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RE: 2027 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program  
Due *Friday, February 13, 2026*

Thank you for participating in our transportation programming, planning, and project delivery processes. We request your agency input for transportation projects as part of the 2027 Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program (MTIP), which also serves as a minor update of the 2025 Blueprint.

Please submit your project updates in SACTrak for the 2027 MTIP by **Friday, February 13, 2026**. Questions about the 2027 MTIP update should be submitted to [MTIP@sacog.org](mailto:MTIP@sacog.org).

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## 2027 MTIP Adoption Schedule

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| January 12     | Call for Updates to MTIP Project List                                                                                                                                                                             |
| February 13    | Deadline for submittals                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| February-April | <b>MTIP:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|                | SACOG review of submittals, determination of financial constraint, determination of regional significance, identification of grouped project listings, air quality modeling, and air quality conformity analysis. |
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| April          | Interagency Review of 2027 MTIP Conformity Analysis                                                                                                                                                               |
| April-May      | Public Comment Period                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| September      | Board Adoption of 2027 MTIP                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| September      | Final 2027 MTIP submitted                                                                                                                                                                                         |



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|          | to Caltrans                   |
| December | Federal Approval of 2027 MTIP |

## 2027 MTIP Adoption

Transportation Project Considerations for the 2027 MTIP

The 2027 MTIP call for project review is an opportunity to update projects in the current 2025 MTIP, as well as update the status of completed projects in 2024 and 2025. The update to the 2027 MTIP will also provide an opportunity to review exempt and non-exempt (i.e., capacity-increasing) projects and make necessary changes. Agencies must review all their projects programmed in the MTIP and determine which projects need to be carried over into the 2027 MTIP. Any projects that are not reviewed/changed/carried over may not be included in the 2027 MTIP.

Pay close attention when updating non-exempt projects:

- Update project cost increases: This is an important time to update costs for non-exempt projects with your latest estimates since large project costs may have increased greater than administrative modification thresholds would allow since the last update.
- Update project scope: Sponsors will be able to propose project scope changes as part of this update. For projects that are non-exempt from federal air quality conformity, SACOG will be limited in entertaining significant revisions to scope as part of this update.
- If a project needs NEPA clearance before 2029: the project may need the next fully-funded phase included in the 2027 MTIP.
- Update project schedule: Sponsors will be able to propose project schedule changes as part of this update. For projects that are non-exempt from federal air quality conformity, SACOG will be limited in advancing completion years (delaying completion years is generally acceptable).

If you want to advance projects from the MTP/SCS (referred to as the 2025 Blueprint) to MTIP, SACOG programming and MTP/SCS teams will review your proposal.

If project sponsors believe they have critical changes to planned, non-exempt projects identified in the 2025 Blueprint that advance completion years or significantly modify project scopes in the Blueprint, they should contact SACOG staff directly to discuss these changes on a case-by-case basis. This MTIP will serve as a minor update to the 2025 Blueprint adopted by the Board of Directors in November 2025. The 2025 Blueprint is still under federal and state review. The 2027 update to the 2025 Blueprint is expected to be a focused technical update, limited to adjustments needed to reflect current conditions, minor changes to project details for programmed projects in the MTP/SCS, and review of planned projects seeking to be programmed in the 2025 Blueprint.

#### Update Existing MTIP Projects

We are asking for agencies with project updates to enter their changes into SACTrak. Please follow the brief instructions:

1. Under the Main Menu, select “MTIP ADOPTION.”
2. Next, select “UPDATE 27 MTIP PROJECTS”
3. One by one, click on each project to make the necessary updates.
4. Submit or save your work for later.

#### Updating Status on Completed Projects

Review all your projects in the 2025 MTIP following the steps outlined above. For the projects that have been completed since the 2025 MTIP adoption or your last update, click the “Completed Project” button in the “Change Reason” box before you hit “Submit to SACOG.”

#### Add New MTIP Projects

Follow the same instructions as above except, after Step 1, select “CREATE NEW PROJECT.” “New” non-exempt projects to the MTIP should come from the adopted 2025 MTP. Review the approved 2025 Blueprint transportation list potential projects you may be working on between FYs 2027-2030 to add to the 2027 MTIP. The 2025 Blueprint Transportation Project List is available at this link: <https://www.sacog.org/planning/2025-blueprint/2025-blueprint-plan>