Enforcement Training

END HUMAN TRAFFICKING.

Learn more: dhs.gov/BlueCampaign

National Human Trafficking Hotline:
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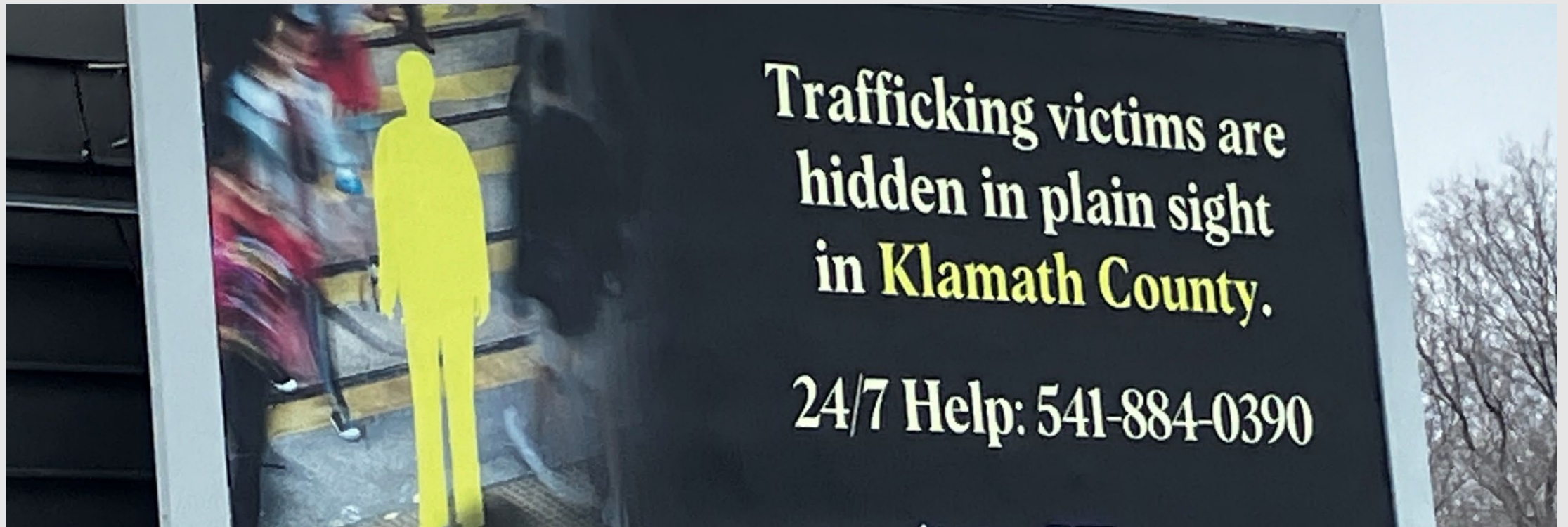


ODOT and OTA banner on display at Ashland Port of Entry. The trailer was provided by OTA member Combined Transport, Inc.



ODOT and OTA banner on display at Klamath Falls Port of Entry. The trailer was provided by OTA member Michael D. Fenters Trucking, Inc.

Billboard on US 97, between Chemult and Klamath Falls



ODOT and the Iowa MVE Model

- The Iowa MVE Model organizes law enforcement and state agencies to utilize entry points into the trucking and bus industries (BOTL) to spread the TAT anti-trafficking message.
- CCD partners with Federal Agencies including the Department of Homeland Security and FMCSA to help prevent human trafficking



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A Collaborative Approach to Human Trafficking Prevention

Online: CCD staff worked with Truckers Against Trafficking to put together a co-branded web page to refer Oregon trucking companies and individual drivers to resources and training on human trafficking prevention:

<https://truckersagainsttrafficking.org/oregon>

TAT's core program, the Industry Training Program, drives the greatest impact by training hundreds of thousands of industry members on the realities of sex trafficking and how the trucking industry can combat it. Through nationwide presentations, using a robust social media program and via our industry-specific materials, TAT partners with trucking schools, carriers, truck stops, as well as shippers, manufacturers and state and national trucking associations, in order to spread the word.

The Oregon Department of Transportation and Oregon Trucking Associations are partnering with TAT to bring this free training to all oregon-based companies.



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CCD recognizes Oregon trucking companies that have completed anti-trafficking training through TAT:

<https://trained.truckersagainsttrafficking.org/oregon>

OREGON TAT/BOTL TRAINED ORGANIZATIONS

Summary

Reported by Companies	Reported by Trucking Schools	Reported by Busing Industry	Reported by Law Enforcement / Government Agency	Total Reported
3987	690	297	255	5229

Show 10 entries

Search:

Name	City	State/Province	Type	Count
Aisling truck academy	Medford	Oregon	CDL School	3
Bend-LaPine Schools	Bend	Oregon	Trucking Company	22
Cherriots	Salem	Oregon	Transit	38
Fat Cat Transport Inc.	Rogue River	Oregon	Trucking Company	2
KOOL PAK LLC	LAKE OSWEGO	Oregon	Trucking Company	90
May Trucking Company	Salem	Oregon	Trucking Company	3546
NV Transport Inc	Troutdale	Oregon	Trucking Company	30
Oregon Department of Transportation Mixed Agency	Salem	Oregon	In-Person Training	255
Oregon DOT - RPTD	Salem	Oregon	Bus Company	193
Reddaway	Portland	Oregon	Trucking Company	4

CVSA Human Trafficking Awareness Initiative



TAT/BOTL Training Nets Results

MAKING AN IMPACT



140+
MOTORCOACH
COMPANIES TRAINED



250+
TRANSIT AGENCIES
TRAINED



2,100+
SCHOOL DISTRICTS
TRAINED



PARTNERS IN
ALL 50
US STATES

"A bus driver took a second look and made a huge difference."

Arian's compassion and care following the advice of the TAT sticker on his truck resulted in safety and services for a 19-year-old woman who had just escaped from her would-be trafficker.



Quick action by Debo and Alan, two TAT-trained TravelCenters of America employees, resulted in the arrest of three for human trafficking and the recovery of twenty women being abused by a trafficking ring.



By implementing their BOTL training, the actions of Larren and Lauren, two Lakefront Lines employees, ensured the recovery of a female passenger being held for forced prostitution by another passenger on the bus.



Acting on the training he received from TAT, after seeing a woman covered only in a towel standing along a remote stretch of mountainous highway, professional truck driver Joe Aguayo made a call to law enforcement that recovered a trafficking victim that had been left in the area.



Thank You

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Visit CCD online at truckinginoregon.org and be sure to check out our human trafficking prevention [page](#).



Administrator's Report

Amy Ramsdell

Administrator, Commerce and Compliance Division

Administrator's Report

- OAR: Annual adoption of federal safety regulations
- Service updates
- Over-dimension permit system replacement update
- Motor Carrier Education Program update
- FMCSA changes to emergency declarations

OAR Chapter 740, Federal Safety Regulations

- Simply changes all “2023” to “2024”:
 - 740-100-0010, Adoption of Federal Safety Regulations
 - 740-100-0070, North American Standard Vehicle Out-of-Service Criteria
 - 740-100-0080, North American Standard Hazardous Material Out-of-Service Criteria
 - 740-100-0085, North American Standard Out-of-Service Criteria for Commercial Highway Vehicles Transporting Transuranics and Highway Route Controlled Quantities of Radioactive Materials
 - 740-100-0090, North American Standard Driver Out-of-Service Criteria
 - 740-100-0100, Maximum Fine Schedule
 - 740-110-0010, Adoption of United States Department of Transportation Hazardous Materials Regulations

Tax Service Center Call Volumes and Wait Times (8am-5pm)

Total Call Volume:

2022: 26,717

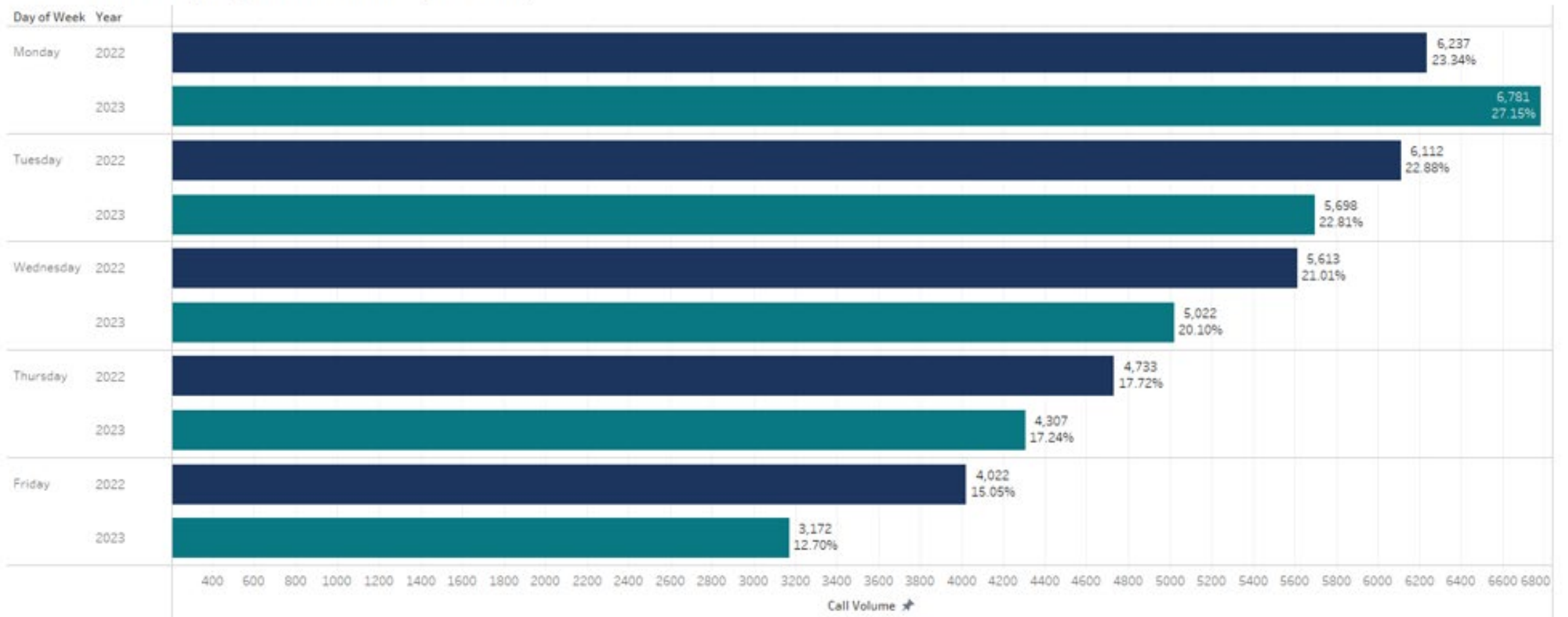
2023: 24,980

Average Wait Time:

2022: 20.65 minutes

2023: 7.01 minutes

Total Call Volume by Day of Week and Year (OCT-NOV)



OD Permit System - ORION | Project Status

Contracts
Signed

Changes to
Notifications

Rule Changes

Target
Launch:
Q2 2025



Motor Carrier Education (MCE) Program

- We are in the final stages of implementation.
- Launch date is nearing!
- Vendor application/onboarding soon.
- Lessons learned.

Questions or Comments?

Thank you!

**Agenda Build
for
April 2024**

What items would you like CCD to consider for upcoming agendas?

Additional Resources & Information

- [Oregon Transportation Plan](#)
- [Oregon Transportation Commission](#)
- [Oregon Freight Advisory Committee](#)
- [Urban Mobility Office](#)
- [Equity and Mobility Advisory Committee](#)
- [Oregon Safety Transportation Plan](#)

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