Route 180 Westside Expressway Route Adoption

Purpose and Need

The purpose of the proposed route adoption study is to provide alternative routes for future transportation projects that will improve mobility east and west through the center of Fresno County and the San Joaquin Valley, connecting the cities of Fresno, Kerman, Mendota, and Firebaugh and the unincorporated community of Rolinda. The alignment alternatives would allow future facility improvements that would provide:

- Adequate capacity for the regional movement of people and goods
- Continuity for east-west regional travel
- Improved accessibility and shorter travel times between Westside communities
- Improved safety

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