



Subject: ROUTE 101 FREEWAY AGREEMENT

Council Agenda: 05-03-11
Item: 2.13

City Council Action Request			
Department: Transportation	CEQA: Mitigated Neg. Dec. File No. OA05-010	Coordination: PBCE, Budget Office, City Attorney's Office	CMO Approval:  Dept. Approval: /s/ Hans F. Larsen 4-11-11
RECOMMENDED ACTION:			
Approval of the Route 101 Freeway Agreement, from Route 280/680 to Yerba Buena Road, between the City of San José and the State of California.			
BASIS FOR RECOMMENDATION:			
<p>The City of San José, Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) and Caltrans are collaboratively developing highway and interchange improvements along Route 101 from Route 280/680 to Yerba Buena Road. The Route 101 corridor improvement project has been divided into two phases. The Phase I improvements include the replacement of the Tully Road bridge over Route 101, the reconfiguration of the Route 101/Tully Road interchange and the construction of an additional lane on southbound Route 101 from south of Story Road to Capitol Expressway. Construction of the Phase I project started in late 2010 and will be completed in the Spring of 2012.</p> <p>The Phase II improvements include the reconfiguration of the Route 101/Capitol Expressway interchange, the modification of the northbound collector-distributor system between Capitol Expressway and Yerba Buena Road, the addition of a southbound auxiliary lane between Capitol Expressway and Yerba Buena Road, and the modification of the southbound off ramp at Yerba Buena Road. This phase of the project is currently being designed through VTA.</p> <p><u>ANALYSIS</u></p> <p>The California Streets and Highways Code (Section 100.2) requires Caltrans to enter into an agreement with the local agency having jurisdiction over the streets affected by a freeway project. The freeway agreement documents the general alignment and configuration of the planned freeway project, as shown in Exhibit A, attached, and it identifies local streets that will be affected by the project construction.</p> <p>Currently, the City has several freeway agreements with Caltrans for specific segments of Route 101 through San José. Approval of the recommended freeway agreement will update and consolidate these agreements to address the Route 101 corridor improvements from Route 280/680 to Yerba Buena Road.</p>			
COST AND FUNDING SOURCE:			
There are no costs associated with this agreement.			
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EXHIBIT A

