



## **Meeting of the Measure V East Side Regional Projects Committee**

### **LOCATION**

Merced Civic Center, Sam Pipes Room  
678 West 18th Street  
Merced CA

### **DATE**

Friday, October 29, 2021

### **TIME**

10:00 am

### **East Side Regional Projects Committee Members**

City of Atwater	John Cale, Mayor Pro Tem – Vice Chair
City of Livingston	Juan Aguilar, Mayor
City of Merced	Matt Serratto, Mayor
County of Merced, District 1	Rodrigo Espinoza, Supervisor
County of Merced, District 2	Josh Pedrozo, Supervisor
County of Merced, District 3	Daron McDaniel, Supervisor – Chair
County of Merced, District 4	Lloyd Pareira, Supervisor
County of Merced, District 5	Scott Silveira, Supervisor

## Welcome to the Measure V East Side Regional Projects Committee Meeting

### AGENDA

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Measure V [www.mcagov.org/MeasureV](http://www.mcagov.org/MeasureV)

Merced County Association of Governments [www.mcagov.org](http://www.mcagov.org)



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**AGENDA**

1.	Roll Call		Staff	
2.	Pledge of Allegiance		Chair or Designee	
3.	Approval of Agenda	Action		
4.	Public Comment			
5.	Minutes of October 13, 2021 Meeting	Action		p. 4
6.	Recommend a project programming schedule	Action	Stacie Guzman	p. 7
7.	Next steps	Info	Stacie Guzman	
8.	Adjourn		Chair	



**Measure V East Side Regional Projects Committee  
MINUTES**

**DATE**

**Wednesday, October 13, 2021**

The meeting of the East Side Regional Projects Committee held on Wednesday October 13, 2021 was called to order by Chair McDaniel at 2:00 p.m.

**DIRECTORS PRESENT**

Director Juan Aguilar  
Director John Cale  
Director Daron McDaniel, Chair  
Director Lloyd Pareira  
Director Scott Silveira

**MCAG STAFF**

Stacie Guzman, Executive Director  
Emily Haden, Legal Counsel  
Matt Fell, Deputy Director – Planning  
Nav Bagri, Finance Director  
Mary-Michal Rawling, Public Affairs Manager

**DIRECTORS ABSENT**

Director Rodrigo Espinoza  
Director Josh Pedrozo  
Director Matt Serratto

**GUESTS AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

Lori Waterman, City Manager, Atwater  
Michael Hayes, Atwater  
Vanessa Portillo, Interim City Manager, Livingston  
Stephanie Dietz, City Manager, Merced  
Michael Beltran, City Engineer, Merced  
Jim Brown, Chief Executive Officer, Merced County  
Marci Barrera, Assistant County Executive Officer, Merced County  
Dana Hertfelder, Director of Public Works, Merced County

**1. Roll Call and Pledge of Allegiance**

**2. Appoint Chair and Vice-Chair**

Stacie Guzman reviewed the Regional Projects Committees policies adopted by the MCAG Governing Board in August, including election of Chair and Vice-Chair to coincide with the bi-annual Implementation Plan update process.

Director Silveira nominated Daron McDaniel as Chair and John Cale as Vice Chair of the East Side Regional Projects Committee.

Seconded by Director Pareira.

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

**3. Approval of the Agenda**

Director Pareira moved to approve the agenda.

Seconded by Director Cale.

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

**4. Public Comment**

There were no public comments.

**5. Minutes of the June 26, 2019 East Side Regional Projects Committee**

Director Pareira moved to approve the minutes of the June 26, 2019 East Side Regional Projects Committee meeting.

Seconded by Director Silveira.

**MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.**

**6. Purpose and Overview**

Stacie Guzman and Matt Fell gave the report.

**7. Regional Project Expenditures**

Nav Bagri gave the report.

**8. East Side Regional Programming Capacity**

Nav Bagri and Stacie Guzman gave the report.

**9. Applications Review and Discussion**

Committee members discussed the five project applications and the available programming capacity, which is insufficient to program all requests. The committee consensus was for jurisdictions' staff to work together and with MCAG staff to develop a scenario with positive cash flow and bring it back at the next meeting for the committee to continue discussing.

**10. Next Steps**

Stacie Guzman discussed next steps for the applications review.

**11. Adjourn**

Chair McDaniel adjourned the meeting at 2:45 p.m.

**ITEM 6**

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DATE: October 25, 2021

TO: Measure V East Side Regional Projects Committee

FROM: Stacie Guzman, Executive Director

RE: Action: Recommend a project programming schedule

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**SUMMARY**

The East Side Regional Projects Committee met on October 13, 2021 to receive an update on the Implementation Plan process and began reviewing project applications for East Side funding. Direction was given to jurisdiction and MCAG staff, who worked together on a programming schedule, which is attached for the committee to review, discuss, and potentially modify or consider adopting.

**REQUESTED ACTION**

One of the following options:

1. Recommend a project programming schedule for funding to the MCAG Governing Board;  
OR
2. Take no action; continue the discussion and review of projects to the next meeting.

**BACKGROUND**

**Measure V Implementation Plan Update**

The Measure V Implementation Plan is updated every two years and this process is currently under way. The Eastside and Westside Regional Project Committees are meeting to review project applications and make recommendations to the Governing Board. Adoption of an updated Implementation Plan will follow in early 2022.

**Last meeting**

At the October 13, 2021 East Side Regional Project Committee meeting, the committee reviewed the six applications submitted for East Side funding, which are listed below. The two projects in bold are new project requests for Project Study Reports. The other three are requests for amendments:

- **Atwater – Bellevue Road Reconstruction/Realignment**
- Merced – Highway 59 Widening Phase 1
- Merced – Highway 59 Bridges Over Black Rascal Creek
- **Merced – Mission Avenue Henry Street to G Street**
- Merced County – AME, Phase 1B (Green Sands Avenue to Santa Fe Drive)

Sponsoring agencies’ staff will be available to answer questions about the project applications and the projects.

The applications are enclosed as a separate document and all of the applications are posted on the MCAG website on this page:

<https://www.mcagov.org/345/Call-For-Projects>

## **DISCUSSION**

### **Proposed Programming Schedule**

At the last meeting, the committee reviewed a programming schedule showing that the available funding capacity is insufficient to program all requests as submitted. Direction was given to jurisdiction and MCAG staff to work together on a programming schedule with positive cash flow for further consideration and discussion.

Following the meeting, staff consulted with jurisdiction staff on their requests and the details of their proposed schedules in attempt to identify potential flexibility in those schedules. Staff also updated the revenue forecast to include interest and with new information from the sales tax consultant (HdL) the base annual projection was increased with subsequent growth projections.

Attached is the result of this coordination, a proposed programming schedule for discussion, modification, and/or action. At your meeting staff will walk through this proposal, which includes programming the new projects requesting Project Study Reports (PSRs) and spreading out the funding for four projects (highlighted in yellow on the attached) to align with updated project delivery schedules and cash flow needs.

Additionally, staff proposes the following reserve be recommended on the East Side; staff is recommending this be created on both East and West sides:

#### **Contingency Reserve**

Staff recommends that a contingency reserve of 5% of actual revenue be created beginning in FY 21/22. This is permitted per the policy adopted in April 2021 by the MCAG Governing Board. The purpose of this reserve would be to help cover revenue shortfalls in years where actual funding is less than projected funding such as may occur in a recession. Note MCAG continues to use conservative projections.

Two “green line” cumulative balances are shown on the schedule, one without a contingency reserve, and one with.



The purpose of this schedule is to serve as a springboard for consideration and discussion by the committee as they continue their deliberations.

**REQUESTED ACTION**

One of the following options:

1. Recommend a project programming schedule for funding to the MCAG Governing Board, including any recommendations for set-asides and/or reserves.  
OR
2. Take no action; continue the discussion and review of projects to the next meeting.

**ATTACHMENTS**

East Side Regional Projects Proposed Programming Schedule, October 29, 2021

Measure V East Regional Projects Committee Meeting - October 29, 2021

**PROPOSED PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE - FOR DISCUSSION / ACTION**

Notes: this scenario is based on the direction provided at the October 13 meeting for follow-up work by jurisdiction and MCAG staff.

grey	projects with expenditures
green	requested funds
yellow	shifts in programmed year
blue	actuals (closeout)

Revenue	Actual 17/18 - 20/21	Actual Revenues FY 17/18 to FY 20/21				Projected Revenues FY 21/22 onward									Total
		17/18	18/19	19/20	20/21	21/22	22/23	23/24	24/25	25/26	26/27	27/28	28/29	29/30	
Total Measure V Revenue		\$20,666,382	\$19,860,159	\$19,934,147	\$23,822,070	\$20,000,000	\$20,320,000	\$20,746,720	\$21,182,401	\$21,669,596	\$22,211,336	\$22,433,450	\$22,657,784	\$22,884,362	\$278,388,408
East Side Regional Projects Fund (27% of total)		\$5,579,923	\$5,362,243	\$5,382,220	\$6,431,959	\$5,400,000	\$5,486,400	\$5,601,614	\$5,719,248	\$5,850,791	\$5,997,061	\$6,057,031	\$6,117,602	\$6,178,778	\$75,164,870
Growth from previous year			-3.9%	0.4%	19.5%	-16.0%	1.6%	2.1%	2.1%	2.3%	2.5%	1.0%	1.0%	1.0%	
Jurisdiction	Project	17/18	18/19	19/20	20/21	21/22	22/23	23/24	24/25	25/26	26/27	27/28	28/29	29/30	Total
Atwater	Winton Way		\$1,000,000	\$1,660,000											\$2,660,000
Atwater	Bellevue Road Rehab/Realign					\$200,000									\$200,000
Livingston	Hwy. 99 Winton Parkway On-Ramp		\$840,000												\$840,000
Livingston	Hammett & Campbell intersection					\$500,000	\$500,000								\$1,000,000
Livingston	Transit Center								\$1,900,000						\$1,900,000
Merced	Hwy. 59 Black Rascal Bridge				\$66,161	\$683,839	\$500,000	\$500,000		\$4,284,580					\$6,034,580
Merced	Hwy. 59 Widening, Phase 1				\$158,389	\$591,611	\$500,000	\$1,000,000		\$4,250,000					\$6,500,000
Merced	Mission Ave. Widening					\$150,000									\$150,000
County	Bradbury Rd Rehabilitation		\$8,316	\$897,856											\$906,172
County	Sandy Mush Rd Rehabilitation		\$30,210	\$2,278,409											\$2,308,619
County	AME Phase 1B				\$970,143	\$2,967,555	\$1,900,000	\$5,650,000	\$14,170,000						\$25,657,697
<b>Total Project Programming by FY</b>		<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$1,878,526</b>	<b>\$4,836,265</b>	<b>\$1,194,692</b>	<b>\$5,093,005</b>	<b>\$3,400,000</b>	<b>\$7,150,000</b>	<b>\$16,070,000</b>	<b>\$8,534,580</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$48,157,069</b>
<b>Interest Earned (Actual / Estimate)</b>			\$187,940	\$232,844	\$121,109	\$163,837	\$191,339	\$177,769	\$76,039	\$39,961	\$100,332	\$161,905	\$224,700	\$288,735	\$1,966,511
Balances by FY and Cumulative		17/18	18/19	19/20	20/21	21/22	22/23	23/24	24/25	25/26	26/27	27/28	28/29	29/30	Total
Balance by FY		\$5,579,923	\$3,671,657	\$778,799	\$5,358,376	\$470,832	\$2,277,739	(\$1,370,617)	(\$10,274,713)	(\$2,643,828)	\$6,097,392	\$6,218,937	\$6,342,302	\$6,467,513	\$28,974,312
<b>OPTION 1 - Cumulative Balance (without Contingency)</b>		<b>\$5,579,923</b>	<b>\$9,251,580</b>	<b>\$10,030,378</b>	<b>\$15,388,754</b>	<b>\$15,859,586</b>	<b>\$18,137,325</b>	<b>\$16,766,708</b>	<b>\$6,491,996</b>	<b>\$3,848,168</b>	<b>\$9,945,561</b>	<b>\$16,164,497</b>	<b>\$22,506,799</b>	<b>\$28,974,312</b>	
<b>Contingency Reserve (for revenue shortfalls)</b> 5% of actual revenue, beginning in FY 21/22						\$270,000	\$274,320	\$280,081	\$285,962	\$292,540	\$299,853	\$302,852	\$305,880	\$308,939	\$2,620,426
<b>OPTION 2 - Cumulative Balance (with Contingency)</b>						<b>\$15,589,586</b>	<b>\$17,593,005</b>	<b>\$15,942,308</b>	<b>\$5,381,633</b>	<b>\$2,445,266</b>	<b>\$8,242,805</b>	<b>\$14,158,890</b>	<b>\$20,195,312</b>	<b>\$26,353,886</b>	