

DRAFT TRAFFIC RELIEF PLAN

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Riverside County Transportation Commission

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Why a Traffic Relief Plan?

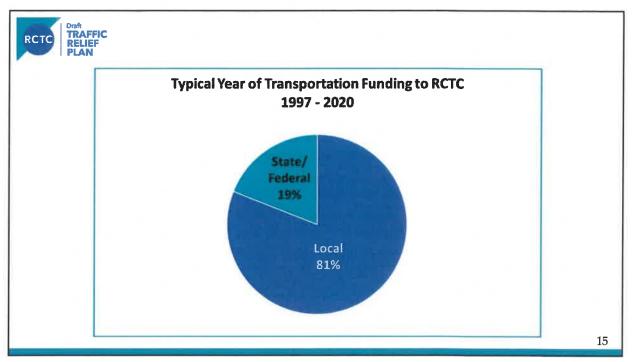
- · Connect communities
- Reduce traffic congestion
- Improve safety

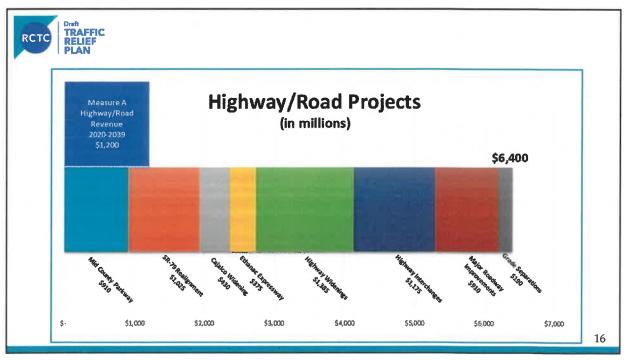


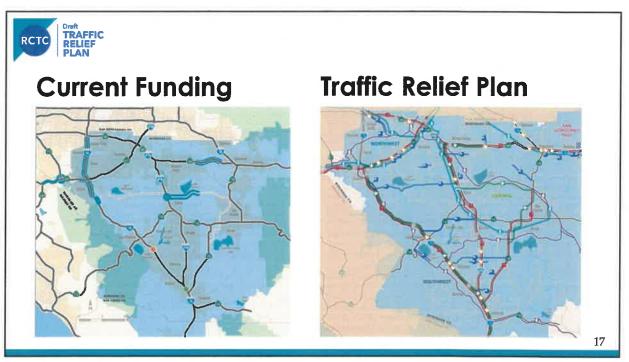
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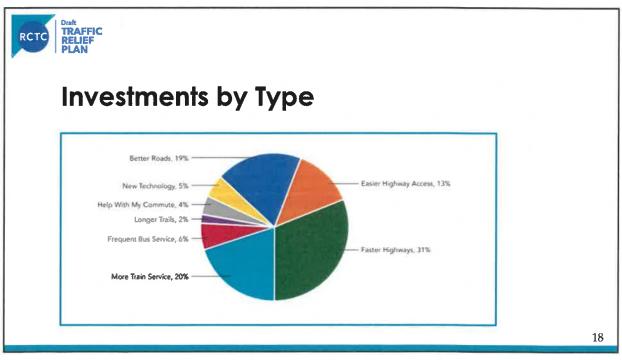
- Focus on travel within our County bring jobs home
- · Local control with a new funding source
 - State gas tax: mostly road maintenance and transit, not expansion
 - Fed sources = status quo at best
- New funding needed or projects delayed for decades

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Highlights – connecting communities

- Widen 91, I-15, I-215, 60
- Build new Mid County Parkway; new Route 79
- Construct I-10 Bypass
- Build new Ethanac Expressway
- Improve interchanges: Highland Springs, Pennsylvania, Morongo, County Line, Cherry Valley, Potrero, Harley Knox, Tyler, Adams, Etiwanda, Rubidoux, French Valley, Bundy Canyon, Baxter, Keller, Garbani

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Highlights – improving safety



- Widen/improve Cajalco Road
- Separate streets from rail tracks: San Gorgonio, Hargrave, Pennsylvania, Bellegrave, Jackson, Mary, Spruce, Tyler
- Improve major roads across Riverside County



Highlights – access for seniors, youth, low-income



- Increase Metrolink frequency
- Extend service, Perris Hemet/San Jacinto
- Build stations 91/PVL, Coachella Valley
- Improve station amenities
- Expand commuter bus service
- Implement zero-emission technology

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UCR Economic Impact Study Findings

- Revenue projection: \$8.58 billion (2020 \$)
- Covers 30 years
- Revenue supports
 \$7.69 billion in design, engineering, construction





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Economic Benefits

\$7.69 billion would:

- Generate \$10.95 billion in economic output
- Support 59,710 jobs
 - 38,040 in direct transportation infrastructure jobs
 - 21,670 in secondary jobs by businesses/workers down the supply chain
- Generate \$3.47 billion in labor income

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Estimated Impact by Selected Industry

Industry	Output (\$ Millions)	Employment	Labor Income (\$ Millions)
Highway/street construction	6,781.2	32,587	2,087.3
Engineering, related services	983.4	5,872	406.2
Machinery, equipment rental/leasing	166.2	567	33.9
Asphalt paving mixture & block manufacturing	37.8	43	6.6

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