

MINUTES  
**SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 24, 2023  
**TIME:** 1:30 P.M.  
**PLACE:** Room WW53  
**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Chairman Okuniewicz, Vice Chairman Den Hartog, Senators Vander Feer (Hart), Carlson, Toews, Trakel, Rabe, and Just  
**ABSENT/EXCUSED:** Senator Winder  
**NOTE:** The sign-in sheet, testimonies and other related materials will be retained with the minutes in the committee's office until the end of the session and will then be located on file with the minutes in the Legislative Services Library.  
**CONVENED:** **Chairman Okuniewicz** called the meeting of the Senate Transportation Committee (Committee) to order at 1:30 P.M.  
**PRESENTATION:** **Local Highway Technical Assistance Council (LHTAC) Presentation.** **Laila Kral**, Administrator, LHTAC provided a brief background on LHTAC's history and current responsibilities, as well as an overview of primary bridge structural components. **Ms. Kral** continued with statistics on Idaho's aging bridges emphasizing the impact to commerce, local industries, and communities. She outlined current and new funding, as well as the gap between allocated funds and actual need. **Ms. Kral** noted that during the first two rounds all bridge repairs had been completed and the bridges remaining on the list needed to be replaced. (Attachment 1)  
**ADJOURNED:** There being no further business at this time, **Chairman Okuniewicz** adjourned the meeting at 1:55 P.M.

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Senator Okuniewicz  
Chair

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Lena Amoah  
Secretary