

AASHTO Research Advisory Committee

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TO: Cynthia Gerst, Statewide Planning & Research, Ohio Department of Transportation

FROM: Christopher W. Jenks, Secretary, Research Advisory Committee (RAC)

SUBJECT: Appointment to AASHTO's Research Advisory Committee

Hi Cynthia:

Welcome to AASHTO's Research Advisory Committee. I understand that you are joining RAC, replacing Jennifer Gallagher, as the Ohio representative.

You are being added to the RAC listserv, and you will receive, and may send, messages to the full RAC membership (national or regional) using the listserv. This listserv accepts e-mail file attachments. You will receive a separate e-mail welcoming you to the listserv and providing instructions to get you started.

A large amount of useful information, including a RAC Handbook, may be found at the committee's website: <http://research.transportation.org>. You will find an up-to-date RAC roster, including e-mail addresses, at this site. You might want to take a look at the "New to RAC?" link on the home page.

RAC has initiated a voluntary mentoring program to help to familiarize new members with RAC's role, responsibilities, resources, and activities. Your regional RAC chair will be contacting you to tell you more about how the program works and will ask if you would like to have a mentor assigned to you.

If you have questions you should contact: Sandra Larson, Iowa (RAC Chair); Rick Collins, Texas (RAC Vice Chair); Tommy Nantung, Indiana DOT (Region 3 Chair); or me, Chris Jenks, TRB (RAC Secretary). To enable RAC members to quickly update their distribution list, I have placed your address below.

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