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SACOG Board of Directors

April 13, 2006

Regional Goods Movement Study Phase 1 Update

Issue: This is a progress report on SACOG's phase 1 Regional Goods Movement Study.

Recommendation: Receive and file.

Committee Action/Discussion: The Transportation Committee reviewed this item. The consultant team on this project is headed by the Tioga Group with partners from Meyer, Mohaddes, Economic and Planning Systems, and Jock O'Connell. SACOG staff held a kickoff meeting for the regional goods movement study on March 17 and began to draft a plan for proceeding. One of the first tasks to be performed is the distribution of a goods movement/truck and rail issues survey to all of our member jurisdictions. The input from this survey should help to guide us in identifying issues of primary importance related to goods movement in the region. SACOG staff is relying on our member agency staffs to help assist us with this effort by ensuring the completion of these surveys.

Attached is a copy of the survey instrument sent out to the SACOG area jurisdictions. .

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SACRAMENTO AREA GOODS MOVEMENT STUDY QUESTIONNAIRE

The purpose of this questionnaire is to collect information regarding goods movement trucking and rail-related problems and issues in your jurisdiction. Your comments will be used to help develop the Sacramento Area Goods Movement Study, which is being sponsored by SACOG. Call *Rita Brohman (916-772-7976)* at *Iteris* (consultant assisting with the project) or *Jason Crow (916-340-6219)* at *SACOG* with any questions regarding the survey or study effort. **Please circulate this survey to the appropriate persons in your jurisdiction.**

JURISDICTION: _____

PLEASE LIST NAMES, TITLES AND PHONE NUMBERS OF ALL PERSONS WHO HELPED COMPLETE THE SURVEY (for follow-up questions):

Name	Title	Phone

- 1) **Rank trucking-related impacts in your jurisdiction**
(1 = no problem, 3 = moderate problem, 5 = severe problem)

Truck-Related Impact	Severity Rank				
	<i>(circle appropriate rank for each type of impact)</i>				
	(1 = no problem, 3 = moderate problem, 5 = severe problem)				
<i>Congestion Due to Trucks</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Neighborhood Intrusion by Trucks</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Truck Parking</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Truck Traffic Safety</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Street Deterioration Due to Trucks</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Hazardous Materials Hauling</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Truck Noise</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Truck Air Pollution</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Nighttime Truck Operations</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Construction Trucks</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Long Haul Trucks</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Short Haul, Local Delivery Trucks</i>	1	2	3	4	5
<i>Other</i>	1	2	3	4	5

- 2) What types of trucking-related facilities are present in your jurisdiction? Do they create problems and if so, what kind?

TRUCK TRAFFIC GENERATORS

Facility Type	Present in your jurisdiction? (Yes/No)	Creates Problems? (Yes/No)	Describe Nature of Problem
Truck Terminals			
Truck Sales/Repair			
Warehousing/Distribution			
Light Manufacturing			
Heavy Manufacturing			
Food Processing			
Agriculture			
Sand & Gravel			
Parcel Carriers (e.g., FedEx, UPS)			
Postal Service Centers			
Mail Order Businesses			
Moving and Storage			
Port or Barge Terminals			
Recycling or Scrap Operations			
Garbage Dumps or Transfers			
Utility Service Yard			
Corporation or Highway Maintenance Yards			
Major Active Construction Sites			
Nurseries			
Grain/Feed Storage/Sales			
Other _____ _____			
Other _____ _____			

3) Is your jurisdiction experiencing problems on arterial streets due to truck movements?

YES _____ NO _____ If so, please define the problems and/or attach a map.

4) Are there intersections experiencing problems related to excessive truck traffic or truck movements?

YES _____ NO _____ If yes, please define the problems:

5) Does your jurisdiction have physical roadway inadequacies that may affect truck movements? These may include: Bridges (weight limits); Overpasses (height limits); Intersections (turning radii), etc.

YES _____ NO _____ If yes, please define the types and locations of inadequacies:

6) Are there other trucking-related problems in your jurisdiction? (e.g. cut-through truck traffic in residential areas, on-street loading problems, off-street access, etc. If so, please describe:

7) Does your jurisdiction have a designated truck route system?

YES _____ NO _____ If yes, please attach a map of system.

8) Does your jurisdiction have truck-related ordinances and/or other regulations?

YES _____ NO _____ If yes, please attach a copy.

9) Are trucks prohibited on specific streets?
YES _____ NO _____ If yes, please list streets and/or attach map. Define restrictions - by hour, tonnage, # axles, etc.

10) Truck traffic counts will be taken for this study or follow on studies. Please recommend streets and specific locations in your jurisdiction that would be appropriate for truck counts. Please list locations and/or attach map.

11) Are there any residential or business groups that have been actively addressing problems relating to truck issues? YES _____ NO _____

If we may contact any of these people/groups who might provide additional information regarding truck movements or issues, please list those contacts.

12) Please attach copies of any other related data you have that will help to identify problems and issues in your jurisdiction. These may include:

- Truck traffic counts (two years old or newer)
- AADT flow map
- General Plan elements that relate to trucks
- Any other information you feel will be helpful

13) Are there any RAIL related impacts in your community such as congestion at grade crossings, grade crossing safety issues, noise or other? YES _____ NO _____

If yes, please briefly explain the rail issues/impacts:

14) Have there been any significant changes in the recent past related to goods movement impacts, or do you expect significant changes in the future based on your land use plans or other reason ?
YES_____ NO_____

If yes, please briefly explain the expected changes/impacts:

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE!

Please Email, Fax or Mail Completed Survey to:

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Please submit your responses as soon as possible