

COUNCIL COMMITTEE MINUTES

Concurrent Special Committee Meetings of the Sacramento City Council, Redevelopment Agency of the City of Sacramento, Housing Authority of the City of Sacramento and the Parking Authority of the City of Sacramento.

VOTING RECORD LEGEND

MOV: MOVED	ABST: ABSTAIN
SEC: SECOND	ABS: ABSENT
M — MAYOR RUDIN	D5 — SERNA
D1 — FARGO	D6 — MUELLER
D2 — FERRIS	D7 — KASTANIS
D3 — PANE	D8 — ROBIE
D4 — CHINN	

COMMITTEE NAME: Transportation & Community Devel

MEETING DATE: May 28, 1991

MEETING TIME: 1:00

LOCATION: 915 I STREET, 2ND FLOOR, COUNCIL CHAMBER

I HEREBY CALL Special Meetings of the Sacramento City Council, Redevelopment Agency of the City of Sacramento, Housing Authority of the City of Sacramento, and Parking Authority of the City of Sacramento to be conducted concurrently with the Council committee meetings listed below, which are incorporated herein by reference. The Special Meetings are called to permit Members who are not on the listed committees to attend the meetings and participate in the discussions. In the event five (5) or more members of the City Council are present at a Committee meeting, only those items listed on the agenda can be acted on or discussed.

The meeting was called to order at 1:10 p.m. by Chair Joe Serna. Roll call was as follows:

MEMBERS PRESENT: Fargo, Kastanis, Pane, Serna

ALSO PRESENT: Council Member Robie

1. Presentation by State of California Department of Transportation on Repair of American River Bridge on I-5. Jim Nicholas, Deputy Director of CalTrans District #3, to speak.

RECOMMENDATION OF STAFF: COMMITTEE INFORMATION ONLY

COMMITTEE ACTION: RECEIVE AND FILE

REPORT(S) BACK: NONE

VOTING RECORD: CONSENSUS

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Bob Lee, Deputy Director of Public Works, introduced Jim Nicholas, Deputy Director from Cal Trans District #3. Mr. Nicholas explained how work would proceed on the repair of I-5 bridge northbound over the American River. CalTrans is working on several mitigation measures to reduce the amount of traffic going over the bridge at that time. These include:

- *park and ride lots at Arco Arena and 20-minutes shuttle buses to downtown;
- *increased traffic enforcement at key intersections and along the bike trail through contracts with California Highway Patrol and Sacramento Police Department;

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- *flashing message boards on the freeway indicating alternate routing and the availability of a highway advisory radio station specifically for this project;
- *advertising of project schedule and recommended alternative routes.

The key to the success of these measures is commuters car pooling and using buses to get downtown. Construction will not begin until after July 9th and will last for 3 months.

Committee members had several questions regarding the project. In response to Council member Robie's questions regarding working with Regional Transit, Mr. Nicholas indicated that CalTrans has talked with Regional Transit and will continue to work with them throughout the project.

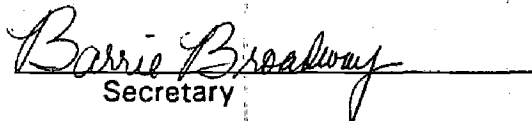
Council member Fargo encouraged CalTrans to develop bicycle commuting pools and to meet with the Richards Blvd. Business Group. Bob Lee, Deputy Director of Public Works, promised the support of the City's Bicycle Coordinator to work with CalTrans to encourage bicycle pools.

This item was for Committee information only.

The meeting adjourned at 1:35 p.m.



Chair



Secretary