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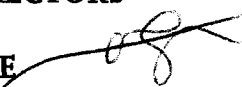
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TO: BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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SUBJECT: UPCOMING CALL FOR PROJECTS DEADLINE

ISSUE

At the January 25, 2007 meeting, the Metro Board of Directors approved the August 31, 2007 deadline to down-scope, cancel and/or keep audited savings on projects funded through the 2001 or earlier Call for Projects. All jurisdictions have been notified of the August 31, 2007 deadline. This recaps the requests received to date.

BACKGROUND

The Metro Board, at their May 3, 2006 and January 25, 2007 meetings, authorized one-time changes to Call for Projects to address funding shortfalls for locally sponsored projects previously funded through the Call for Projects and authorized August 31, 2007 as the deadline for requesting these changes, respectively. Sponsors were allowed to down-scope a project while keeping the full Metro grant amount, move funds between a sponsor's previously approved projects, and move audited savings from one Call for Project to cover cost increases for another Call for Project.

As of July 24, 2007, 10 projects from 6 sponsors have taken advantage of these opportunities. The following table lists the projects.

Sponsor	Project	Project ID	Action Taken
Agoura Hills	City of Agoura Hills Signal Synch	7058	Down-scope

Inglewood	La Cienega Street Widening	8003	Move funds to another Call project
LA City	Barham/Cahuenga Corridor Transportation Improvement Phase IV	8089	Down-scope
LA City	Bus Stop Improvements on San Fernando Road & TC Lighting	8242	Down-scope
LA City	San Fernando Road Metrolink Bikeway Phase I	2076	Down-scope
LA City	Cahuenga Blvd Widening - Magnolia Blvd to Lankershim Blvd	8048	Move funds to another Call project
LA County	Pacific Coast Highway Traffic Management System	2214	Move funds to another Call project
Palmdale	North County/Antelope Valley Traffic Forum Improvement	6281	Down-scope
South Gate	I-710/Firestone Blvd Interchange Reconstruction	6347	Down-scope
South Gate	I - 710/Firestone Blvd Northbound Off-ramp Reconstruction	4299	Move audited savings to another Call project

NEXT STEPS

Metro will continue to receive local sponsors' requests to down-scope, cancel and/or keep audited savings on projects funded through the 2001 or earlier Call for Projects until August 31, 2007. These requests will be processed and as appropriate amendments to their existing agreements executed.