



**Santa Cruz County  
Regional Transportation Commission**

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**Special Meeting**

**Draft AGENDA**

**Thursday, April 18, 2024  
9:00 a.m.**

**Location:**

Scotts Valley City Council Chambers  
1 Civic Center Drive  
Scotts Valley, CA

**Web:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87983018680>

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*The majority of the Commission constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business.*

1. Roll call
2. Consider AB2449 Emergencc Circumstances requests
3. Oral communications

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*Speakers are requested to state their name clearly so that it can be accurately recorded in the minutes of the meeting.*

4. Additions or deletions to the agenda

### **REGULAR AGENDA**

5. Coastal Rail Trail Segments 10 and 11 Project: Affirm Support in the Ultimate Trail Configuration, Seek Additional Funding, Work to Reduce Costs and Share Costs with the Rail Operators, and Acceptance and Adoption of Final Environmental Review Documents  
*(Grace Blakeslee, Senior Transportation Planne*

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6. Next meetings

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