

Community Stakeholder Opportunities in the Oregon Mass Timber Coalition's \$41 million EDA Grant

Equity Oversight Committee Info Session Invitation

The Oregon Mass Timber Coalition (OMTC) seeks to create an equity oversight committee with interested and impacted stakeholders. The committee will partner with OMTC members to ensure that community benefits, workforce development and public contracting opportunities deliver equitable outcomes.

In addition to public contracting opportunities across the OMTC projects, the **Equity Oversight Committee** will assess gaps and identify opportunities to strengthen equitable outcomes in:

- workforce housing
- > construction and manufacturing job creation
- > workforce development, apprenticeship, and pre-apprenticeship programs
- > rural community development
- entrepreneurship & small business support/asset-building
- > sustainable forest management
- > public contracting

Who should attend? Stakeholders from Oregon's urban and rural communities are encouraged to participate. OMTC seeks guidance and oversight from individuals, organizations and advocates representing culturally specific groups including Tribes; construction, manufacturing, and forest industry workers; housing and workforce equity stakeholders; small and disadvantaged businesses; and more.

Interested to learn more and/or to be a part of designing this accountability structure? Please register via the below links to participate in listening sessions and learn how to engage either as a participant, advisor, contractor, or community outreach partner.

- ➤ Info session #1: Wednesday, December 7th 2022, 10:00 11:15am (<u>register</u> <u>here</u>)
- ➤ Info session #2: Tuesday, December 13th, 2022, 2:00 3:15pm (register here)
- ➤ A recorded webinar will also be available at the Oregon Mass Timber Coalition website.

For more information, visit www.masstimbercoalition.org.



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