

Guidelines for Countywide Transportation Plans

September 10, 2014

Background

- Government Code Section 66531
- “Primary Basis” for the RTP/SCS
- Developed with participation from the cities and transit operators
- Recommended transportation improvements for the succeeding 10- and 20-year periods

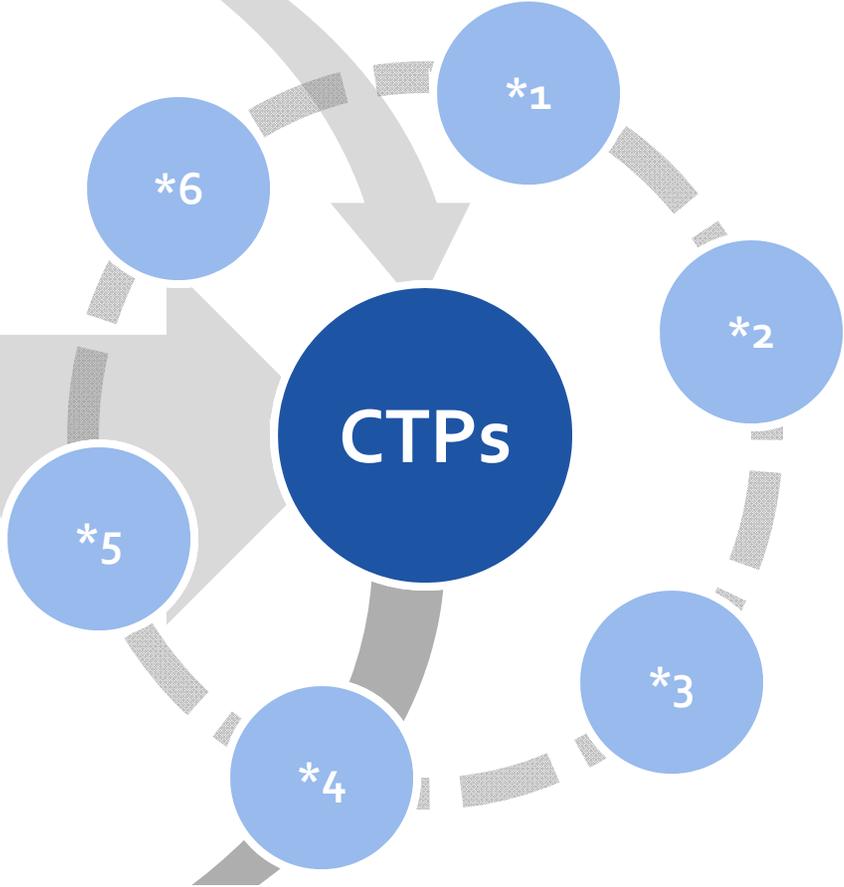
County Planning

Regional Planning

RTP/
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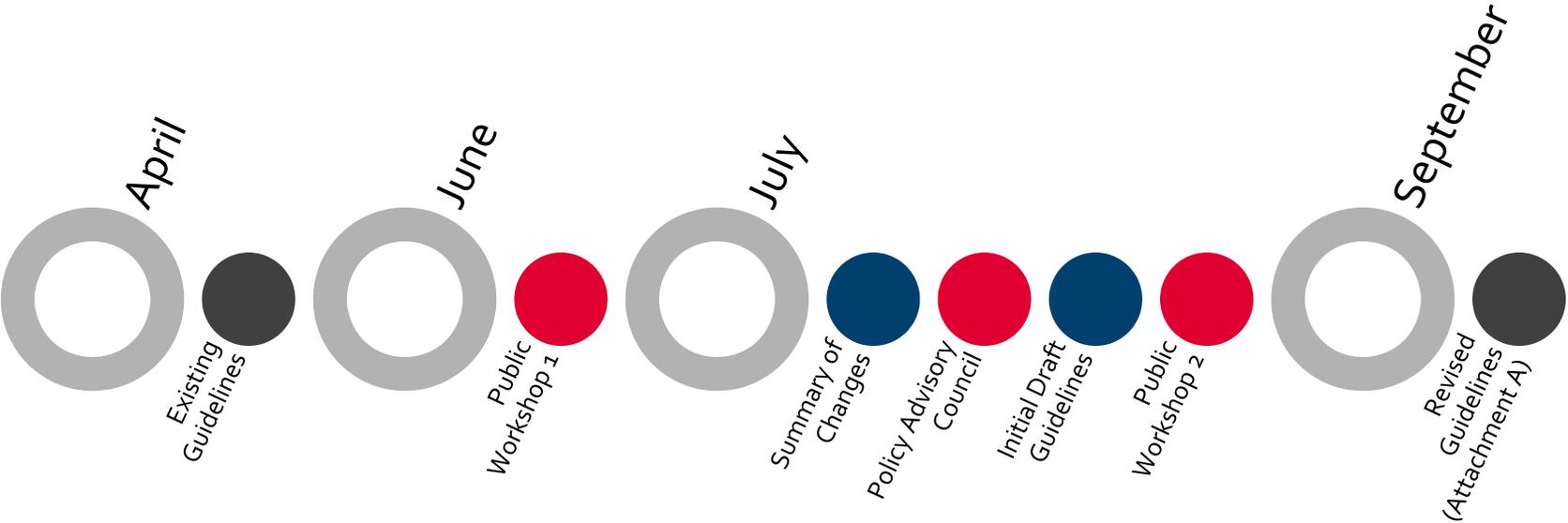


- 1. PDA Investment & Growth Strategies
- 2. Expenditure Plans
- 3. Congestion Management Programs
- 4. Active Transportation Plans
- 5. Modal Studies (Freight, Transit, Freeway / Corridor)
- 6. Community Based Plans

Intent/Purpose

- Inform the relationship between CTPs and Plan Bay Area while recognizing local needs and priorities
- Assist implementation of SB 375 and MAP-21
- Identify appropriate content to include in the development of CTPs

Update Process



- Public Engagement
- Draft Document

Divergent Themes

- Quotes from Comment letters
 - *"Consistency with Plan Bay Area's goals and performance measures"*
 - *"CTP guidelines should be based upon the principle that CTPs identify local priorities developed in a regional context"*

Updated Guidelines

- References to Plan Bay Area
- Encourages partnership with MTC
- Identifies available resources

Plan Bay Area Linkage

- Planning Context
- Performance
- Public Participation
- Outreach

Effective Date

- Effective for CTPs initiated after October 1, 2014
- Consistent with federal and state rulemaking