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## Curating Equitable Transportation

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# Curating Equity



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A good curator is someone who pays attention well.

A great curator is someone who pays attention well and then gives you context for understanding why you might want to pay attention.





# Curating Requires...

- ✓ Focus on an unique vision
- ✓ Consideration of broader context
- ✓ Planning with space and place in mind
- ✓ Building a reliable team



# Curating Equity in Transportation

## 1 UNIQUE VISION

Office of Social Equity prioritizes diversity, equity, and inclusion by identifying and addressing systemic barriers to ensure all Oregonians benefit from transportation services and investments.

## 3 BROADER CONTEXT

Social identities that are historically and currently disproportionately burdened by systems used to distribute power, resource, and access.

## 2 PLACE & SPACE

Statewide; rural; metropolitan; suburban; workforce; policy; projects; economics; community; environmental

## 4 RELIABLE TEAM

Internal and External; New and Seasoned



# Paying attention well...

1.

Working with a group of problem solvers and creative analytic minds.

2.

Being clear that we decide where people go and where they do not in addition to their safety as they move.



# Giving context for others to pay attention well...

1. We are all transportation dependent  
- Tamika Butler
2. An engineer is expected not only to protect the public in his or her own work but also to take action if he or she has knowledge that any other person's actions may undermine the public welfare. - American Society of Civil Engineers

3. Focusing on how our investments ripple affecting both product and process.





As a curator you are offering a catalyst for the answer rather than providing the answer.

