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Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) February 6, 2020 Meeting Highlights

Amendment to the Measure D Expenditure Plan

The Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) adopted a resolution to initiate the first amendment to the Measure D Expenditure Plan. The amendment clarifies the inclusion of the Highway 1 auxiliary lanes and bus-on-shoulder projects as part of the Highway Corridors investment category of the Measure D Expenditure Plan. In accordance with State law, the amendment becomes effective 45 days after providing notification of the amendment to the cities and the county. <https://sccrtc.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/ExpenditurePlan-Amendment-1.pdf>

2020 Measure D – Strategic Implementation Plan (SIP)

The Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) adopted the 2020 Measure D – Strategic Implementation Plan (SIP). The SIP will serve as the guiding policy and programming document for the implementation of Regional Measure D projects. The RTC also directed staff to expedite the delivery of regional projects and to leverage Measure D funds by taking advantage of state and federal grant programs. For more information, please visit <https://sccrtc.org/funding-planning/measured/>

2045 Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Plan (RTP)

The Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) approved the draft goals, policies, and targets of the 2045 Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Plan (RTP). The document approved today represents the policy element of the plan, which guides transportation funding decisions and prioritization. Input from members of the public as well as the RTC advisory committees was solicited and incorporated into the approved draft of the goals, policies, and targets. For more information, please visit <https://sccrtc.org/funding-planning/long-range-plans/2045-regional-transportation-plan/>.

Contracts and Funding Approved

The Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) approved contracts for railroad bridge walkway and handrail repair as well as erosion control on the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line right-of-way. Work on these projects will begin soon. In addition, the RTC approved \$350,000 in Regional Surface Transportation Program Exchange funds for bicycle and pedestrian projects. The projects are designed to help increase bicycle commuting and improve safety for bicyclists and pedestrians.

Upcoming RTC and Committee Meetings:

Please check the RTC website [www.sccrtc.org] or call 831-460-3200 to confirm. Agendas are posted to the website at least 3 days before the meeting.

Regional Transportation Commission

Thursday, March 4, 2020, 9:00 a.m.
County Board of Supervisors Chambers

Bicycle Advisory Committee

Monday, February 10, 2020, 6:00 p.m.
RTC Offices
1523 Pacific Ave., Santa Cruz CA

Elderly & Disabled Transportation Advisory Committee

Tuesday, February 11, 2020, 1:30 p.m.
RTC Offices
1523 Pacific Ave., Santa Cruz, CA

Budget & Administration/Personnel Committee

Thursday, February 13, 2020, 3:00 p.m.
Redwood Room, Santa Cruz County Building
701 Ocean St., 5th floor, Santa Cruz, CA

Interagency Technical Advisory Committee

Thursday, February 20, 2020, 1:30 p.m.
RTC Offices, 1523 Pacific Ave, Santa Cruz, CA

Public input on transportation issues is welcomed and encouraged. For more information, visit the SCCRTC website at www.sccrtc.org or call 460-3200. Some Regional Transportation Commission meetings are televised countywide by Community TV of Santa Cruz. Consult www.communitytv.org or call 831-425-8848 for schedule and station information.