



Date: November 28, 2012
To: Regional Planning Committee
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Subject: **Plan Bay Area Public Engagement**

Summary

MTC and ABAG staff have been working on the housing, employment and transportation components of Plan Bay Area draft document which will be released in March. This action will be followed by another round of public meetings, polling and community engagement during the spring 2013.

Staff will be seeking comments on the Draft Plan Bay Area. We will promote a robust round of comments through detailed visuals and written materials. We will pursue a comment process that provides ample methods and opportunities to comment in a civil and respectful environment.

We will present the approach and general schedule at the December 5, 2012 meeting.

Background

We conducted public workshops in the spring 2010 and winter 2011. The spring 2013 public meetings, polling and community engagement will be the third series of public engagement efforts. This final round will satisfy the public participation requirements of SB 375.

Recommended Action

Provide feedback on public engagement approach.