

Status Report: Referrals to the Transportation, Water, and Infrastructure Committee - 2020

Submitted: May 9, 2022 TWIC Meeting

Referral	Status
1. Review legislative matters on transportation, water, and infrastructure.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewed and accepted the Capital Road Improvement and Preservation Program (CRIPP) for fiscal year 2020/2021 to 2026/2027 and directed that it be brought to the Board of Supervisors (BOS) for public hearing/approval of the CRIPP. July Reviewed and proposed revisions to the 2021 State and Federal Legislative Platforms November
2. Review applications for transportation, water and infrastructure grants to be prepared by the Public Works and Conservation and Development Departments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewed and recommended to the BOS grant applications developed by the Public Works Department under the Caltrans and MTC Active Transportation Program. June Reviewed and recommended to the BOS grant applications developed by the Public Works Department under the Caltrans and Highway Safety Improvement Program. August Received an update from DCD staff on the California Coastal Conservancy grant funded effort for the Carquinez Strait Scenic Loop Trail. October
3. Monitor the Contra Costa Transportation Authority (CCTA) including efforts to implement Measure J.	
4. Monitor EBMUD and Contra Costa Water District projects and activities.	
5. Review projects, plans and legislative matters that may affect the health of the San Francisco Bay and Delta, including but not limited to conveyance, flood control, dredging, climate change, habitat conservation, governance, water storage, development of an ordinance regarding polystyrene foam food containers, water quality, supply and reliability, consistent with the Board of Supervisors adopted Delta Water Platform.	

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6. Review and monitor the establishment of Groundwater Sustainability Agencies and Groundwater Sustainability Plans for the three medium priority groundwater basins within Contra Costa County as required by the Sustainable Groundwater Management Act.	
7. Review issues associated with County flood control facilities.	
8. Monitor creek and watershed issues and seek funding for improvement projects related to these issues.	
9. Monitor the implementation of the Integrated Pest Management (IPM) policy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Committee received a report and annual IPM report and provided feedback. February and December
10. Monitor the status of county park maintenance issues including, but not limited to, transfer of some County park maintenance responsibilities to other agencies and implementation of Measure WW grants and expenditure plan.	
11. Monitor the implementation of the County Complete Streets Policy.	
12. Monitor and report on the East Contra Costa County Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP).	
13. Monitor and report on the Underground Utilities Program.	
14. Monitor implementation of the Letter of Understanding (LOU) with PG&E for the maintenance of PG&E streetlights in Contra Costa.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Received a report regarding PG&E coordination with the Cities and County for street light maintenance, and discussed revisions to the LOU. October and December.
15. Freight transportation issues, including but not limited to potential increases in rail traffic such as that proposed by the Port of Oakland and other possible service increases, safety of freight trains, rail corridors, and trucks that transport hazardous materials, the planned truck route for North Richmond; and the deepening of the San Francisco-to-Stockton Ship Channel.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Received an update from DCD on the Northern Waterfront Short-Line Railroad Feasibility Study. November

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16. Monitor the Iron Horse Corridor Management Program.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Committee received a report on the Iron Horse Corridor Active Transportation Study providing feedback and directing staff to bring the item to the Municipal Advisory Committee and the BOS. February
17. Monitor and report on the eBART Project.	
18. Review transportation plans and services for specific populations, including but not limited to County Low Income Transportation Action Plan, Coordinated Human Services Transportation Plan for the Bay Area, Priorities for Senior Mobility, Bay Point Community Based Transportation Plan, and the Contra Costa County Accessible Transportation Strategic Plan.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Committee received a report on staff's efforts to implement SB 743 (2016) bringing the County in to compliance with new vehicle miles traveled requirements. February Approved staff engaging in the Blue Ribbon Transit Recovery Task force relative to accessible transit issues. June
19. Monitor issues of interest in the provision and enhancement of general transportation services, including but not limited to public transportation, taxicab/transportation network companies, and navigation apps.	
20. Monitor the statewide infrastructure bond programs.	
21. Monitor implementation and ensure compliance with the single-use carryout bag ban consistent with Public Resources Code, Chapter 5.3 (resulting from Senate Bill 270 [Padilla – 2014]).	
22. Monitor efforts at the State to revise school siting guidelines and statutes.	
23. Monitor issues related to docked and dockless bike share programs.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reviewed the proposed micromobility ordinance and directed it be brought to the BOS for adoption <i>after</i> CCTA's model ordinance is finalized in order to ensure consistency between the two. June
24. Monitor efforts related to water conservation including but not limited to turf conversion, graywater, and other related landscaping issues.	
25. Monitor the County's conversion to solar/distributed energy systems.	