



ORIGINAL

ORDINANCE 09-03

**AMENDING THE MEASURE J TRANSPORTATION
EXPENDITURE PLAN
TO EXPAND**

THE LIMITS OF STATE ROUTE (SR) 4 EAST WIDENING PROJECT

AN ORDINANCE amending the Measure J Transportation Expenditure Plan by expanding the limits of SR4 East widening project to include the segment from Loveridge Road to Somersville Road (Project No. 3).

WHEREAS, the Measure J Transportation Expenditure Plan provides funding for the widening of a segment of State Route 4 East from Somersville Road to SR160; and

WHEREAS, the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and the State Local Partnership Program (SLPP) contains funding in the amounts of \$32.035 million and \$5.253 million, respectively, for the widening of a segment of SR4 East from Loveridge Road to Somersville Road; and

WHEREAS, the SR4 East segment from Loveridge to Somersville widening project is ready for advertisement for construction now; and

WHEREAS, due to the unforeseen and unprecedented nature of California's financial situation, programmed STIP and SLPP funds for widening SR4 East from Loveridge Road to Somersville Road are not likely to be available for allocation by the California Transportation Commission (CTC) in the next few months; and

WHEREAS, SR4 East widening from Somersville Road to State Route 160 cannot be opened for traffic unless the segment of SR4 East between Loveridge Road and Somersville Road is widened; and

WHEREAS, in order to take advantage of the current favorable bid environment and help stimulate the state's economy, the Authority desires to accelerate the delivery of SR4 East widening from Loveridge Road to Somersville Road by swapping STIP and /or SLPP funds with an identical amount of Measure J funds programmed on SR4 East widening from Somersville

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Road to SR160;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Measure J Transportation Expenditure Plan is amended as follows:

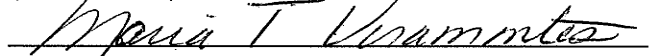
Expenditure Plan page 10, "State Route 4 East Widening" is amended to read in full as set forth in Attachment A, which Attachment is incorporated by reference and made a part of this ordinance as if fully set forth herein.

Passed by the Contra Costa Transportation Authority on July 15, 2009, to be effective on the later of the 45th day following notice to the cities and the County of this action, or, if a city or the County seek overturning this action, on the 45th day following notice by such city or the County of that determination, provided that the city or the County is unsuccessful in obtaining the necessary support to overturn this action, by the following vote:

Commissioners Abelson, Durant, Pierce, Taylor, Viramontes,
AYES: Alternates Hudson, Uilkema, and Tatzin

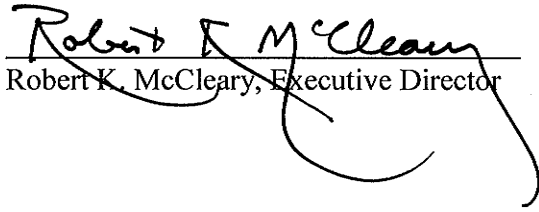
NOES: (None)

ABSENT: Commissioners Arnerich, Glover, and Kee



Maria T. Viramontes, Chair

This ORDINANCE was entered into at a meeting of the Contra Costa Transportation Authority held on July 15, 2009, in Pleasant Hill, California.

Attest: 

Robert K. McCleary, Executive Director

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ATTACHMENT A

Proposed Measure J Expenditure Plan Amendment - July 2009: State Route 4 East Widening

Expenditure Plan page 10, " State Route 4 East Widening "

Widen State Route 4 in East Contra Costa to provide four lanes (including bus/carpool lane) in each direction from Somersville Loveridge Road to State Route 160, including auxiliary lanes between interchanges. Project components will be staged to provide congestion relief as quickly as possible with available funding.