Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission
June 2, 2011 Meeting Highlights

Funding Approved for the Community Traffic Safety Coalition, the Ride ‘n Stride program, and the Bike to Work program:
The RTC approved $100,000 in Transportation Development Act funding for the Community Traffic Safety Coalition and Ride ‘n’ Stride programs and $50,000 in TDA funding for the Bike to Work program for FY 11-12. These programs promote bicycling and walking as active transportation modes, provide traffic safety education, and conduct bicycle and pedestrian trainings to school age children.

FY 11-12 Transportation Development Act (TDA) claim from the Regional Transportation Commission for administration, planning and operations approved:
The RTC approved Transportation Development Act funding for planning and administration activities, including elderly and disabled transportation, bicycle, pedestrian, and roadway planning and programs, public outreach and education efforts, development of the long-range Regional Transportation Plan, as well as state-mandated fiscal and performance audits, and unmet transit needs hearings.

Amendments to the FY 10-11 budget and work program:
The RTC approved amendments to the FY 10-11 budget to reflect additional estimated Federal Highway Administration Planning funds, redistribution of staff resources to reflect work trends, and other amendments including expanded work with AMBAG to maintain and improve the traffic demand model.

Elderly & Disabled Transportation Advisory Committee’s annual report received:
The RTC received the 2010 committee report from the chair of its Elderly & Disabled Transportation Advisory Committee. The report outlines the committee’s accomplishments as well as current and anticipated unmet transportation needs. The committee’s activities included an updated Guide to Specialized Transportation, providing input to the 2010 Regional Transportation Plan, analyzing Transportation Development Act claims, and recommending amendments to the RTC’s state and federal legislative agendas.

Upcoming RTC and Committee Meetings
Please check the RTC website [www.sccrtc.org] or call 831/460-3200 to
confirm. Most agendas posted to the website 4 business days before the meeting.

Commission Meetings
Thursday August 4, 2011, 9:00 am
Scotts Valley City Council Chambers
1 Civic Center Dr. Scotts Valley, CA

Transportation Policy Workshop (TPW)
Thursday, June 16, 2011, 9:00 am
Thursday, August 18, 2011, 9:00 am
SCCRTC Offices
1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

Budget and Administration/Personnel Committee
Thursday September 9, 2011, 3:30 pm
SCCRTC Offices
1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

Bicycle Committee
Monday, June 13, 2011, 6:30 pm – Note Special Time
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1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

Elderly/Disabled Transportation Advisory Committee
Tuesday, June 14, 2011, 1:30 pm
SCCRTC Offices
1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

Interagency Technical Advisory Committee
Thursday, June 16, 1:00 pm – Note Special Time
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1523 Pacific Ave, Santa Cruz

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