

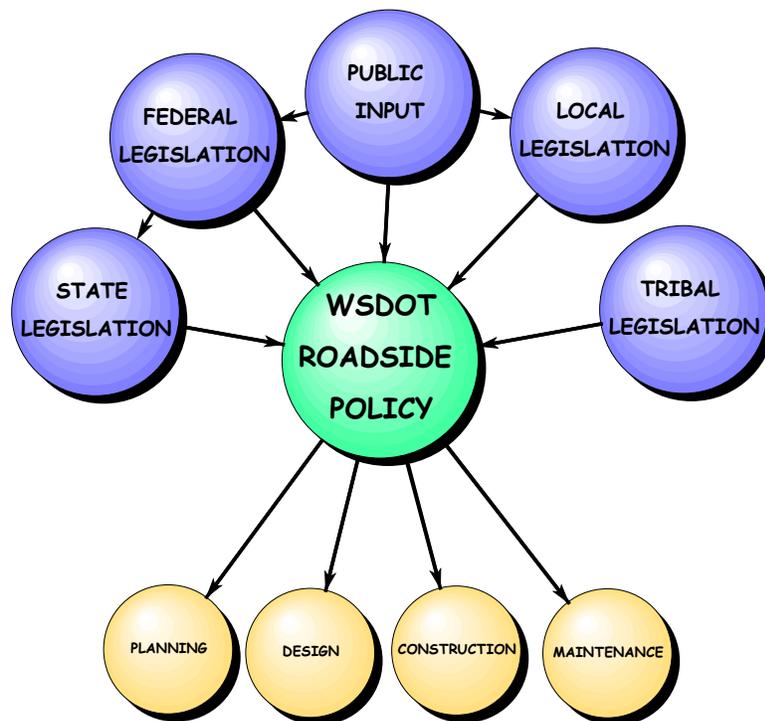
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200.01 General

Washington State Department of Transportation (WSDOT) roadside policy is governed by a web of jurisdictional entities, and affects planning, design, construction, and maintenance.

An activity is directed by department policy and guidelines that are influenced by federal, state, and local legislation and regulations. Roadside policy is also influenced by public input and tribal legislation (see Exhibit 200-1).

Exhibit 200-1 Jurisdictional entities governing roadside policy



200.02 Procedures

200.02(1) Public Involvement

Public involvement in WSDOT roadside activities is conducted in a manner that is consistent with the process established for roadways in general. (See the WSDOT [Design Manual](#), Chapter 210, Public Involvement and Hearings.) It is the department’s goal that decisions be made in the best overall public interest, and that other agencies and the public be involved early enough to influence project decisions.

