

Resolution #TC-2021-01-07

Adoption of New Policy Directive 1609.0 “Transportation Asset Management”.

Approved by the Transportation Commission on January 21, 2021.

WHEREAS, § 43-1-106 (8)(a) C.R.S. gives authority to the Transportation Commission of Colorado (“Commission”) to formulate general policy with respect to the management, construction, and maintenance of public highways and other transportation systems in the state; and

WHEREAS, new Policy Directive 1609.0 “Transportation Asset Management” establishes the guiding framework of the Transportation Asset Management Program within the Colorado Department of Transportation (“Department”); and

WHEREAS, the purpose of asset management is to achieve and sustain a state of good repair for the Department’s assets over their life cycles at a minimum practicable cost; and

WHEREAS, asset management is a strategic and systematic process of maintaining assets comprising the transportation system and ensuring the system is effective and safe; and

WHEREAS, the Department maintains twelve (12) Asset Classes in the Transportation Asset Management Program, which include: Pavement, Bridges, Tunnels, Buildings, Road Equipment, Intelligent Transportation Systems, Rest Areas, Culverts, Walls, Signals, Maintenance Levels of Service, and Geohazards; and

WHEREAS, the Department must comply with federal requirements to track and periodically report performance measures for National Highway System pavement and bridges as set forth in Policy Directive 14.0 “Policy Guiding Statewide Plan Goals & Objectives”; and

WHEREAS, federal law requires the Department to develop a risk-based asset management plan for the National Highway System to improve or preserve the condition of the assets and the performance of the system; and

WHEREAS, the Commission supports the Department in pursuing its mission by efficiently allocating the Department’s resources across assets to maintain a high quality and safe system in compliance with federal law and regulations.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Commission adopts the new Policy Directive 1609.0 “Transportation Asset Management”.

Herman F. Stockinger

Herman Stockinger, Secretary
Transportation Commission of Colorado

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Date