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Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (RTC)
November 17, 2011 Special Meeting Highlights

2012 Regional Transportation Improvement Program (RTIP) funds:
The RTC received information on projects proposed for $9 million in State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and $1.4 million in Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds. A public hearing will be held at the December 1, 2011 RTC meeting at the County Government Center, where the RTC will select projects to receive funds. The list of proposed projects includes auxiliary lanes on Highway 1 from Soquel Drive to 41st Avenue, modifications to the Highway1/9 intersection, bicycle and pedestrian facilities, storm damage repairs on county roads, and other local road projects.

Funding for Safety Enforcement on Highway 17:
The RTC approved continued funding for extra CHP enforcement on Highway 17. This is one of the elements of the ‘Safe on 17 Safety Corridor’ project which, with highway safety improvements made by Caltrans and continued public information, has significantly reduced injuries and fatalities on Highway 17.

Call Box Program Request for Proposals:
The RTC approved the release of a Request for Proposals (RFP) for maintenance of the call box system and accessibility retrofits for call box sites. The RFP should be released in the middle of December and proposals will be due at the end of January 2012.

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, December 1, 2011, 9:00 am
County Board of Supervisor Chambers
701 Ocean St., Santa Cruz

Transportation Policy Workshop (TPW)
Thursday, December 15, 2011, 9:00 am
SCCRTC Offices
1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

Budget and Administration/Personnel Committee
Thursday February 9, 2012, 3:30 pm
SCCRTC Offices
1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

**Bicycle Committee**
Monday, February 13, 2012, 6:30 pm
SCCRTC Offices
1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

**Elderly/Disabled Transportation Advisory Committee**
Tuesday, February 14, 2012, 1:30 pm
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1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz

**Interagency Technical Advisory Committee**
Thursday, January 19, 2012, 1:30 pm
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1523 Pacific Ave, Santa Cruz

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