Climate Action Plan for Transportation Infrastructure (CAPTI) Update

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CAPTI Actions Update

- CAPTI update will include new actions to further implement the existing CAPTI framework.
- Spring 2024 listening session feedback was analyzed to create a short list of potential actions that were shared at September workshops for consideration by stakeholders.
- Feedback received from September workshops was used to further refine potential actions and develop detailed descriptions in preparation for the Joint CARB-CTC-HCD meeting in November.
- Updated list of draft new CAPTI actions and descriptions are now available for public comment (until December 13th) to inform final release of CAPTI update, due in early 2025.
- Draft CAPTI actions presented at Joint CTC-CARB-HCD Meeting on November 7th 2024.



Proposed Actions with CTC as Lead Implementor

- Update the Trade Corridor Enhancement Program (TCEP) guidelines to state that goods movement projects that mitigate their passenger VMT impacts are more competitive for funding.
- Update the **Solutions for Congested Corridors Program** (SCCP) guidelines to require that **all applications state that they are VMT neutral** in order to compete in the program, while continuing existing practice in guidelines to prioritize projects that reduce VMT.
- Continue strengthening existing Senate Bill 1 (SB1) program guidelines to better account for environmental justice impacts of projects.



Summary of feedback received on CTC Lead Actions at the Joint Meeting

- For SB1 guidelines generally, stakeholders urged us to leave flexibility for implementation, avoiding a one-size-fits all approach; consider geographic equity and rural competitiveness.
- For SCCP, stakeholders raised concerns regarding ability to assess or achieve project or application specific VMT neutrality in all parts of the state.
- For TCEP, stakeholders raised concerns that prioritizing projects that mitigate their passenger VMT impacts may prevent funding of important projects aimed at improving freight movement.
- Other stakeholders suggested that prioritizing projects that mitigate VMT impacts in TCEP and achieving VMT neutrality in SCCP were important and supported.



Potential solutions CalSTA plans to further explore and consider:

- For SCCP, CalSTA will consider VMT neutrality as a programmatic goal rather than a project level requirement.
- For TCEP, CalSTA will clarify that any action implementation be carried out while maintaining geographic equity and continuing to prioritize key freight benefits in project selection.



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Next Steps

- Full set of draft actions & descriptions available on CalSTA website.
- Public comment on draft actions and descriptions due by December 13th.
- Final CAPTI update will be released in early 2025.
- Please direct questions & comments to: capti@calsta.ca.gov

