

DRAFT 2021 FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (FTIP)

PUBLIC HEARING INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Given recent public health directives limiting public gatherings due to the threat of COVID-19 and in compliance with the Governor's recent Executive Order N29-20, the meeting will be held telephonically and electronically.
- B. The Chair will begin each hearing with opening remarks regarding the purpose of the public hearings and thereafter officially open the public hearing to receive comments on the Draft 2021 FTIP
- C. If participating via Zoom or phone, during the Public Comment Period, use the "raise hand" function on your computer or *9 by phone and wait for SCAG staff to announce your name/phone number.
- D. If unable to connect by Zoom or phone and you wish to make a comment, you may submit written comments via email to: ePublicComment@scag.ca.gov Or gutierre@scag.ca.gov
- E. Public Hearing #1, Nov 17, 2020 at 10am: ZOOM INFO: [HTTPS://SCAG.ZOOM.US/J/98210332117](https://scag.zoom.us/j/98210332117)
OR DIAL BY YOUR LOCATION: +1 669 900 6833 US TOLL (WEST COAST) +1 346 248 7799 US TOLL (EAST COAST) MEETING ID: 982 1033 2117
- F. Public Hearing #2, Dec 2, 2020 at 3pm: ZOOM INFO: [HTTPS://SCAG.ZOOM.US/J/96169275448](https://scag.zoom.us/j/96169275448)
OR DIAL BY YOUR LOCATION: +1 669 900 6833 US TOLL (WEST COAST) +1 253 215 8782 US TOLL (EAST COAST) MEETING ID: 961 6927 5448
- G. During the Public Comment Period, if you joined by phone press *9 to add yourself to the queue and wait for SCAG staff to announce your name/phone number. SCAG staff will unmute your line when it is your turn to speak. Limit oral comments to 3 minutes. Designated representatives of groups will have five (5) minutes to speak. Once all speakers have presented, speakers may request an additional three (3) minutes to make further comments.
- H. The Chair presiding over the hearing shall have discretion in limiting or extending testimony by any person.
- I. Interested persons will be called to speak in the order in which they have registered. Individuals may register to speak in advance by calling or emailing Pablo Gutierrez at (213) 236-1929 or gutierre@scag.ca.gov
- J. When all interested speakers have had an opportunity to provide comments, the Chair will officially close the public hearing.
- K. Please visit our website for the public hearing procedures and video conference locations at <http://ftip.scag.ca.gov>.
- L. Interested persons may also submit comments for the official public hearing record in one of the following ways:

Mail: Southern California Association of Governments
ATTN: Pablo Gutierrez
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E-mail: gutierre@scag.ca.gov

- M. Comments will be accepted until 5:00 pm on Monday, December 7, 2020. During the comment period, on a weekly basis, comments received by SCAG will be posted on its website at <http://ftip.scag.ca.gov>.
- N. All comments received during the public comment period, along with responses provided by SCAG, will be documented and published in the Technical Appendixes to the Final 2021 FTIP.