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Subject: Report on Focus Groups

During December 2007, MIG conducted four focus groups of the general public around the State to assist Caltrans with the development of a SAFETEA-LU compliant Public Participation Plan for the California Transportation Plan (CTP) and the Federal State Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP). The focus groups were intended to find out what these representatives of the public knew about the transportation planning and programming process, if they want to become involved, and if so, what are the most effective methods to use for meaningful input. We used an approach that combined questions, discussion among the group, and education.

Please find attached the final report for this effort, which is one of the three methods MIG is using in this project, along with stakeholder interviews and a web-based survey. At this point, we owe you a report on the web-based survey as well as the final report for this project.

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