

Memorandum

To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS

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Information Item

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Subject: **STATUS OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT AWARD FOR TRAFFIC CONGESTION RELIEF PROGRAM PROJECTS, PER RESOLUTION G-06-08**

SUMMARY:

The California Department of Transportation (Department) is presenting this item for information on the status of the Traffic Congestion Relief Program (TCRP) projects allocated in Fiscal Year (FY) 2006-07.

To date, 29 TCRP projects totaling \$346,071,000 have been voted in FY 2006-07 (this total does not include reimbursement of Letters of No Prejudice). Of the projects voted from July through December 2006, two remain to be awarded. One project was de-allocated due to the agency's inability to award a contract. The status of the projects not yet awarded is reflected in the table on the following page.

The seven projects voted in February and March 2007 will be included in future reports.

BACKGROUND:

At its June 8, 2006 meeting, the California Transportation Commission (Commission) adopted Resolution G-06-08, which requires projects to be ready to proceed to construction within six months of an allocation of funds. The policy also requires that projects not awarded within four months of allocation be reported to the Commission.

It has been determined that the Commission requirements apply to TCRP projects.

Projects Voted Not Awarded After Four Months:

TCRP Project Number	Project Description	Agency	Alloc. Date	Award Deadline	Allocation Amount (x \$1,000)	Project Status
141	Union City Intermodal Station	City of Union City	11/9/06	5/31/07	\$1,880	Bid opening is expected on April 10, 2007, with award expected by April 26, 2007. The City is concerned about possible bid protests and is requesting a "provisional" extension under Reference 2.8b.(3) for both the TCRP and STIP allocations.
95	Route 41; add auxiliary lane/operational improvements and improve ramps.	California Department of Transportation	12/14/06	6/30/07	\$8,070	Bid opening is expected on April 10, 2007, and award is expected before the deadline of June 30, 2007.
Total					\$9,950	