

San Joaquin Valley Project-Level Conformity Working Group

Virtual Meeting

Wednesday, February 20, 2025

4:00 – 5:00pm (PT)

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Meeting Agenda

1. Meeting Purpose

Review and discuss additional comments from IAC partners on South Fresno 99 project conformity.

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2. Introductions

SJV AQ Coordinator

- Project Sponsor/Representatives (Caltrans)
- Fresno Council of Governments (FCOG)
- Interagency Consultation (IAC) Partners
- Other Attendees

3. South Fresno 99 Project Background

Following consultation with Federal and State agencies in 2020, on September 2, 2022, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) submitted to FHWA a request for a project-level air quality conformity determination for the South Fresno 99 Project. This Project is in an area designated Nonattainment or Maintenance for Ozone and Particulate Matter (PM 2.5/PM 10). The 2022 conformity analysis submitted by Caltrans indicates that the project-level transportation conformity requirements of 40 CFR Part 93 have been met. As amended, the Project is included in the Fresno Council of Governments current Regional Transportation Plan and Transportation Improvement Program. The design concept and scope of the preferred alternative have not changed substantially from those assumed in the regional emissions analysis submitted to FHWA on July 21, 2021, and the FHWA Regional Conformity Determination issued to the San Joaquin Valley Regional Planning Agencies, including the Fresno Council of Governments, on August 13, 2021. A public comment period was held in June of 2024.

4. Project Status Update

FHWA

5. IAC Partner Comments/Discussion

All

6. Closing Remarks and Adjournment

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