Recent transport developments

Aberdeen, 18-19th of February 2020
Plans

• Regional/local
  – Regional plan strategy
    • Defines what plans the county council will have for the next 4 (12) year period
    • A lot of strategies in the transport dept will be replaced with one strategy
      – Goal: coordination between road, bus, ferry, taxi, financing etc

• National report from expert comittee
  – “Technology for sustainable freedom of movement and mobility”
    • Technological optimistic
    • Four focus areas
      – Electrification, autonomy/automatization, interoperable intelligent transport systems, sharing mobility
Plans (2)

- National report: Transport21
- How the transport sector could use research and innovation for wealth creation
- Zero emission
- Freedom of movement
- Wealth creation and sustainability
Plans (3)

• New National Transport Plan for Norway
  – Change of method
    • The County Council prepares its comments at the same time as the government agencies
    • In earlier revisions of this plan, the counties eas part of the hearing process after the plan was finished
  – Technology optimistic
  – Social economics
Infrastructure project and investments

- Nordøyvegen («The Northern Island Road»)
- Replaces 1,5 ferry connections
- 3200 inhabitants
- 5 mill. €
Update: The building of bridges and tunnels have started.
Regulatory schemes

- Financing of ferry services
  - "Ferry rebellion" because of increased fares
  - National newspapers and media
  - Visit to Møre and Romsdal from two Ministers
  - Committee hearing at the Parliament
  - Invitation to meeting with four Ministers

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