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Re: Petition for Public Records Disclosure Order
Oregon Department of Transportation
DOJ File No. 731020-GA0042-20

Dear Mr. Allen:

This letter is the Attorney General's response to your petition for disclosure under the Oregon Public Records Law, ORS 192.311 to 192.478. Your petition asks the Attorney General to order the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) to produce any "analysis" or "clarification" it received from the Oregon Department of Justice (DOJ) regarding whether revenues from tolls and road usage charges are subject to the restrictions contained in Article IX, Section 3a, of the Oregon Constitution. ODOT denied your request on April 8, 2020, asserting that all advice from DOJ is exempt under the attorney-client privilege.

We contacted Laura Rojas, ODOT Public Records Coordinator, regarding your petition. She informed us that ODOT agreed to process your request and disclosed the requested DOJ advice to you on April 27, 2020. We therefore respectfully dismiss your petition as moot.

Sincerely,

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Deputy Attorney General

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