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ABSTRACT

Resolution No. 4204, Revised

This resolution adopts the goals and performance targets for Plan Bay Area 2040.

This resolution was amended on November 18, 2015 to reflect the selection of the four remaining performance targets for Plan Bay Area 2040, previously included as placeholders in September 2015.

Further discussion of this action is contained in the MTC Executive Director's Memoranda to the Planning Committee dated September 4, 2015 and November 6, 2015 and to the Commission dated September 16, 2015.

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Re: Adoption of Goals and Performance Targets for Plan Bay Area 2040

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 4204

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area pursuant to Government Code Sections 66500 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, SB 375, Chapter 728, Statutes of 2008, amended Sections 65080, 65400, 65583, 65584.01, 65584.02, 65584.04, 65587, and 65588 of, and added Sections 14522.1, 14522.2, and 65080.01 to, the Government Code, and amended Section 21061.3 of, to add Section 21159.28 to, and to add Chapter 4.2 (commencing with Section 21155) to Division 13 of, the Public Resources Code, relating to environmental quality; and

WHEREAS, SB 375 requires MTC and Association of Bay Area Governments (“ABAG”) to adopt a Sustainable Communities Strategy (SCS), referred to as Plan Bay Area 2040 (“the Plan”); and

WHEREAS, SB 375 specifies how MTC and the ABAG are to collaborate in the preparation of the Plan; and

WHEREAS, MTC and ABAG may elect to set performance targets for the purpose of evaluating land use and transportation scenarios to help inform selection of a draft and final Plan; and

WHEREAS, goals and performance targets adopted by MTC and ABAG will be applied in the planning process at the regional level and do not constitute standards, policies or restrictions that apply to decisions under the jurisdiction of local governments; and

WHEREAS, MTC and ABAG have solicited extensive input from local governments, partner transportation agencies, the MTC Policy Advisory Council, the Regional Equity Working Group, and other regional stakeholders on goals and performance targets; and

WHEREAS, Attachment A to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists a set of goals and performance targets representing environmental, economic and equity outcomes MTC and ABAG hope to achieve through the Plan; and

WHEREAS, the goals and performance targets in Attachment A provide a framework for both quantitative and qualitative assessment of potential transportation projects to inform decisions about the projects to be included in the financially constrained element of the Plan; and

WHEREAS, MTC and ABAG will periodically measure progress toward the performance targets in order to assess the impacts of regional and local policies and investments, modify or adjust programs or policies, modify or adjust performance targets, or inform development of future Plan updates, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, MTC adopts the goals and performance targets set forth in Attachment A.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

David Cortese, Chair

The above resolution was entered into by the
Metropolitan Transportation Commission
at a regular meeting of the Commission held in
Oakland, California, on September 23, 2015.

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Goals and Performance Targets for Plan Bay Area 2040

Goal	#	Performance Target
Climate Protection	1	Reduce per-capita CO ₂ emissions from cars and light-duty trucks by 15%
Adequate Housing	2	House 100% of the region's projected growth by income level without displacing current low-income residents and with no increase in in-commuters over the Plan baseline year*
Healthy and Safe Communities	3	Reduce adverse health impacts associated with air quality, road safety, and physical inactivity by 10%
Open Space and Agricultural Preservation	4	Direct all non-agricultural development within the urban footprint (existing urban development and UGBs)
Equitable Access	5	Decrease the share of lower-income residents' household income consumed by transportation and housing by 10%
	6	Increase the share of affordable housing in PDAs, TPAs, or high-opportunity areas by 15%
	7	Reduce the share of low- and moderate-income renter households in PDAs, TPAs, or high-opportunity areas that are at an increased risk of displacement to 0%
Economic Vitality	8	Increase by 20% the share of jobs accessible within 30 minutes by auto or within 45 minutes by transit in congested conditions
	9	Increase by 35%** the number of jobs in predominantly middle-wage industries
	10	Reduce per-capita delay on the Regional Freight Network by 20%
Transportation System Effectiveness	11	Increase non-auto mode share by 10%
	12	Reduce vehicle operating and maintenance costs due to pavement conditions by 100%
	13	Reduce per-rider transit delay due to aged infrastructure by 100%

* = The Adequate Housing target relates to the Regional Housing Control Total per the settlement agreement signed with the Building Industry Association (BIA), which increases the housing forecast by the housing equivalent to in-commute growth.

** = The numeric target for #9 will be revised later based on the final ABAG forecast for overall job growth.