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**NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY AND PUBLIC HEARINGS****Draft 2011 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP)**

The Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) has prepared the Draft 2011 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP) in compliance with the adopted 2008 Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) and all federal and state requirements, including those set forth in the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient, Transportation Equity Act – A Legacy for Users and metropolitan planning regulations.

On July 1, 2010, the SCAG Transportation Committee approved release of the Draft 2011 FTIP for public review and comment. The Draft 2011 FTIP is comprised of transportation projects for the six-county SCAG region: Imperial, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Ventura. The Draft 2011 FTIP consists of three (3) volumes: (I) Executive Summary, (II) Technical Appendix, and (III) Project Listing (consistent with the 2008 RTP). The Technical Appendix includes the federally required conformity analyses for the Draft 2011 FTIP.

Included in the public review and public hearings of the Draft 2011 FTIP are the Federal Program of Projects for FFY11-14 that are funded with Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5307 funds for all urbanized areas in the SCAG six-county region. The projects are listed by each respective county in Volume III of the Draft 2011 FTIP. The applicable urbanized areas are: El Centro, Los Angeles-Long Beach-Santa Ana, Lancaster-Palmdale, Santa Clarita, Mission Viejo, Hemet, Indio-Cathedral City-Palm Springs, Temecula-Murrieta, Riverside-San Bernardino, Victorville-Hesperia-Apple Valley, Camarillo, Simi Valley, Oxnard, and Thousand Oaks.

The Draft 2011 FTIP is available on the SCAG website at [www.scag.ca.gov/FTIP](http://www.scag.ca.gov/FTIP). Copies are also available for public review at SCAG's Los Angeles office and regional offices (Imperial, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Ventura) and at public libraries throughout the region (library listing available on the SCAG website). SCAG's Regional Council is tentatively scheduled to consider approval of the Final 2011 FTIP in September 2010.

SCAG will hold three (3) public hearings regarding the Draft 2011 FTIP on the following dates, times and locations:

- (1) Wednesday, July 14, 2010 @ 1:00 pm  
SCAG Los Angeles Office  
818 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St., 12<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90017
- (2) Wednesday, July 21, 2010 @ 9:00 am  
SCAG Riverside Office  
3403 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 805  
Riverside, CA 92501
- (3) Thursday, July 22, 2010 @ 7:00 pm  
SCAG Los Angeles Office  
818 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St., 12<sup>th</sup> Floor  
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The public hearings will also be available via video conference from SCAG's regional offices. Please visit our website for the public hearing procedures and video conference locations at [www.scag.ca.gov/FTIP](http://www.scag.ca.gov/FTIP)

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The purpose of the hearings is to receive public input and comments regarding the Draft 2011 FTIP, which may be used to facilitate changes where appropriate. SCAG encourages interested parties to submit written comments and/or written information prior to the public hearings. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 pm on August 2, 2010 and may be submitted electronically to [gutierre@scag.ca.gov](mailto:gutierre@scag.ca.gov), or by U.S. mail at:

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