Bay Area Toll Authority Oversight Committee

July 10, 2024 Agenda Item 6a-24-0711

Information – Toll Bridge Allision and Fender Update

Subject:

Update on toll bridge allision prevention and mitigation measures and fender systems.

Background:

On March 26, 2014, the container ship MV Dali struck the Francis Scott Key Bridge in Baltimore, Maryland resulting in the collapse of the bridge. While that incident is still under investigation, BATA and Caltrans received several media and stakeholder inquires on allision prevention and mitigation measures and fender systems on the Bay Area toll bridges.

BATA and Caltrans staff will provide an update to the Committee on the ship allision mitigation practices in the San Francisco Bay, navigational aids and fender systems on the bridges, and incident response.

Issues:

None identified.

Recommendations:

None. Information Only.

Attachments:

Presentation

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