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Newsletter and Meeting Summary of the SANBAG Board of Directors

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MAY BOARD OF DIRECTORS AGENDA:

The complete SANBAG Board of Directors Meeting Agenda is online at:

 www.sanbag.ca.gov/about/agenda.html

► Construction Manager Chosen, Board Authorizes Invitation for Bids for Tippecanoe Interchange

The SANBAG Board of Directors approved the award of a Construction Management Services contract for Phase I of the Tippecanoe Avenue Interchange Project. The contract approval is contingent upon the completion of a pre-award audit of the proposal. In addition, the Board authorized the advertisement of an Invitation for Bids (IFB) for construction of the interchange.

In July 2011, the Board had approved a strategy of constructing the project in two phases to expedite delivery. Phase I of the project will all be within existing right-of-way, allowing the construction to begin early while elements of Phase II continue with the delivery process.

The initial phase will construct the Interstate 10 eastbound auxiliary lane for about one mile both east and west of Tippecanoe. It will also reconstruct the eastbound off-ramp and widen Timoteo Creek Bridge on I-10 in the cities of Loma Linda and San Bernardino.

The Board authorized staff to advertise an IFB for a construction contract to build Phase I of the interchange. This authorization continues to move the project forward for construction to start by late Summer/early Fall 2012.

► Board of Directors Approves Request for Proposal for Labor Compliance Monitoring Services

The Board authorized the release of a Request for Proposal for on-call Labor Compliance Monitoring. The services will be on an “as needed” basis with no guaranteed level of usage. The services will be used for labor compliance oversight, technical and audit support, as well as guidance on equal employment opportunity compliance monitoring consistent with State and Federal law. The initial term of the contract is expected to be three years.

COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS

► Joint Meeting Adopts Goals for Countywide Vision

In a joint meeting held just prior to the May 4 SANBAG Board of Directors Meeting, SANBAG and the County Board of Supervisors adopted the goals for implementing the Countywide Vision. This step allows for interaction with stakeholders, residents, and community members for achievement of the Vision.

► Dial 2-1-1 for Health and Social Services in San Bernardino

SANBAG Board heard a presentation on the services provided from 2-1-1. This toll-free service provides information and referrals for health and social services in San Bernardino County. Over the past six years, the service has received more than 300,000 calls.

JUNE 2012

BOARD OF DIRECTORS & COMMITTEE MEETINGS

JUN 6	Board of Directors	9:30 am
JUN 13	Administrative Comm.	9:00 am
JUN 15	Mountain/Desert Comm.	9:00 am
JUN 20	Plans/Programs Comm.	12:00 pm
JUN 21	Major Projects Comm.	9:00 am
JUN 21	Commuter Rail/Transit	12:00 pm

PUBLIC EVENTS CALENDAR: June

JUN 8	Gary Moon Memorial Interchange Dedication San Bernardino	10:00 am
JUN 14	SANBAG Annual General Assembly Double Tree Hotel Ontario	8:00 am - 2:00 pm



View of the Victor Valley Transit Authority 28,820 square foot administrative offices.

► Victor Valley Transit Authority Dedicates State-of-the-Art, LEED Certified Facility

On April 20th, SANBAG and officials from throughout the region joined the Victor Valley Transit Authority (VVTA) for the dedication of their new LEED Certified (Gold) facility. This state-of-the-art facility serves as both the administrative offices and maintenance facility for the entire VVTA fleet.

After twenty years of providing transit service to the people of Victor Valley, VVTA has grown from its humble beginnings in a trailer in the City of Victorville Public Works Yard to the multi-million dollar, state-of-the-art, sustainable facility located in Hesperia.



Inside the new 15,750 square foot, nine bus bay VVTA maintenance facility.

The grounds include solar paneled shade structures that can generate enough electricity to be 100% self-sufficient. In addition, among the many 'green' features are Compressed Natural Gas dispensers, water recycling rooms, a central dust control system, and a 12,000-gallon underground storage tank with computerized leak detection.

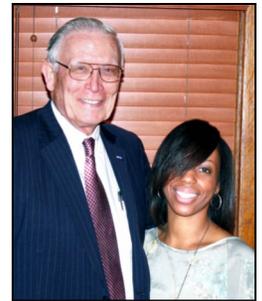
► Freeway Service Patrol Moves Forward

SANBAG Board of Directors approved a recommendation to accept State Freeway Service Patrol (FSP) funds for obligation in Fiscal Year 2011/2012. These funds must be used within three years of this obligation.

State FSP funds are allocated on an annual basis to participating agencies. The program has had great success since its launch in January 2006. Sixteen tow trucks on eight beats cover more than 64 freeway miles in San Bernardino County and have assisted more than 180,000 stranded motorists. The program is managed through SANBAG staff and is supervised by the California Highway Patrol.

► SANBAG Employee Recognized

SANBAG Board President Larry McCallon congratulated Nessa Williams on her five years of service with SANBAG. Nessa is an Administrative Assistant serving the Project Delivery Division.



Larry McCallon and Nessa Williams

► Construction Manager Approved for Rancho Road Interchange

Following a proposal process that began in March, the Board approved a contract for Construction Management, Materials Testing, Construction Surveying, and Public Outreach services for the Interstate 15/Rancho Road Interchange Project. The contract amount is approximately \$5.6 million.

The future Rancho Road Interchange will provide additional access for local traffic moving east and west near Interstate 15. It will also enhance the overall operation of the interstate by giving motorists an alternative to existing interchanges in the Hesperia area. Construction is anticipated in late 2012.

