

Memorandum

To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS
CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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Action Item

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Subject: **POST FACT REQUEST TO EXTEND THE PERIOD OF CONTRACT AWARD FOR STATE ADMINISTERED PROJECTS ON THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, PER RESOLUTION G-06-08 WAIVER 13-20**

RECOMMENDATION:

The Department of Transportation (Department) recommends the California Transportation Commission (Commission) extend the period of contract award for nine months for one State Highway Operation and Protection Program (SHOPP) project described below.

ISSUE:

On June 27, 2012, the Commission allocated \$1,988,000 for one SHOPP project to construct concrete barrier on Route 210 in San Bernardino County. In accordance with Resolution G-06-08, the deadline to award contracts for projects allocated in June 2012 is December 31, 2012. The Department was not able to meet the deadline and is requesting a nine-month time extension for the period of contract award.

The contract for this project was initially awarded on November 27, 2012 to the low bidder. However, the contractor failed to sign and submit the contract to the Department in a timely manner and thus the contract was never approved. The project will have to be re-advertised. This nine-month time extension will allow the Department sufficient time to update the right of way and environmental certificates and other contract documents, re-advertise the project and award the contract.

BACKGROUND:

In June 2006, the Commission adopted Resolution G-06-08, making the six-month period to award a permanent requirement under the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) Guidelines.