

Memorandum

To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS

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Information Item

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Subject: **STATUS OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT AWARD FOR TRAFFIC CONGESTION RELIEF PROGRAM PROJECTS, PER RESOLUTION G-06-08**

SUMMARY:

The California Department of Transportation (Department) is presenting this item for information on the status of the Traffic Congestion Relief Program (TCRP) projects voted in Fiscal Year (FY) 2006-07.

To date, 41 TCRP projects totaling \$441,989,000 have been voted in FY 2006-07 and 13 TCRP projects totaling \$92,055,000 have been voted in FY 2007-08. This total does not include reimbursement of Letters of No Prejudice. Funding was de-allocated from one project due to the agency's inability to award a contract and from two other projects due to project savings. Of the projects voted from July 2006 through April 2007, three remain to be awarded. The status of the projects not yet awarded is reflected in the table on the following page.

The 18 projects voted in June and July 2007 will be included in future reports.

BACKGROUND:

At its June 8, 2006 meeting, the California Transportation Commission (Commission) adopted Resolution G-06-08, which requires projects to be ready to proceed to construction within six months of an allocation of funds. The policy also requires that projects not awarded within four months of allocation be reported to the Commission.

It has been determined that the Commission requirements apply to TCRP projects.

Projects Voted Not Awarded After Four Months:

TCRP Project Number	Project Description	Agency	Alloc. Date	Award Deadline	Allocation Amount (x \$1,000)	Project Status
141	Union City Intermodal Station.	City of Union City	11/9/06	11/30/07	\$1,880	Bids were opened July 31, 2007. Union City is requesting a STIP allocation at the September 5, 2007 CTC meeting and will award the contract once that allocation is made.
32.4	North Coast Railroad; upgrade rail line to Class 2 or 3 standards.	North Coast Railroad Authority	3/15/07	9/30/07	\$690	Emergency permit has been received from the Coastal Commission. Project has been advertised and bids will be opened September 7, 2007. The project will be awarded by September 30, 2007.
32.9	North Coast Railroad; long term stabilization.	North Coast Railroad Authority	4/26/07	10/31/07	\$7,495	Project will be advertised the first week of September 2007.
Total					\$10,065	