

Transportation Town Hall

REVISED Agenda

September 19 and 20, Salinas Valley

Day 1: Wednesday, September 19, Gonzales

1:00 pm – 3:30 pm: Meeting Gonzales City Hall, 117 Fourth Street

- Welcome
 - Maura Twomey, Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments (AMBAG)
 - Debbie Hale, Transportation Agency for Monterey County (TAMC)
- Introduction of Commissioners California Transportation Commission Chair Fran Inman
- <u>City of Gonzales overview</u> Mayor Maria Orozco and City Manager Rene Mendez
- <u>Agricultural goods movement in the Salinas Valley</u>
 - Henry Gonzales Monterey County Agricultural Commissioner
 - Norm Groot CEO, Monterey County Farm Bureau
 - Kim Stemler Executive Director, Monterey County Vintners and Growers
- Discussion, Public Comment
- Monterey County Transportation
 - Overview: Debbie Hale, TAMC Executive Director
 - Innovations: Rich Deal, TAMC Principal Engineer
- <u>2:20 pm Break</u>
- Transit Service in the Valley
 - Monterey Salinas Transit services Carl Sedoryk, CEO & General Manager
 - o Regional Rural Transit Task Force Heather Adamson, Director of Planning, AMBAG
- North-South Freight Corridor
 - US 101 corridor overview Tim Gubbins, Caltrans District 5 Director
 - o Central Coast Coalition –SB 1-funded projects Marjie Kirn, Central Coast Coalition, Chair

3:30 pm - Van to Taylor Farms

Also, see Alta Street Project – first major Measure X & SB 1 local project

3:45 pm – 4:45 pm: Taylor Farms tour

5:00 pm - Reception, 4th Street Tap House, Gonzales

Speakers: Monterey County Supervisor Simon Salinas CTC Chair Fran Inman



Day 2: Thursday, September 20, Salinas

Tour guides: Theresa Wright, Debbie Hale, Rich Deal, Christina Watson, TAMC Carl Sedoryk, MST Butch Lindley, former County Supervisor

8:30 am - meet at Embassy Suites lobby, Seaside

- Highway 218 corridor safety study
- Highway 68 Monterey to Salinas Scenic Highway
- Monterey-Salinas Transit Operations & Maintenance Facility
- US 101 South of Salinas agricultural goods movement
- Rail Extension to Salinas Salinas Train Station update
- State Route 156 Castroville Blvd interchange
- Rapid Bus Corridor Highway 1

<u>11:30 am – arrive at Embassy Suites hotel</u>