

Transportation Town Hall
REVISED Agenda
September 19 and 20, Salinas Valley

Day 1: Wednesday, September 19, Gonzales

1:00 pm – 3:30 pm: Meeting Gonzales City Hall, 117 Fourth Street

- Welcome
 - Maura Twomey, Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments (AMBAG)
 - Debbie Hale, Transportation Agency for Monterey County (TAMC)
- Introduction of Commissioners – California Transportation Commission Chair Fran Inman
- City of Gonzales overview – Mayor Maria Orozco and City Manager Rene Mendez
- Agricultural goods movement in the Salinas Valley
 - Henry Gonzales – Monterey County Agricultural Commissioner
 - Norm Groot – CEO, Monterey County Farm Bureau
 - Kim Stemler – Executive Director, Monterey County Vintners and Growers
- Monterey County Transportation
 - Overview: Debbie Hale, TAMC Executive Director
 - Innovations: Rich Deal, TAMC Principal Engineer
- 2:20 pm Break
- Transit Service in the Valley
 - Monterey Salinas Transit services - Carl Sedoryk, CEO & General Manager
 - Regional Rural Transit Task Force - Heather Adamson, Director of Planning, AMBAG
- North-South Freight Corridor
 - US 101 corridor overview - Tim Gubbins, Caltrans District 5 Director
 - Central Coast Coalition –SB 1-funded projects - Marjie Kirn, Central Coast Coalition, Chair
- Discussion, Public Comment

3:30 pm - Van to Taylor Farms

Also, see Alta Street Project – first major Measure X & SB 1 local project

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm: Taylor Farms tour

5:00 pm - Reception, 4th Street Tap House, Gonzales

CTC Chair Fran Inman

AMBAG Chair Supervisor Jerry Muenzer (invited)

San Benito County Supervisor Anthony Botelho (invited)

Monterey County Supervisor Simon Salinas (invited)

Santa Cruz County Supervisor John Leopold (invited)



Day 2: Thursday, September 20, Salinas

8:30 am – meet at Embassy Suites lobby, Seaside

- Highway 218 – corridor safety study
- Highway 68 – Monterey to Salinas Scenic Highway
- Monterey-Salinas Transit Operations & Maintenance Facility
- US 101 – South of Salinas – agricultural goods movement
- Rail Extension to Salinas – Salinas Train Station update
- Salinas to Marina Multimodal Corridor – Imjin Parkway Local Partnership Program Project

11:30 am – arrive at Embassy Suites hotel