



PUBLIC NOTICE

The Butte County Association of Governments (BCAG) is the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) and the Regional Transportation Planning Agency (RTPA) for Butte County. As the MPO, BCAG is required to prepare a long-range Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) every four years. The RTP identifies the long-range transportation plans for specific funding programs by transportation mode through the year 2035.

The 2008 RTP includes a new Air Quality Conformity Analysis and Determination. These documents are complete in draft form. The BCAG Board of Directors is scheduled to take action and adopt these documents at the December 2008 or January 2009 Board meeting.

The public is encouraged to participate and provide input on the Draft RTP, Air Quality Conformity Analysis and Determination. The following public workshops have been scheduled to provide the public an opportunity to provide input for the RTP and Air Quality Conformity Analysis & Determination:

Oroville: September 17, 2008
(11 a.m. -1 p.m.)
Butte County Public Health Department
Tahoe Room - 202 Mira Loma Dr.
Oroville

Chico: September 17, 2008
(4-6 p.m.)
BCAG Conference Room
2580 Sierra Sunrise Terrace, Suite 100
Chico

Paradise: September 18, 2008
(11 a.m. -1 p.m.)
Town Hall Conference Room 9
5555 Skyway, Paradise

Gridley: September 18, 2008
(4-6 p.m.)
Gridley Community Conference Room
685 Kentucky Ave, Gridley

Separate CEQA public scoping meetings will be held to review the Program Environmental Impact Report for the RTP. A final round of public workshops will be held prior to Board action. All documents will be available for review on the Internet at www.bcag.org and at each of the Butte County public libraries. Comments on the RTP and Air Quality Conformity Analysis and Determination can be directed to Mr. Iván García, Programming Manager for BCAG at 530-879-2468 or by email at igarcia@bcag.org. Comments can also be mailed to BCAG at 2580 Sierra Sunrise Terrace, Suite 100, Chico, CA 95928. The public may also contact the respective public works departments to find out what projects have been nominated for funding and to provide input as well.