

Tab 1.13 – Commission Equity Initiatives

*Final approval of the Interagency Equity Advisory Committee
Vision, Mission & Foundational Principles for Transportation Equity
October 2025*



Interagency Equity Advisory Committee: Vision, Mission and Foundational Principles for Transportation Equity



Approved by Equity Advisory Committee on September 5, 2025

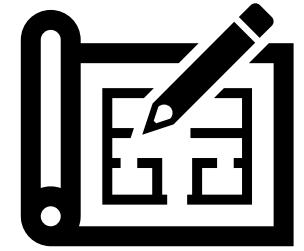


Reflects a shared purpose and will guide the Committee's work across all three agencies.



Developed through workshops, surveys, Commissioner and Committee member feedback

Development Process

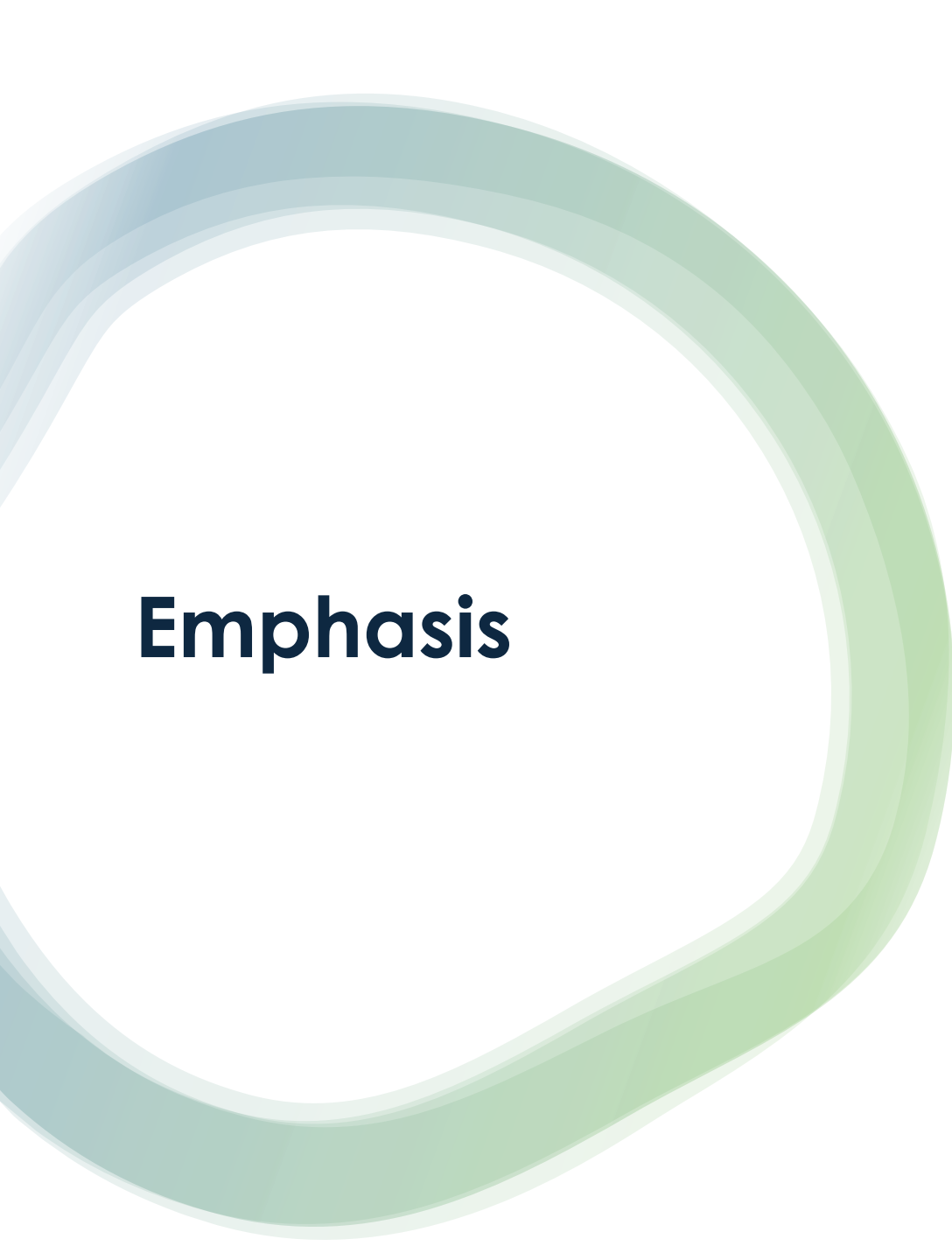


- **Led by Subject Matter Experts**

- Between April and August 2025, **Chair Armas-Kelly** and **Member Akemi-Hernandez** led the drafting process with interagency collaboration

- **Inclusive Feedback**

- Draft refined based on input from Committee members, agency leadership, and Commissioners



Emphasis

- **Safety** for all ages and abilities
- **Economic opportunity**, including local job creation with living wages
- **Disability access**
- **Rural** infrastructure
- Acknowledgment of **historical harms** and **systemic disinvestment**
- **Clean** transportation, **shared** mobility, and **responsible** resource use
- Equity in **land use, housing**, and community well-being

Recommendation

- **Approve** the Interagency Equity Advisory Committee's Vision, Mission, and Foundational Principles for Transportation Equity.



- Establishes a unified framework to guide the Committee's advisory role to the Commission, Caltrans, and CalSTA.
- Allows Committee to proceed with a clear and consistent foundation.
- Signals Commission's dedication to advancing transportation equity statewide.

Questions and Discussion