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Legislation Committee
February 13, 2015
Minutes

Attendance

Committee Chair Haggerty called the Legislation Committee meeting to order at 11:47 a.m. Committee members in attendance were Commissioners Aguirre, Azumbrado, Giacomini, Halsted, Mackenzie, Pierce and Spering. Also in attendance as ex-officio voting members were Commission Chair Rein Worth and Vice Chair Dave Cortese. Commissioner Bates was present as ad hoc non-voting member of the Committee.

Consent Calendar

The consent calendar was unanimously approved after a motion by Commissioner Aguirre and a second by Commissioner Spering.

FY 2015-16 State Budget

Rebecca Long, MTC staff, presented a summary of the transportation components of Governor Brown's proposed FY 2015-16 State Budget.

Assembly Bill 4 (Linder)

AB 4 would prohibit the diversion of approximately \$1 billion per year in truck weight fees from the State Highway Account to pay debt service on transportation bonds through January 1, 2020.

Commissioner Aguirre moved to support AB 4 (Linder) and to seek amendment to remove the sunset provision so the diversion ends permanently. Commissioner Halsted seconded the motion and it was unanimously moved to the Commission for approval.

Senate Bill 39 (Pavley)

SB 39 (Pavley) intends to expand the number of vehicles allowed to use high-occupancy vehicle lanes without the required number of occupants and without payment.

Commissioner Aguirre moved to oppose SB 39 (Pavley) and Commissioner Spering seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously moved to the Commission for approval.

FY 2016 Federal Budget Request and MAP 21 Reauthorization Proposal

Randy Rentschler, MTC Staff, presented an overview of the Obama Administration's FY 2016 Budget Request and a reauthorization proposal of MAP-21.

Tom Bulger's Report

The Committee received the report from Randy Rentschler.

Other Business/Public Comment/Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 11:57 a.m. The next Committee meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 13, 2015 at 9:40 a.m. in the Lawrence D. Dahms Auditorium, Joseph P. Bort MetroCenter, Oakland, California.