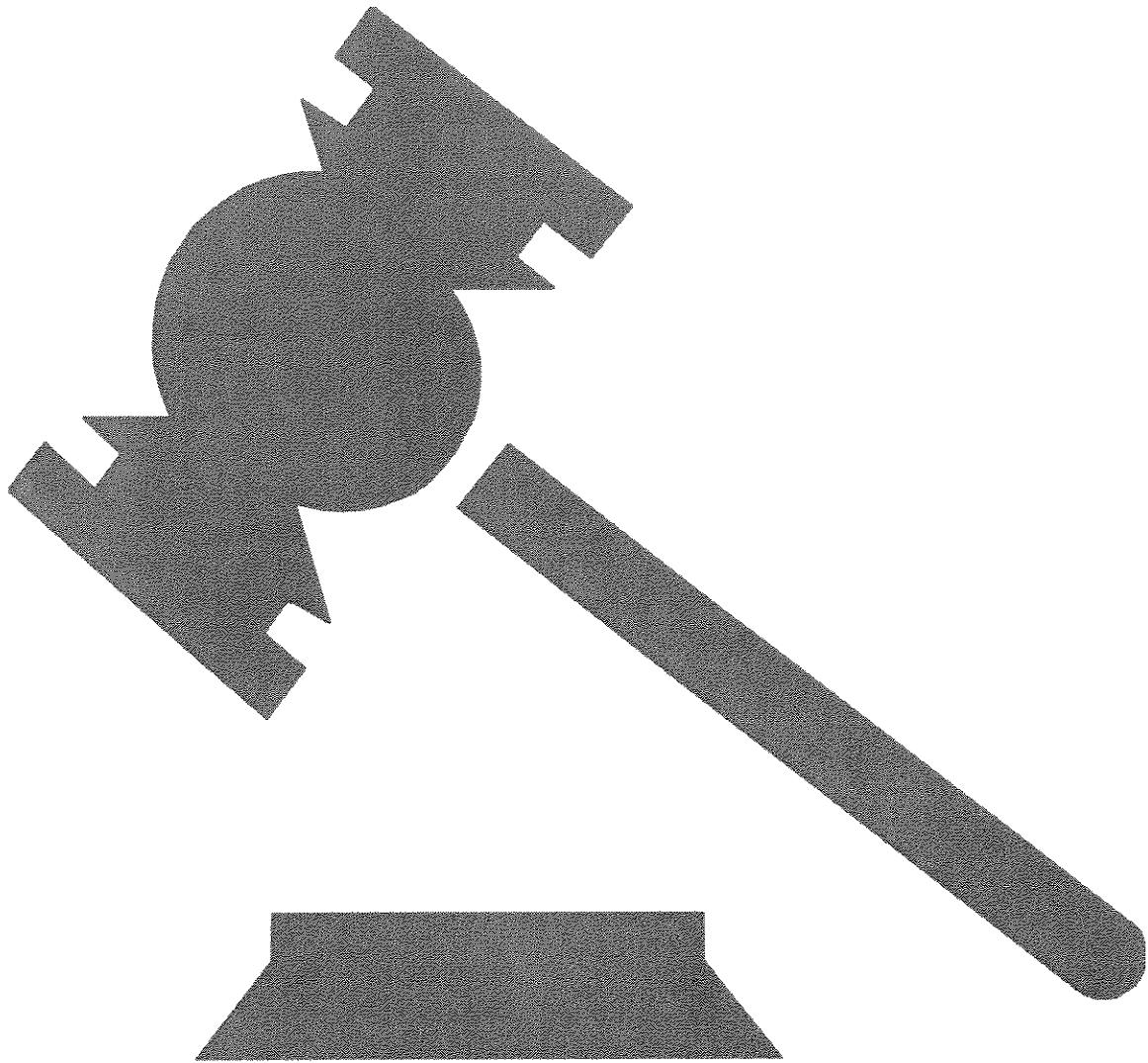




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BEFORE THE
COUNCIL OF FRESNO COUNTY GOVERNMENTS
RESOLUTION NO. 2007- 44

In the Matter of:)
)
REGIONAL BLUEPRINT)
PLANNING PROGRAM)
_____)

RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT
FOR THE CALIFORNIA
REGIONAL BLUEPRINT
PLANNING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Council of Fresno County Governments (Fresno COG) is the designated Regional Transportation Planning Agency (RTPA), the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), and the designated Council of Governments (COG) for the Fresno County Region; and

WHEREAS, Fresno COG is authorized to manage the regional blueprint planning grant and to collaborate with the stakeholders; and

WHEREAS, the California Regional Blueprint Planning Program is a voluntary, competitive grant program to conduct comprehensive scenario planning that results in consensus by regional leaders, local governments and stakeholders on a preferred growth scenario that achieves the objectives for a twenty-year planning horizon; and

WHEREAS, scenario planning enables public officials and other participants to evaluate future land use patterns and their potential impacts on the region's transportation system, housing supply, jobs-housing proximity and balance, environment, and natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the California Regional Blueprint Planning Grant Program is designed to support related statutory requirements, programs, and guidelines that address the need for integrated planning, including the Regional Transportation Plan Guidelines, the State's planning priorities, "alternative planning scenario", and the Congestion Management Program; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, Fresno COG supports third year participation in the California Regional Blueprint Planning Program as it will contribute to the vision of improved quality of life within California by addressing future growth through the integration of transportation, housing, land use, environmental resources, other infrastructure and services

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted by the Council of Fresno County Governments this 25th day of October, 2007.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

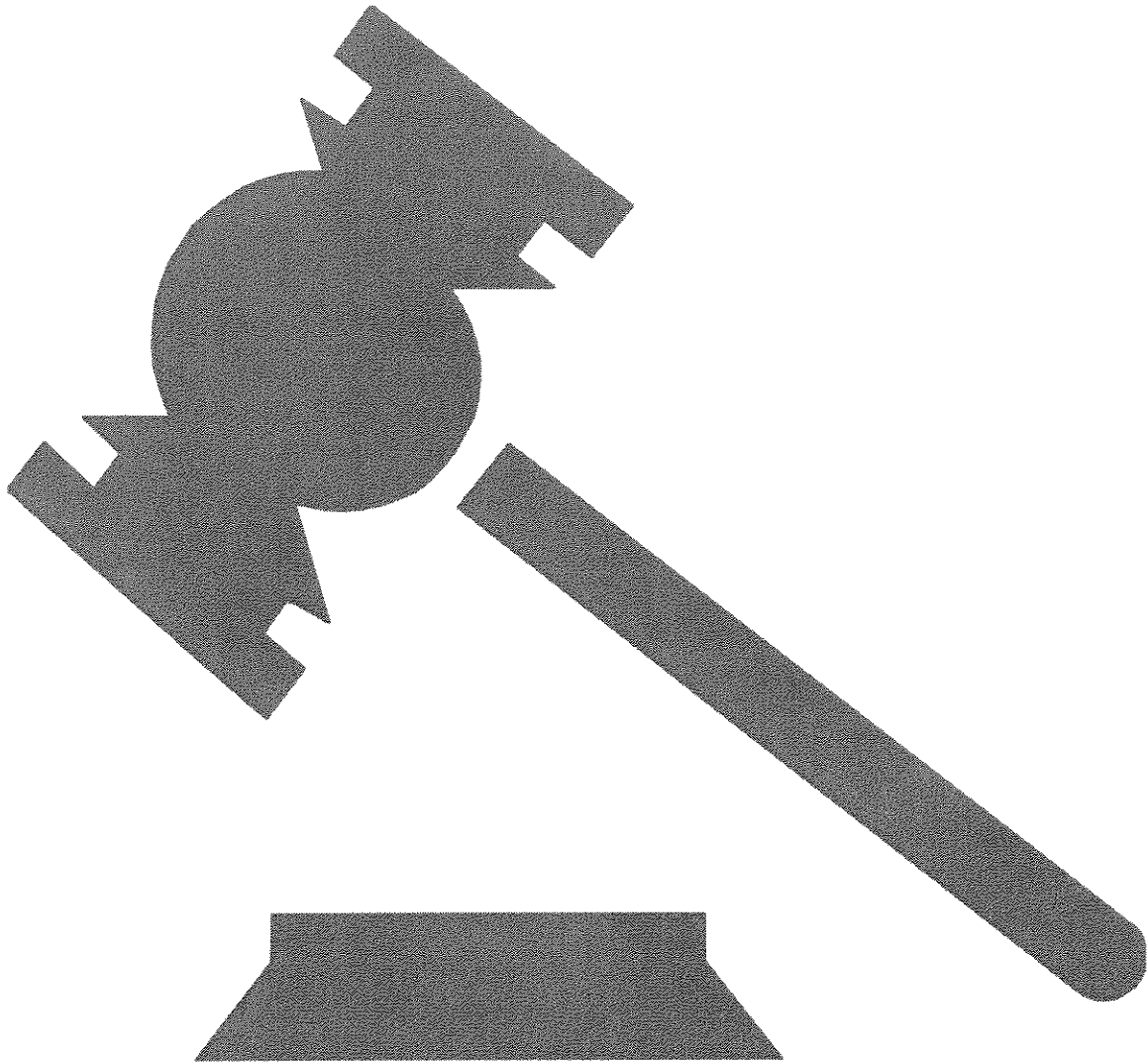
ABSENT:

ATTEST:

Signed: _____
Trinidad M. Rodriguez, Chairman

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution of the Council of Fresno County Governments duly adopted at a regular meeting thereof held on the 25th day of October, 2007.

Signed: _____
Barbara Goodwin, Executive Director



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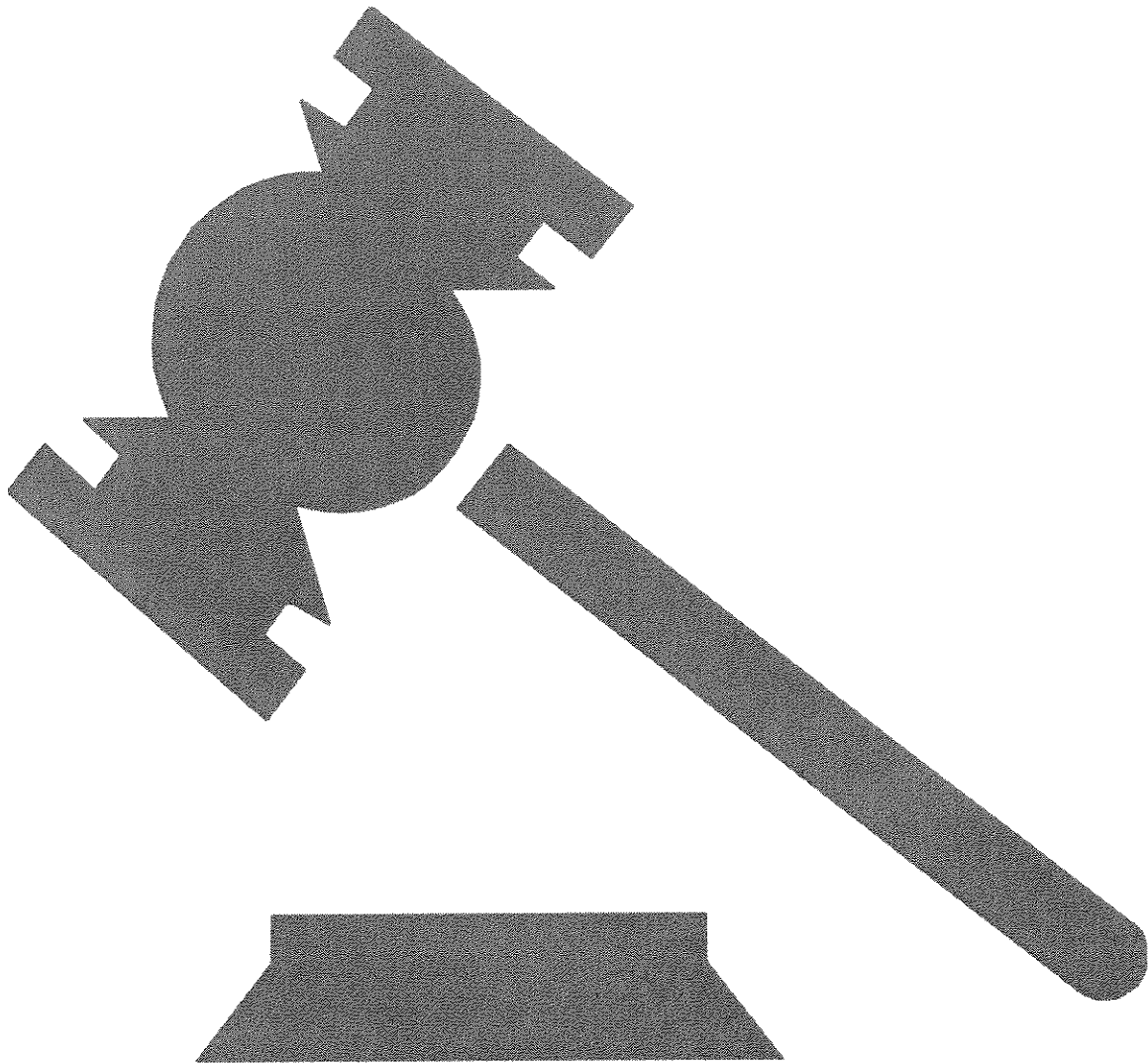
2007 Finals	Name of Project	Project Description	Project Location	Total Request	Applicant	Contact Person/Presenter	Presentation Time
✓	Golden State Corridor Ec. Dev. Infrastructure	Roadway rehab., improvements and enhancements to facilitate economic development.	G.S.Blvd. through Kingsburg, Selma, Fowler, and portions of Fresno Co.	\$3,000,000	Fresno County Public Works	Lynn Gorman, 262-4091, lgorman@co.fresno.ca.us Fowler: Randy Deaver 834-3113 Kingsburg: Don Pauley 897-5821 Selma DB Heusser 891-2200	1:10
✓	Highway 269 Bridge Project	Build a 500 foot bridge across the Arroyo Pasajero Creek	City of Huron	\$3,000,000	I-5 Business Development Corridor	Richard Fosse - 855-6850, ref12@fresno.com	1:20
✓	State Route 180 - Temperance to Academy Ave.	Completion of construction of the segment of SR 180 from Temperance to Academy	Southeast Fresno County	\$3,000,000	City of Sanger	John F. Mulligan 876-6300 X1210 - jmulligan@ci.sanger.ca.us	1:30
✓	Fresno Yosemite International Airport	Establish FYI as an international Port of Entry (POE) with the US Dept. of Homeland Security, Customs and Border Protection Agency (CBP)	Fresno Yosemite International Airport	\$0	City of Fresno - Dept. of Airports	Russell Widmar - 621-4600 - russ.widmar@fresno.gov	1:40
✓	Future of the 144th Fighter Wing, California Air National Guard	To assign F-15 aircraft to the 144th Fighter Wing to replace the F-16 dated to expire in the year 2012.	Fresno Yosemite International Airport	\$0	City of Fresno	Larry Westerlund - 621-7841 - larry.westerlund@fresno.gov	1:50
✓	Recycled Water Master Plan System - Phase C	Complete build-out of main water transmission lines. Developed in 5 phases - Total Cost - \$35M	City of Clovis	\$2,300,000 - Phase C	City of Clovis	Steven E. White, City Engineer - 324- 2355 stevenw@cityofclovis.com	2:00
	New Central Library for Fresno County	Land Acquisition for new Central Library	Arts/Culture District	\$3.0 M for land acquisition \$500,000 FY2008 \$3,000,000 FY2009 \$1,000,000 FY2010	Fresno County Library	Karen Bosch Cobb - 488-3185 karen.boschcobb@fresnolibrary.org	2:10
	Manning Avenue Bridge Rehabilitation and Reconstruction.	Manning Avenue Bridge Rehabilitation and Reconstruction.	Manning Avenue entrance to Reedley over the Kings River		City of Reedley Public Works	Rocky Rogers - 637-4200 ext. 213, rocky.rogers@reedley.com Dana Ritschel dana.ritschel@reedley.com	2:20
	Veteran's Boulevard	Diagonal connection between Herndon Ave. and Grantland in NW Fresno	NW area of City of Fresno	\$1,500,000	Building Industry Assoc./City of Fresno Public Works	Mike Prandini - 261-9344 mikep@biasjv.org Bruce Rudd 621-7770 bruce.rudd@fresno.gov	2:30

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	American Avenue Interchange	improvement of American Ave. interchange - Total cost \$32.6M	American Ave on SR99 in Fresno Co.	\$3.0 in 2008/09 for design and env. Work	Fresno County	Lynn Gorman 262-4265 lgorman@co.fresno.ca.us Bob Hull (Caltrans) 243-3443 Bob_Hull@dot.ca.gov Ron Peterson (FCTA) 453-5023	2:40
	Kearney Park Improvements	improvements at Kearney Park - Phase 1 - \$1,250,000; Phase 2 - \$1,600,000	7160 W. Kearney Blvd., Fresno	Phase 1 - \$1,250,000 Phase 2 - \$1,600,000	Fresno County Public Works	Charles Janiel - 488-3004 cjaniel@co.fresno.ca.us	2:50
	Fresno County Gang Prevention Initiative	Institute first step of countywide Gang Prevention Initiative	Southeast Fresno Co: Kingsburg, Reedley, Orange Cove, Parlier, Fowler, Sanger and Selma	\$1,107,773	Fresno County Board of Supervisors	Brandi Orth 488-1710 borth@co.fresno.ca.us /County Staff	3:00
	Center for Agriculture and Food Safety	twenty acre demonstration/research farm	Hwy 99 and Floral Avenue - Selma	\$2,400,000	Fresno County Board of Supervisors	Brandi Orth 488-1710 borth@co.fresno.ca.us /County Staff	3:10
	Air Quality Enterprise/ Empowerment Zone Designation	establishment of new designation	County of Fresno	\$0	County of Fresno - Board of Supervisors	Lynn Gorman 262-4265 lgorman@co.fresno.ca.us	3:20
	Secure Rural Schools and Communities Self Determination Act of 2000	support senate proposal for a five year extension	County of Fresno	\$0	County of Fresno - Board of Supervisors	Lynn Gorman 262-4265 lgorman@co.fresno.ca.us	3:30
	Restore Full Payments in Lieu of Taxes (PILT)	federal payments to local governments	County of Fresno	\$0	County of Fresno - Board of Supervisors	Lynn Gorman 262-4265 lgorman@co.fresno.ca.us	3:40
	Support USDA Rural Development Initiatives and Programs (Title VI in 2007 Farm Bill)	support for continuing appropriations for infrastructure and economic development	County of Fresno	\$0	County of Fresno - Board of Supervisors	Lynn Gorman 262-4265 lgorman@co.fresno.ca.us	3:50
	Transit Signal Priority Shaw Ave. Traffic Signal Coordination and Intelligent Transportation System Improvements	fund Transit Signal Priority System	various congested intersections within Fresno Clovis Metropolitan Area	\$3,500,000	City of Fresno - Dept. of Transportation/ Fresno Area Express	Kenneth Hamm kenneth.hamm@fresno.gov 621-1439	4:00
		installation of fiber optic cable	Shaw Ave. between Freeway 41 and Freeway 168	\$3,000,000	City of Fresno - Public Works	Bruce Rudd 621-7770 bruce.rudd@fresno.gov	4:10

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	Willow Avenue Corridor Improvements from Herndon Ave to Copper Ave.	Widening of Willow Ave	Northeast Fresno connecting to the City of Clovis	\$2,000,000	City of Fresno Public Works County of Fresno - Department of Community County of	Bruce Rudd 621-7770 bruce.rudd@fresno.gov	4:20
	Regional Public/Health/Safety/ Crime lab Complex	co-location of three facilities	County of Fresno	\$3,000,000	Fresno - Admin. Office/ Information Technology	Edward L. Moreno, MD; Kathleen Grassi, RD; 445-3204 Vmurray@co.fresno.ca.us	4:30
	Regional Data Interoperability Project	provide true dispatch capabilities between regional law enforcement, ambulance and fire by adding data compilation	unincorporated areas of Fresno Co. and the cities of Fresno and Clovis	\$3,500,000		Gary Osmondson 494-3255 gosmondson@co.fresno.ca.us	4:40
✓ - projects that were on 2007 priority list							



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Regional Transportation Planning Agencies
Policy Conference, originally scheduled for
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“Strengthening Our Valley Voice”

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Session Topics:

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- Transportation Sales Tax Measures
- Partnerships Outside the Valley and How They Help
- Regional Blueprint
- Transit—High Speed Rail
- State Route 99
- Goods Movement

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MEMO

Date: October 16, 2007

To: Elected Officials, COG Directors, Planners, & Interested Parties

From: Andrew T. Chesley, SJCOG Executive Director

Subject: San Joaquin Valley Regional Transportation Planning Agencies
2007 Policy Conference

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Should you have any questions, please contact Nicole Gorham of the San Joaquin Council of Governments at 209-468-3913. Thank you.