



Freight Stakeholders Working Group Agenda

Wednesday, March 23, 2022

1 p.m.

****Teleconference Meeting****

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We are committed to creating a San Diego region where every person who visits, works, and lives can thrive.



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Item No.		Action
1.	Welcome and Introductions	
+2.	Approval of Meeting Minutes The Freight Stakeholders Working Group (FSWG) is asked to review and approve the minutes from its July 28, 2021, meeting.	Approve
3.	Public Comments/Communications/Member Comments Public comments under this agenda item will be limited to five public speakers. Members of the public shall have the opportunity to address the FSWG on any issue within the jurisdiction of the FSWG that is not on this agenda. Public speakers are limited to three minutes or less per person. FSWG members also may provide information and announcements under this agenda item. If the number of public comments under this agenda item exceeds five, additional public comments will be taken at the end of the agenda. Subjects of previous agenda items may not again be addressed under public comment.	
Reports		
4.	Upcoming Federal and State Freight Funding Opportunities <i>Keri Robinson, SANDAG</i> Staff will present an overview of the upcoming federal and state freight funding opportunities.	Information
5.	Port of San Diego's Maritime Clean Air Strategy Overview <i>Larry Hofreiter, Port of San Diego</i> The Maritime Clean Air Strategy (MCAS) identifies a vision centered on health equity, with ambitious goals for 2026 and 2030 that will contribute to improved air quality. The MCAS establishes specific, near-term emissions reduction goals and objectives, including the preparation of a Zero-Emission Heavy-Duty Truck Transition Plan, to be accomplished within the next five-year period. Staff will present an overview of the MCAS and the Truck Transition Plan.	Information
6.	Critical Urban and Rural Freight Corridors Overview <i>Tim Garrett and Mariela Rodriguez, SANDAG</i> Critical Urban and Rural Freight Corridors (CUFC/CRFC) provide critical connectivity to the National Highway Freight Network. SANDAG staff will present the CUFC/CRFC nominations.	Information

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| 7. | Senate Bill 671 Clean Freight Corridor Efficiency Assessment Overview
<i>Jeff Hoyos and Tim Garrett, SANDAG</i>
Senate Bill 671 asks the California Transportation Commission (CTC) to develop a Clean Freight Corridor Efficiency Assessment, focusing on developing freight corridors that would be priority candidates for deploying medium/heavy-duty zero-emission trucks. Staff will provide an update on the progress and the CTC's request for information from state freight stakeholders. | Information |
| 8. | San Diego and Imperial Counties Sustainable Freight Implementation Strategy Overview
<i>Mariela Rodriguez, SANDAG</i>
Staff will present an overview of the San Diego and Imperial Counties Sustainable Freight Implementation Strategy, which will develop an implementation plan for actions that can be taken regionally to meet climate, air quality, and public health goals through the deployment of innovative and multimodal technologies, projects, programs, policies, and funding schemes. | Information |
| 9. | Workshop and Training Opportunities
<i>Tim Garrett, SANDAG</i>
Open discussion for freight stakeholders to share upcoming workshop and training opportunities related to freight operations and planning. | Information |
| 10. | Freight Stakeholders Agency Updates
Open discussion for freight stakeholders to update on issues of interest to the FSWG. | Information |
| 11. | Upcoming Meetings
The next FSWG meeting is tentatively scheduled for June 2022. | |
| 12. | Adjournment | |

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Action: **Approve**

July 28, 2021, Meeting Minutes

Senior Regional Planner Keri Robinson (SANDAG) called the meeting of the Freight Stakeholders Working Group (FSWG) to order at 1:01 p.m.

1. Welcome and Introductions

Keri Robinson welcomed participants and skipped introductions. The attendance sheets for this meeting are included.

2. Approval of Meeting Minutes (Approve)

Action: Upon a motion by Ty Manzo (Sutra Research) and a second by Linda Greenberg (Lee & Associates), the FSWG approved the minutes from its June 16, 2021, meeting.

3. Public Comments/Communications/Member Comments

Associate Regional Planner Jeff Hoyos (SANDAG) reported on SANDAG receiving a Notice of Proposed Award from the California Energy Commission to develop a blueprint for zero-emission medium- and heavy-duty vehicles in the San Diego region.

Reports

4. 2021 Freight Gateway Study Update – Freight Trends and Issues Regarding Policy Constraints, Market Conditions, and Regulation (Discussion)

Ty Manzo, Jolene Hayes (Fehr & Peers), and Keri Robinson presented an overview of the Freight Trends chapter of the 2021 Freight Gateway Study Update. Presentations included case studies on Near-Zero and Zero-Emission Technologies, Urban Freight and Last Mile Delivery, and E-Commerce in El Centro and Imperial Valley. Additional discussion concerned freight policy, market, and regulatory issues at the international and regional levels, with feedback collected on a MURAL board.

5. Freight Stakeholders Agency Updates (Information)

No agency updates were provided.

6. Upcoming Meetings

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7. Adjournment

Keri Robinson adjourned the meeting at 3:05 p.m.

Confirmed Attendance at SANDAG Freight Stakeholders Working Group Meeting

July 28, 2021

Jurisdiction	Name	Attended	Comments
Caltrans	Barby Valentine	Yes	N/A
	Beth Landrum	Yes	N/A
	Jeff Morneau	Yes	N/A
	Jose Marquez	Yes	N/A
City of Chula Vista	Frank Rivera	Yes	N/A
Federal Highway Administration	Michael Morris	Yes	N/A
Imperial County Transportation Commission	Virginia Mendoza	Yes	N/A
Naval Base San Diego	Ya-chi Huang	Yes	N/A
Port of San Diego	Aimee Heim	Yes	N/A
	Laura Wagner	Yes	N/A
	Stephen Shafer	Yes	N/A
San Diego Air Pollution Control District	Nick Cormier	Yes	N/A
San Diego County Regional Airport Authority	Brett Caldwell	Yes	N/A
San Diego Port Tenants Association	Sharon Cloward	Yes	N/A
Southern California Association of Governments	Scott Strolecki	Yes	N/A

Other Attendees

Eric Louis Sauer, Caltrux	Alejandra Mier y Teran, Otay Mesa Chamber of Commerce
Nick Chiappe, Caltrux	Ty Manzo, Sutra
Jolene Hayes, Fehr & Peers	
Seth Contreras, Fehr & Peers	
Linda Greenberg, Lee & Associates	

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