

# Regional Planning Agency Transportation Policy Committee

**PURPOSE:** To: (1) recommend approval of a twenty-year comprehensive, performance based, multimodal and coordinated regional transportation plan in the county, including transportation corridors by priority and a schedule indicating the dates that construction will commence for projects contained in the plan; (2) develop the plan in cooperation with the regional public transportation authority in the county and the Department of Transportation and in consultation with the County Board of Supervisors, Indian communities and cities and town in the county; (3) submit the plan for review by the Regional Public Transportation Authority in the county, the State Board of Transportation, the County Board of Supervisors, Indian communities and cities and towns in the county at the alternatives and the final draft stages of the plan. After reviewing the plan, the Regional Public Transportation Authority in the county, the County Board of Supervisors and the State Board of Transportation, by majority vote of the members of each entity shall submit a written recommendation to the Transportation Policy Committee that the plan be approved, modified or disapproved within thirty days after receiving the plan. Indian communities and cities and town in the county may submit a written recommendation to the Transportation Policy Committee that the plan be approved, modified or disapproved within thirty days after receiving the plan; (4) consider plan modifications proposed by any of the entities as prescribed above; (5) by majority vote, approve, disapprove or further modify each proposed plan modification; (6) provide a written response to the Regional Public Transportation Authority, the State Board of Transportation, the County Board of Supervisors and the entity that submitted the proposed modification within thirty days after the vote on the proposed modification explaining the affirmation, rejection or further modification of each proposed modification; and (7) recommend the plan to the Regional Planning Agency for approval for an air quality conformity analysis.

**MEMBERSHIP:**

Other            The Chair of the Citizens Transportation Oversight Committee:  
**Mr. Rockne Arnett, East Valley Partnership**

One member who represents regionwide freight interests, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:  
**Mr. Dave Berry, Swift Trucking (1/29/2019)**

One member who represents regionwide construction interests, appointed by the President of the Senate:  
**Mr. Doug DeClusin, Sunland Asphalt**

One member who represents regionwide transit interests, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:  
**Mr. Charles Huellmantel, Huellmantel & Affiliates (1/3/2023)**

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One member who represent regionwide construction interests, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

**Ms. Karrin Kunasek Taylor, DMB Associates, Inc. (1/15/2019)**

One member who represents regionwide transit interests, appointed by the President of the Senate:

**Mr. Mark Reardon, Vulcan Materials Company**

One member of the County Board of Supervisors who is serving on the Regional Planning Agency:

**Vacant**

One member of the State Transportation Board who is serving on the Regional Planning Agency, who represents the county:

**Vacant**

One member representing Indian communities in the county, who is serving on the Regional Planning Agency:

**Vacant**

Notes: The Committee includes 13 members of the Regional Planning Agency. Members appointed by the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate serve 6-year terms.

CONTACT: Kaitlyn Neff, Senate Research Staff; Liam Maher, House Research Staff

REPORT DATE: None

EXPIRATION DATE: 07/01/2024

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