

CHAPTER 8 – RELOCATION APPEALS PROCEDURE

- 8.05 **Title.** TMC Chapter 8 shall be known as the Relocation Appeals Procedure and may be so pleaded and referred to.
- 8.10 **Policy and Purpose.**
- A. The Board finds that various federally funded TriMet Projects (“Project”) necessitate the acquisition of real property located in the Project’s right-of-way and the relocation of some individuals or legal entities (persons).
 - B. The Board has further determined that the Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970, as amended by the Uniform Relocation Act Amendments of 1987, Title IV of the Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act of 1987 (Public Law 100-17, 101 Stat. 246-256), the Oregon Revised Statutes Chapter 281, and the Urban Mass Transportation Act of 1964 as amended, require grantees of federal financially assisted projects to establish appeal procedures which afford displaced persons a method for review and appeal of the persons’ eligibility for relocation payment or amount of relocation payment.
- 8.15 **Powers of General Manager.** The TriMet General Manager shall have the authority to adopt, amend or repeal any administrative rules deemed necessary to achieve the purposes of this Chapter. Such rules shall be in substantial compliance with the Oregon Administrative Procedures Act and shall conform to the standards promulgated by the Urban Mass Transportation Administration relating to relocation assistance.