

California Transportation Conformity Working Group

Thursday, January 27, 2005

10:30 am - 3:30 pm

San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG)
401 B Street, Suite 800, San Diego, CA 92101

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AGENDA

10:30 Welcome; introductions; housekeeping; agenda review

10:40 Public Comment

10:50 FHWA Updates

- Update on Status of TEA-21 Reauthorization – Steve Luxenberg
- Transportation Conformity Checklists – Steve Luxenberg
- FHWA Guidance on CMAQ Program and Revocation of the 1-Hour Ozone Standard – Bob O’Loughlin
- Statewide FSTIP – Jean Mazur and/or Steve Luxenburg, Caltrans

11:20 US EPA Updates

- New Staff Contacts/Introductions
- Recent EPA SIP Actions (Emission budget adequacy, approvals, sanctions clocks, etc.)
- Supplemental Proposed Rule for PM2.5 Hot Spot Analyses (Conformity)
- PM2.5 Area Designations – closure and what happens next
- Conformity SIPs – Status

11:45 Lunch Break

1:00 ARB Updates

- CO Maintenance Plan – Dennis Wade and EPA
- Activity Development Updates; EMFAC next steps: Dennis Wade

1:45 Status of Transportation and Air Quality Planning in California

- Near Term Air Quality Plans (Bay Area (1 hr), Sacramento (8 hr), SJV (1 hr)) – Area Representatives
- RTP and TIP Updates and Amendments – Area Representatives
- Updated 8-hr ozone Scenarios chart – Caltrans and EPA
- 8-hour Ozone and PM2.5 ROP and Attainment Plans – Area Representatives

2:45 Information sharing

- Staff changes, meeting locations, other administrative matters
- Interesting Items from TRB Conference – Doug Eisinger

3:30 Adjournment

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The latest meeting information can be found at the Statewide Conformity Working Group web site: http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/env/air/State_CWG/CWGindex.htm

Directions to SANDAG and Call-in Locations

Main Meeting Location:

SANDAG office

401 B Street, Suite 800, San Diego, CA 92101

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