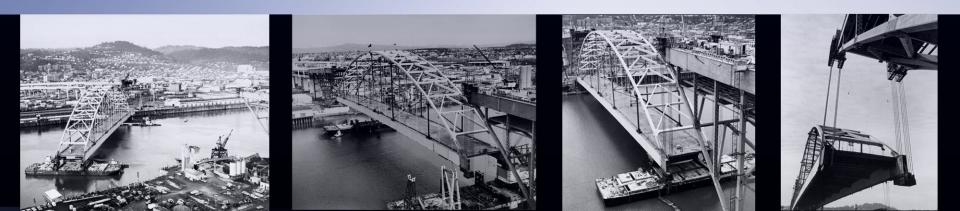
## ODOT'S ABC PROGRAM FHWA EDC Initiative

Benjamin Tang, P.E. Manager, Bridge Preservation Oregon DOT, Bridge Engineering Section

ODOT/AGC Annual Meeting, Salem, OR Feb 4, 2011

#### Fremont Bridge – floated and lifted 1973



### **ODOT - Project Samples**

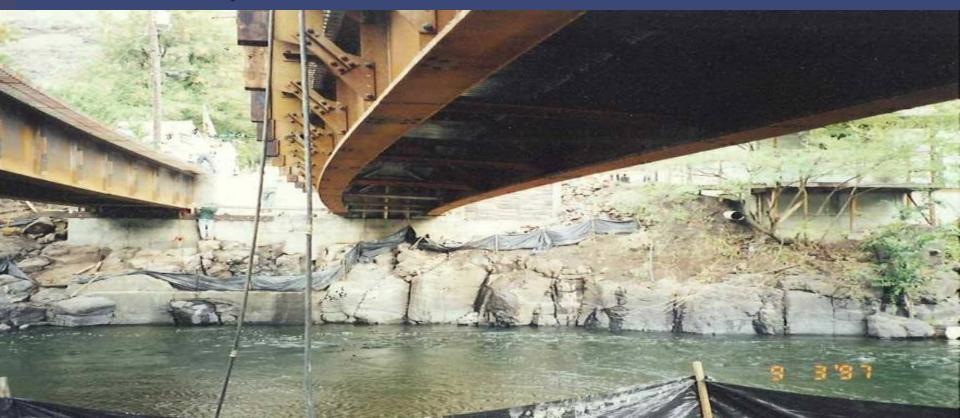
ODOT has completed 16 projects and more are on the way...

### Pudding River Bridge, Truss Replacement (1940's)



### **Steel Structures (1997)**

Proven cost effectiveness and sustainable
Plate Girders with precast deck panels
Closure pour in the middle



### I-5 Trunnion Replacement (1997)





Delivered in 7 days
14 days ahead schedule
Incentive \$100k/day
\$1.4 M bonus.

Mill Creek Rapid Deck (2003) Replacement

- Deck cut & removed in sections
- Flexible schedule for work and traffic windows
- 540 ft of exodermic steel grid deck replaced in 24 days



### **Depot Street Bridge over Rogue River 2007**



5 day closure to slide bridge into place

306-foot Concrete Tied Arch 77-foot wide 5,000 tons



**Bridge Built Upstream Alongside** 



**Mammoet Skids and Track** 

### Elk Creek Bridge Move (2008)

Won 3 Awards: \* APWA Project of the Year; \*AASHTO America's Transportation; and \*ASCE Outstanding CE Achievement... & more



### **Oregon's Experience with ABC**

Incentive/Disincentive approach

Limit window of road closures duration

Industry driven and State guidance (e.g. design-build)



### Accelerated Bridge Construction (ABC) What, How and Why?

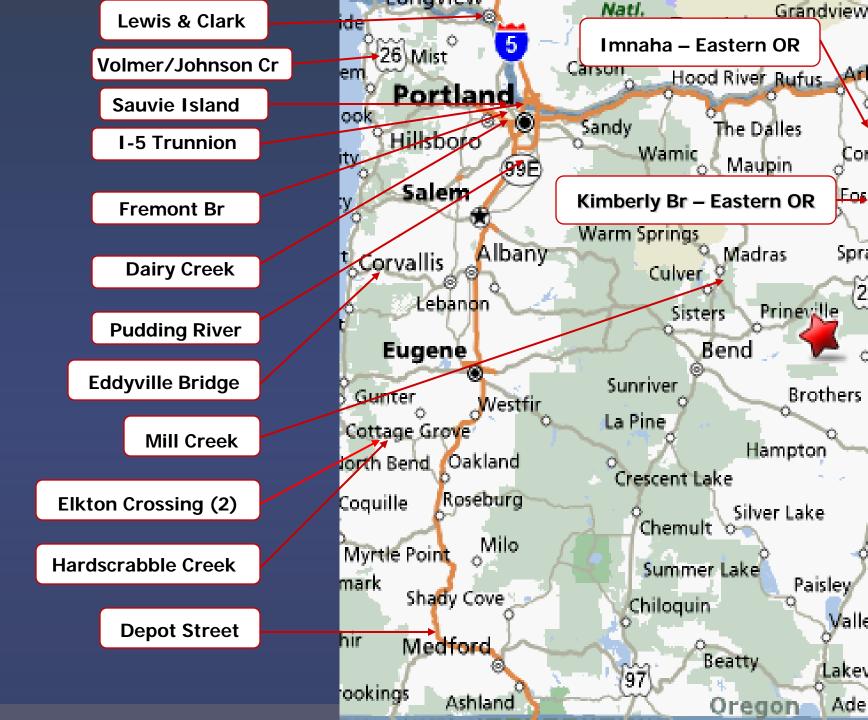
- What: A process applies to incorporating innovative technologies, contracting methods, decision making framework
- How: design and construction techniques and/or prefabricated elements and systems (PBES)
- Why: to minimize impacts to the traveling public, local community and environment.

### Introduction

- What's driving ABC in Oregon?
- ABC Guidance in Bridge Design and Drafting Manual (BDDM)
- FHWA/States Pooled Fund Study on cost analysis and decision modeling
   Full depth precast deck system
   Summary

### What's Driving ABC in Oregon?

Highway Network - Mobility
I-5 North to Canada – South to Mexico
Coastal Highway 101
Open and Wide Natural and Wooded Terrain
Serving communities and traffic corridors
ABC has its place and is being exploited



# Bridge Design & Drafting Manual (BDDM) Section 1.1.2.9 - Outline

### Introduction

Decision making framework & Matrix

- Steel structures
- Concrete structures
- Full-depth deck & end panels and wingwalls
- Seismic related
- Use of SPMT

http://www.oregon.gov/ODOT/HWY/BRIDGE/standards\_manuals.shtml

### **ODOT BDDM – Outline Cont.**

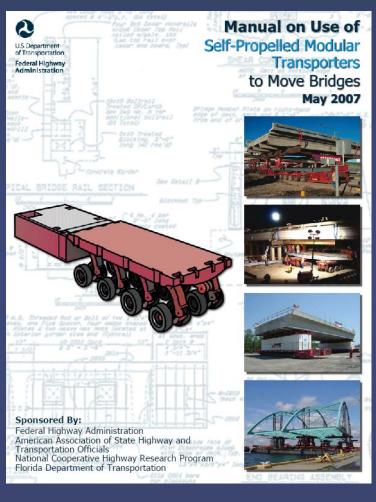
Geotechnical consideration
QA/QC for prefabricated elements
Cost consideration
HYRISK economic analysis tool
Project listing

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### FHWA Resources: SPMT & Connection Details

- Incredible machines
- Heavy liftX1000 tons
- Maneuverability
- Precision
- Distortion control
- Fastest erection
   scheme





- State of Practice
- 150+ connection details

Connection Details for Prefabricated Bridge Elements and Systems



March 30, 2009

Publication No. FHWA-IF-09-010







### **Owner's Cost Consideration**

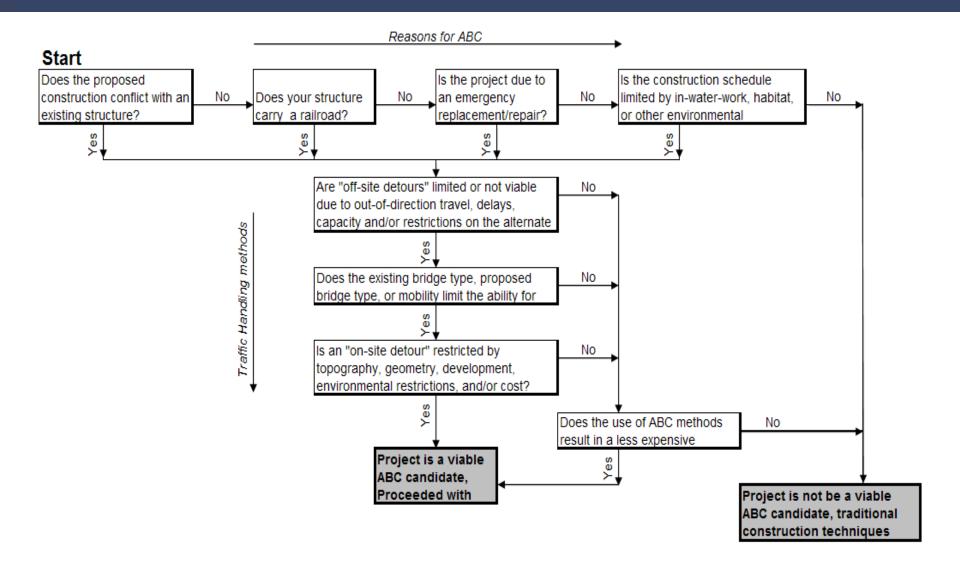
Maintenance of traffic costs
 Owner agency's operation costs
 Mobility
 HYRISK Tool by FHWA – ODOT is using this now

- Road closure
- Detour length
- ADT, ADTT, traffic speed, vehicle occupancy rate...
- Total community cost associated with closure

### **Decision Making Framework**

Decide when and where ABC would be most effective during early project planning Options allowed: Design-bid-build method OK Approved contractor's alternate methods OK Design-build method OK Criteria in flowchart serves as a guide

### **Decision Making Flowchart in BDDM**



### ODOT-Lead Pool Funded Study

#### **Cost Analysis and Decision Making**



### Current Pooled Fund Study TPF 5(221)

Oregon – lead, FHWA, California, Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, Texas, Utah, and Washington State (8 States + FHWA) Professor Toni Doolen, Ph.D., Industrial Engineering, Oregon State University Contract awarded December 23, 2009 TAC Kick-off Meeting held Jan 6-7, 2010 18-month study – ending June 2011.

### **Project Goals and Target Users**

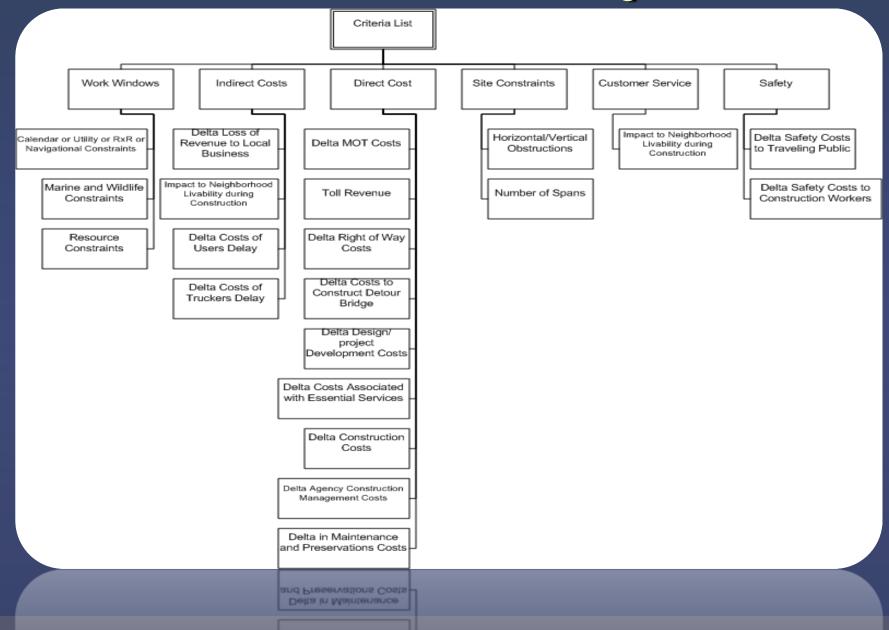
### Goals of Project

- ABC for ordinary bread & butter bridges
- Tool can be used to help with communications
- Create decision tool for engineers
- Apparent decision making criteria driven
- Target User Population
  - Project managers and Engineers
  - Bridge owners and Budget office

### Analytical Hierarchy Process (AHP)

- The AHP is based on previous research and is well-developed, tested, and validated (e.g. Saaty, 1990)
- An AHP uses series of pair-wise comparisons between criteria located at each level of a decision hierarchy

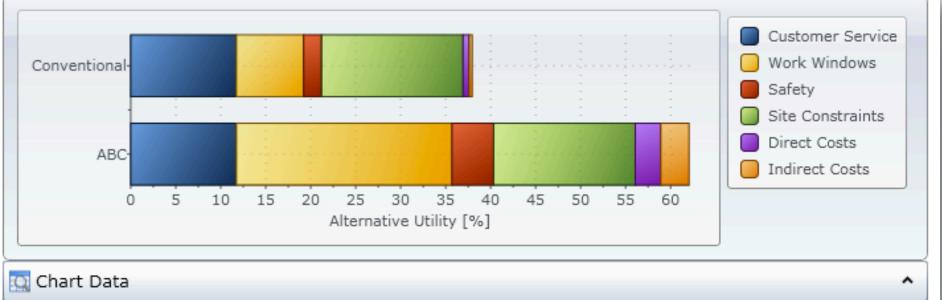
### **Decision Hierarchy**



### **Elk Creek Project**

 Project Stage: Completed
 Critical Factors: Site Constraints, Work Windows, and Customer Service

Best Alternative: ABC



	Alternative	Total	Customer_Service	Work_Windows	Safety	Site_Constraints	Direct_Costs	Indirect_Costs
	ABC	62.050	11.730	23.970	4.640	15.730	2.830	3.150
	Conventional	37.950	11.730	7.480	1.990	15.730	0.670	0.350



## Precast Deck System









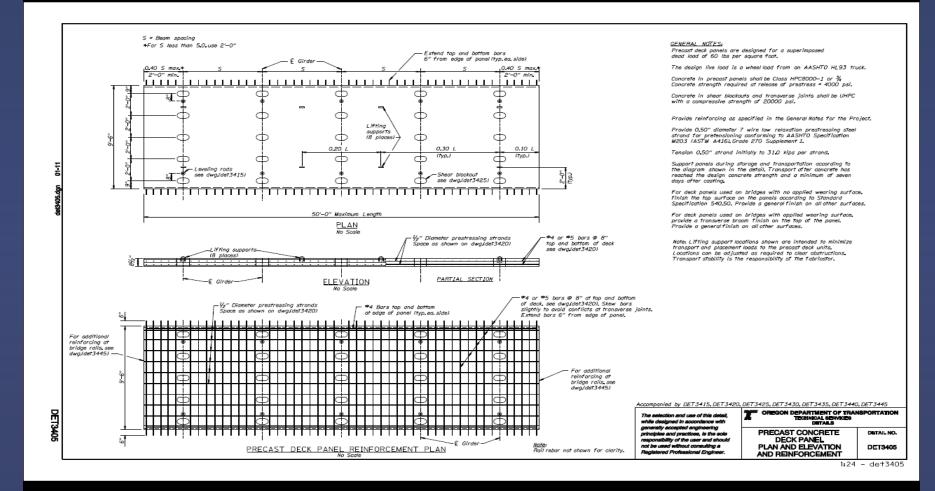
### **ODOT Precast PS Deck System**

1<sup>st</sup> project using UHPC grout for the joint
 20,000 p.s.i. compressive strength
 HPC PS deck panels (50 ft. by 9.5 ft for handling)

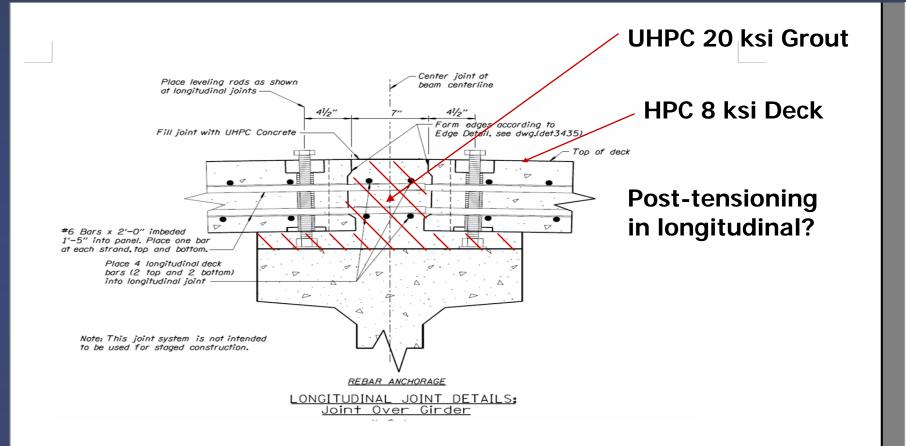
### 8,000 p.s.i. compressive strength

- Study without longitudinal Post-Tensioning across joints
- Developed connection details

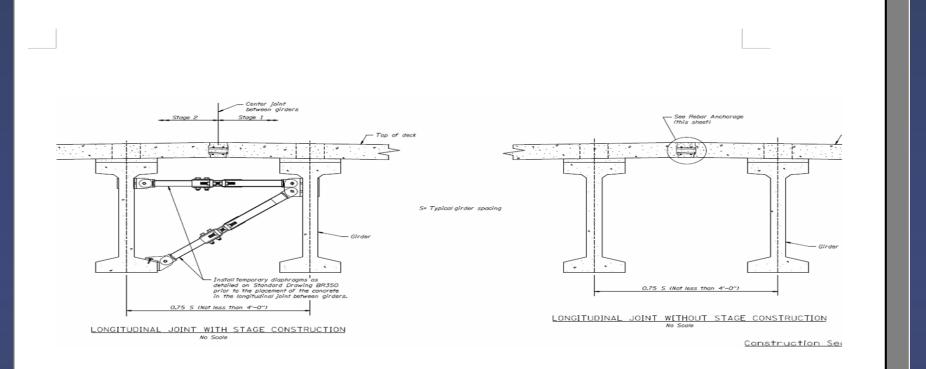
### **Precast PS Deck System for ABC**



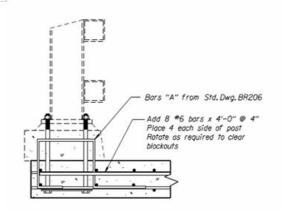
### **Precast PS Deck System - Joint Details**



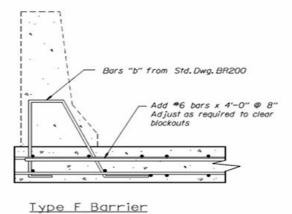
### Temp. Bracing for Staged Construction



### **Railings on Precast Deck System**



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No Scale

### Summary

ODOT encourages and supports ABC ► Guidance in BDDM is advisory Prefabricated elements, seismic connection details, cost study, standards, guides and specs available Pooled Fund Study for cost analysis and decision model in progress Full depth precast deck system