



STAFF REPORT
Board Meeting of July 21, 2021

AGENDA ITEM: 4-C

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SUBJECT:

MCTC Submittal of Rebuilding American Infrastructure with Sustainability and Equity (RAISE) Discretionary Grant Program – San Joaquin Valley SR 99 Safety and Congestion Mitigation Project

Enclosure: No

Action: Information and Discussion Only

SUMMARY:

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) published a Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) to apply for \$1 billion in Fiscal Year (FY) 2021 discretionary grant funding through the [Rebuilding American Infrastructure with sustainability and Equity \(RAISE\) grants](#).

The Madera County Transportation Commission (MCTC) submitted a RAISE grant on July 9, 2021, to add an additional lane for a 3-mile section of southbound State Route (SR) 99 between approximately Avenue 7 and Avenue 9. MCTC is requesting \$15 million in Federal funds and the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) has committed \$15 million in State Highway and Operation and Protection Program (SHOPP) funds for rehabilitation of the two existing lanes for a six mile segment.

Information regarding the MCTC RAISE grant may be found on the [MCTC Website](#).

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact to the approved 2021-22 Overall Work Program and Budget.