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**TO:** BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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**SUBJECT:** UPDATE ON 1998 STIP AUGMENTATION STORM DAMAGE FUNDING

**ISSUE**

The MTA Board allocated \$50 million for repair and rehabilitation of local streets and roads damaged from the 1997 El Nino storms. These funds were approved with the adoption of the Regional Transportation Alternatives Analysis (RTAA).

**DISCUSSION**

Working with representatives from the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC), staff developed a formula program to disburse the funds to all Los Angeles County cities and the County. The formula was based on a 50/50 split using center lane miles and population. This storm damage policy was adopted by the MTA Board at the meeting of March, 1999.

All cities within Los Angeles County were notified of the availability of funding and each city's funding mark. A workshop was held by the Caltrans Office of Local Assistance to provide city staff with information regarding the state process.

Eligible projects included storm damage repair not covered by Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) or Emergency Relief (ER) funding and damage to local roads and streets not eligible for federal funding. The majority of Los Angeles County jurisdictions have already repaired non-federally eligible storm damage with local funding. Out of those cities applying for storm damage funding, the majority of these have submitted requests for repair and rehabilitation of local roads where pavement deterioration (alligator cracks, potholes) has been accelerated by the 1997 storms. A total of 82 projects, with an aggregate of almost 1,000 street locations countywide, were submitted to the MTA for inclusion into the STIP amendment. The list of participating cities, the allocated STIP funding and the local match are included (Attachment "A").

Of the 89 eligible jurisdictions in Los Angeles County, 82 submitted projects for inclusion into the STIP. MTA submitted the amendment to the California Transportation Commission (CTC) for approval at the September 29, 1999 CTC meeting. The normal CTC process includes project approval, a 30-day notice to

release funds, followed by the actual release of funds at the following meeting. There was no scheduled meeting for the CTC in October. MTA requested and received a waiver for the 30-day notice to release funds.

By mid-December, 55 of the 82 applicant cities submitted the required certifications and applications to draw down funds to the Caltrans District 7 Office of Local Assistance. Approximately \$41.8 million in storm damage rehabilitation projects has been claimed. The balance of the projects continue to be claimed on an on-going basis. Staff from MTA, Caltrans District 7 Office of Local Assistance, Los Angeles County Department of Public Works Programs Development Division, City Services Section, and the City of Los Angeles Department of Public Works have all been involved with assisting cities in preparing application materials and certifications.

### **NEXT STEPS**

MTA staff will continue to assist cities with the preparation of application materials and will monitor the funding draw-down and report back to the Board on funding disbursement at the February 2000 meeting.

### **ATTACHMENT**

1998 STIP Augmentation Fund Los Angeles County Storm Damage Inventory

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## Attachment "A"

### 1998 STIP Augmentation Fund Los Angeles County Storm Damage Inventory

STIP #	City	Storm Damage Mark	Local Commitment	Total Cost
2400	Agoura Hills	188,000	922,000	1,110,000
2401	Alhambra	428,000	N/A	428,000
2402	Arcadia	323,000	N/A	323,000
2403	Artesia	81,000	263,000	344,000
2404	Azusa	217,000	201,000	418,000
2405	Baldwin Park	329,000	57,000	386,000
2406	Bell	146,000	2,000	148,000
2407	Bellflower	228,000	N/A	228,000
2408	Bell Gardens	173,000	147,000	320,000
2409	Beverly Hills	215,000	N/A	215,000
2410	Burbank	559,000	112,000	671,000
2411	Calabasas	171,000	330,000	501,000
2412	Carson	494,000	217,000	711,000
2413	Cerritos	317,000	87,000	404,000
2414	Claremont	246,000	127,000	373,000
2415	Commerce	159,000	139,000	298,000
2416	Compton	468,000	32,000	500,000
2417	County of LA	6,983,000	N/A	6,983,000
2418	Covina	261,000	N/A	261,000
2419	Cudahy	83,000	59,000	142,000
2420	Culver City	265,000	263,000	528,000
2421	Diamond Bar	321,000	361,000	682,000
2422	Downey	511,000	57,000	568,000
2423	Duarte	125,000	178,000	303,000
2424	El Monte	497,000	N/A	497,000
2425	El Segundo	110,000	65,000	175,000
2426	Gardena	283,000	30,000	313,000
2427	Glendale	244,000	N/A	244,000
2428	Glendora	330,000	15,000	345,000
2429	Hawaiian Gardens	60,000	25,000	85,000
2430	Hawthorne	320,000	83,000	403,000
2431	Hermosa Beach	110,000	N/A	110,000
2432	Huntington Park	245,000	40,000	285,000
2433	Inglewood	550,000	220,000	770,000
2434	Irwindale	88,000	167,000	255,000
2435	La Canada-Flintridge	163,000	66,000	229,000
2436	La Habra Heights	119,000	222,000	341,000
2437	La Mirada	275,000	295,000	570,000
2438	La Puente	192,000	344,000	536,000
2439	Lakewood	460,000	270,000	730,000
2440	Lancaster	815,000	10,000	825,000
2441	La Verne	205,000	151,000	356,000
2442	Lawndale	131,000	46,000	177,000
2443	Lomita	93,000	N/A	93,000

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2444	Long Beach	2,206,000	150,000	2,356,000
2445	Los Angeles	18,000,000	22,000	18,022,000
2446	Lynwood	302,000	N/A	302,000
2447	Malibu	93,000	24,000	117,000
2448	Manhattan Beach	154,000	10,000	164,000
2449	Maywood	112,000	209,000	321,000
2450	Monrovia	226,000	263,000	489,000
2451	Montebello	358,000	5,000	363,000
2452	Monterey Park	313,000	22,000	533,000
2453	Norwalk	544,000	56,000	600,000
2454	Palmdale	996,000	N/A	996,000
2455	Palos Verdes Estates	150,000	85,000	235,000
2456	Paramount	238,000	122,000	360,000
2457	Pasadena	773,000	894,000	1,667,000
2458	Pico Rivera	313,000	10,000	323,000
2459	Pomona	743,000	26,000	769,000
2460	Rancho Palos Verdes	315,000	769,000	1,084,000
2461	Redondo Beach	333,000	43,000	376,000
2462	Rolling Hills Estates	59,000	201,000	260,000
2463	Rosemead	243,000	161,000	404,000
2464	San Dimas	247,000	69,000	316,000
2465	San Fernando	122,000	138,000	260,000
2466	San Gabriel	197,000	41,000	238,000
2467	San Marino	115,000	1,000	116,000
2468	Santa Clarita	717,000	448,000	1,165,000
2469	Santa Fe Springs	174,000	66,000	240,000
2470	Santa Monica	428,000	171,000	599,000
2471	Sierra Madre	79,000	79,000	158,000
2472	Signal Hill	70,000	N/A	70,000
2473	South El Monte	108,000	10,000	118,000
2474	Torrance	776,000	4,594,000	5,370,000
2475	Vernon	60,000	53,000	113,000
2476	Walnut	211,000	102,000	313,000
2477	West Covina	560,000	105,000	665,000
2478	West Hollywood	162,000	524,000	686,000
2479	Westlake Village	59,000	2,000	61,000
2480	Whittier	462,000	N/A	462,000
2481	South Gate	401,000	N/A	401,000
<b>Total</b>		<b>50,000,000</b>	<b>15,078,000</b>	<b>65,276,000</b>