



## NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY & PUBLIC HEARINGS

Draft 2016-2040 Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy (2016 RTP/SCS) and Draft 2015 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP) Amendment #15-12

The Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) has prepared the Draft 2016 RTP/ SCS in compliance with applicable federal and state requirements, including those set forth in MAP-21, the Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Act, Senate Bill 375 and metropolitan planning regulations. The RTP/SCS is a long-range visioning plan that is developed and updated by SCAG every four years. The Plan balances future mobility and housing needs with economic, environmental and public health goals, while meeting greenhouse gas emission reduction targets set forth by the California Air Resources Board. The Draft 2016 RTP/SCS is officially available for public review and comment as of December 4, 2015.

Included as part of this public review of the Draft 2016 RTP/SCS is the Draft 2015 Federal Transportation Improvement Program (FTIP) Amendment #15-12. Federal requirements stipulate that the FTIP must be consistent with the new RTP. The 2015 FTIP Amendment #15-12 fulfills this requirement.

The Draft 2016 RTP/SCS is available online at <http://scagrtpscs.net>. FTIP Amendment #15-12 is available at <http://ftip.scag.ca.gov>. Copies are available for public review at SCAG’s main office in Los Angeles and its regional offices in Imperial, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino and Ventura counties as well as at public libraries throughout the region (library listing available on the SCAG website, SCAG’s main office and regional offices). SCAG’s Regional Council is scheduled to consider approval of the Final 2016 RTP/SCS and FTIP Amendment #15-12 in early April 2016.

SCAG will hold a series of public hearings regarding the Draft 2016 RTP/SCS and FTIP Amendment #15-12. The public hearings will be held concurrently at multiple locations on the following dates and times:

- Tuesday, January 12, 7:00 p.m.
- Tuesday, January 19, 10:00 a.m.
- Saturday, January 23, 10:00 a.m.

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The Regional Council consists of 86 elected officials representing 191 cities, six counties, six County Transportation Commissions, one representative from the Transportation Corridor Agencies, one Tribal Government representative and one representative for the Air Districts within Southern California.



The purpose of the hearings is to receive public input and comments regarding the Draft 2016 RTP/SCS and FTIP Amendment #15-12, which may be used to facilitate changes to the Plan and FTIP Amendment #15-12 where appropriate. SCAG encourages interested parties to submit written comments and/or written information prior to the public hearings. Written comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 1, 2016 and may be submitted using an online form at <http://scagrtpscs.net> or sending by U.S. mail to: **Southern California Association of Governments, Attention: 2016 RTP/SCS 818 West 7th Street, 12th Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90017**

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