

TCR Program – Application Approval Project #114 – April 1, 2002

Kern **Route 65; add four passing lanes, intersection improvement, and conduct environmental studies for ultimate widening to four lanes from Route 99 in Bakersfield to Tulare County line in Kern County.**

(\$ X 1,000)

<i>Estimated Project Cost:</i>	\$15,000	<i>TCRP Funds covered by application:</i>	\$1,674
<i>Total TCRP Funds Available:</i>	\$12,000	<i>Phases(s) covered by application:</i>	1,2
<i>Lead Agency:</i>	Kern Council of Governments	<i>Implementing Agency:</i>	Caltrans

<i>TCRP Allocations approved (as of March 1, 2002):</i>	\$376	<i>for Phase(s):</i>	1
<i>Advance approved:</i>	N/A	<i>for Phase(s):</i>	N/A

Project Summary: The overall project proposes operational enhancements including construction of two four-lane segments, intersection improvements and environmental studies for the ultimate widening to a four-lane divided highway on Route 65 from Route 99 in Bakersfield to the Tulare County line. This project will be coordinated with, and use funds from, TCRP Project #122 through cooperative funding agreements between Kern COG and Tulare CAG.

The cost identified below for Phase 1 is reflected in both applications (TCRP #114 and #122) since one environmental document will be prepared for the overall Route 65 corridor, from Route 99 in Kern County to Route 190 in Tulare County.

Cost and Schedule (\$ x 1,000)

<i>Phase</i>	<i>Scope</i>	<i>Start</i>	<i>End</i>	<i>Cost</i>
1	Environmental documents and Project Report	7/1/01	10/1/04	\$3,376
2	PS&E	1/1/03	7/1/05	\$1,298
3	Right of way acquisition and utility relocation	7/1/03	7/1/05	\$827
4	Construction	11/1/05	7/1/07	\$9,499
Total:				\$15,000

Funding Plan (\$ x 1,000)

<i>Source</i>	<i>Type</i>		<i>Phase 1</i>	<i>Phase 2</i>	<i>Phase 3</i>	<i>Phase 4</i>	<i>Total</i>
TCRP (#114)	State	Committed	\$376	\$1,298			\$1,674
		Proposed			\$827	\$9,499	\$10,326
TCRP (#122)	State	Committed	\$2,200				\$2,200
		Proposed					
STIP-RIP	State	Committed	\$800				\$800
		Proposed					
	Totals:	Committed	\$3,376	\$1,298			\$4,674
		Proposed			\$827	\$9,499	\$10,326
		Totals:	\$3,376	\$1,298	\$827	\$9,499	\$15,000

Prior TCRP Action: Original application was approved on June 6, 2001 (TA-01-09) for \$1,674,000 for Phases 1 and 2.

Status of Conditions: No conditions set.

Discussion/Issues: No issues.