



**STAFF REPORT**  
Board Meeting of February 23, 2022

**AGENDA ITEM:** 4-H

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**SUBJECT:**

Toks Omishakin appointed as Secretary of the California State Transportation Agency (CalSTA)

**Enclosure:** No

**Action:** Information and Discussion Only

**SUMMARY:**

Governor Newsom appointed California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) Director, Toks Omishakin, to serve as Secretary of the California State Transportation Agency (CalSTA).

“Director Omishakin has implemented innovative strategies to create a more equitable, world-class transportation network for all users while improving the safety and livability of neighborhoods across the state. Under his leadership, Caltrans has worked to accelerate more than 100 roadway projects during the pandemic, adjusted operations to help keep goods moving amid supply chain challenges and spearheaded the transformative Clean California program that is revitalizing public spaces across California,” said Governor Newsom. “As head of the largest and most complex transportation system in the nation, I’m confident that he’ll continue to bring his forward-thinking leadership and dedication to serving the people of California to advance our ongoing work to build safer, healthier and more sustainable communities that serve all Californians”.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

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