



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
AGENDA LETTER

Agenda Number:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
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Department Name: Public Works  
Department No.: 054  
For Agenda Of: May 27, 2008  
Placement: Administrative  
Estimated Tme: N/A  
Continued Item: No  
If Yes, date from:  
Vote Required: Majority

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**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Department Scott D. McGolpin, Director of Public Works, #568-3010  
Director(s)  
Contact Info: Dacé Morgan, Deputy Director Public Works, #568-3064

**SUBJECT: Transportation Development Act (TDA) Claim for FY 2008-2009; All  
Supervisorial Districts.**

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**County Counsel Concurrence**

As to form: Yes

**Auditor-Controller Concurrence.**

As to form: Yes

**Other Concurrence:** N/A

As to form:

**Recommended Actions:**

Adopt the attached Resolution authorizing the filing of a \$1,412,433 claim with the Santa Barbara County Association of Governments (SBCAG) for an allocation of Transportation Development Act funds for fiscal year 2008/2009.

**Summary Text:**

The funding the County receives through the Transportation Development Act is, in part, apportioned by your Board (through adoption of this resolution) to the Cities of Santa Maria, Lompoc and Solvang. These cities in turn use the County's money and their own, to support the activities of Santa Ynez Valley Transit in the Santa Ynez Valley, Santa Maria Area Transit in the Santa Maria Valley and Lompoc Transit in the Lompoc Valley. The County also partners with the Cities of Santa Maria and Lompoc on the Breeze and the Clean Air Express regional bus services.

The County directly supports the activities of the Cuyama Transit System (operated by the Cuyama Valley Recreation District) and the Los Alamos Shuttle (operated by the Santa Maria Organization of Transportation Helpers) with TDA monies. Any TDA funds the County receives that are not required to address transit needs that are not reasonable to meet in the unincorporated area can be used for streets and road purposes.

**Background:**

The Transportation Development Act (TDA) makes funds available to Santa Barbara County for transit, paratransit, transportation planning, pedestrian and bike facilities, and street and road purposes. Each year SBCAG makes an allocation of TDA funding to eligible agencies, and each agency is required to authorize a position to execute and file the claims with SBCAG. The attached resolution designates the Public Works Director as the County’s authorized position for this purpose.

**Fiscal and Facilities Impacts:**

The County will pay \$1,412,433 to help fund transit in Santa Maria (\$899,587), Lompoc (\$437,846) and the Santa Ynez Valley (\$75,000). In addition, SBCAG will retain \$49,704 for regional transportation planning, and allocate \$655,853 to the County Road Fund 0015/Revenue Account 3092 and \$409,962 to the County Transit Fund 1935/Revenue Account 3092.

**Fiscal Analysis:**

<u>Funding Sources</u>	<u>Current FY Cost:</u>	<u>Annualized On-going Cost:</u>	<u>Total One-Time Project Cost</u>
General Fund			
State			
Federal			
Fees			
Other:			
Total		\$ -	

**Staffing Impacts:**

**Legal Positions:**

**FTEs:**

**Special Instructions:** Please provide two (2) copies of the minute order/executed document for pick up to the attention of Kathleen Dowd, Public Works Traffic Engineering Section.

**Attachments:** #1 TDA Resolution, #2 TDA Claim: Documents A, C-1 and C-2

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