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Commissioners,

I, Pradeep Gupta, support the merger of Policy Advisory Council and ABAG's Regional Planning Committee. It so happens that I have had personal experience as a member of both committees, On RPC, I served as its Chair when I was an ABAG Executive Board member, and recently I was appointed to the Policy Advisory Council as one of the San Mateo County representative.

Based on my limited experience, I concur with the Staff that the proposed merger would enhance policy coordination between MTC and ABAG as well as make the deliberations at the integrated agency more holistic and efficient.

I urge you to approve the Staff proposal.

Best regards,

Pradeep Gupta