REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE

Friday, July 15, 2011
10:30 a.m. Joint Meeting with Transportation Committee
SANDAG Board Room
401 B Street, 7th Floor
San Diego

A PORTION OF THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD JOINTLY WITH THE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

AGENDA HIGHLIGHTS

• INTERSTATE 5 NORTH COAST CORRIDOR PROJECT

• PROPOSED REDISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS FROM INTERSTATE 5 NORTH COAST CORRIDOR PROJECT IN THE 2050 REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN

• REVIEW OF BOARD POLICY NO. 033

• 2010 CENSUS

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Friday, July 15, 2011

ITEM # | RECOMMENDATION
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10:30 a.m. - 12 noon

> > > CONVENE JOINT MEETING
< < < WITH TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

A. PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS/MEMBER COMMENTS

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REPORTS (B through E)

+B. INTERSTATE 5 NORTH COAST CORRIDOR PROJECT (Allan Kosup, Caltrans)

Staff will present an update on the Interstate 5 North Coast Corridor, including the recent selection of the preferred alternative by Caltrans and the Federal Highway Administration and efforts underway for the upcoming release of the Final Environmental Document.

+C. PROPOSED REDISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS FROM INTERSTATE 5 NORTH COASTAL CORRIDOR PROJECT IN THE 2050 REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLAN (Elisa Arias)

As described in Item B, Caltrans and the Federal Highway Administration recently selected a preferred alternative for the Interstate 5 North Coast Corridor project, which has lower construction costs than the alternative included in the Draft 2050 Regional Transportation Plan (2050 RTP). The Regional Planning and Transportation Committees are asked to recommend that the Board of Directors approve the proposed redistribution of funding from the Interstate 5 North Coast Corridor project to the transit and transportation system supporting investments in substantially the same form as shown in Table 1 of the report for inclusion in the final 2050 RTP.

As described in Item B, Caltrans has selected the preferred alternative for the Interstate 5 North Coast Corridor (I-5 NCC) project. The alternative selected results in lower construction costs than those included in the Draft 2050 Regional Transportation Plan (RTP). Based on the Caltrans’ decision and after an initial review of comments on the Draft 2050 RTP processed to date, it is proposed that the funds not applied to the I-5 NCC project be used to: (1) modify the transit network by advancing a light rail transit project; and (2) to add more funds to transportation system supporting investments. The Regional Planning and
Transportation Committees are asked to discuss the proposed revised distribution of future revenues and recommend that the Board of Directors approve it in substantially the same form as attached to the report for inclusion in the final 2050 RTP.

D. SMART GROWTH INCENTIVE PROGRAM AND ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION GRANTS STATUS UPDATE AND REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS (Oswaldo Perez)

SANDAG approved the first round of Smart Growth Incentive Program (SGIP) projects under TransNet in May 2009, and the first round of Active Transportation Program grants in June 2009. This report provides an overview of the progress made to date by the grant recipients. In addition, the Cities of Lemon Grove and San Diego are requesting schedule amendments. The Use-It-or-Lose-It Policy requires Transportation and Regional Planning Committees approval for these requests.

The Regional Planning Committee is asked to approve the proposed project schedule amendment to the Lemon Grove Trolley Plaza project in the TransNet Smart Growth Incentive Program, per the Use-It-or-Lose-It Policy governing the FY 2009-FY 2010 TransNet Smart Growth Incentive Program grants.

The Transportation Committee is asked to approve the proposed project schedule amendments to two City of San Diego TDA/TransNet Bicycle, Pedestrian, and Neighborhood Safety projects, per the Use-It-or-Lose-It Policy governing the FY 2009-FY 2010 Bicycle, Pedestrian, and Neighborhood Safety grants.

E. REVIEW OF BOARD POLICY NO. 033 (Susan Baldwin)

Board Policy No. 033 was adopted in conjunction with the 2005-2010 Regional Housing Needs Assessment (RHNA). The Board of Directors will be asked to provide policy direction on options for its continued use or revision. This is an information item to provide context for Board discussion at its July 22, 2011, meeting.

ADJOURN JOINT MEETING WITH TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

12 noon - 2:00 p.m.

CONVENE REGIONAL PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING

1. APPROVAL OF MAY 6, 2011, MEETING MINUTES

The RPC is requested to review and approve the minutes from the May 6, 2011, meeting.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS/MEMBER COMMENTS

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**REPORTS (3)**

1. **2010 CENSUS (Beth Jarosz and Kristen Rohanna)**

   A presentation on the 2010 Census will be provided, highlighting general trends, and providing an opportunity for questions and answers by Committee members.

2. **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

   The next meeting of the RPC is scheduled for Friday, September 2, 2011. (Note: the August 5, 2011, RPC meeting is cancelled.)

3. **ADJOURNMENT**

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