

# Memorandum

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Subject: **PRESENTATION ON THE FEDERAL STATEWIDE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM**

## **BACKGROUND:**

The Federal Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (FSTIP) is a four year, statewide, intermodal program of transportation projects that is consistent with the statewide transportation plan, the regional transportation plans, and the federal transportation improvement programs (FTIPs). The FSTIP is prepared by the California Department of Transportation (Department) in cooperation with the metropolitan planning organizations (MPOs) and the regional transportation planning agencies.

The FTIPs/FSTIP contain all capital and non-capital transportation projects or identified phases of transportation projects in the State of California that are proposed for federal funding under the Federal Transit Act and Title 23 of the United States Code. In addition, all projects that are deemed regionally significant, regardless of the funding source, are included in the FSTIP. The Department has received approval of the 2009 FSTIP (Federal Fiscal Years 2008-09 to 2011-12) from the Federal Highway Administration and the Federal Transit Administration on November 17, 2008. The Department will be presenting an overview of the FSTIP/FTIP process at the January 14, 2009 Commission meeting.