Congestion Pricing Update

Ad-Hoc Congestion Pricing Committee November 14, 2007



Progress to Date- Outreach & Communications

- Continued outreach with regional stakeholders:
 - Organized USDOT visit- Mr. Tyler Duvall
 - Presented to the Las- Virgenes- Malibu COG
 - Presented to the Gateway Cities COG
 - Met with regional transportation agencies
 - Meeting again with regional transportation agencies on November 21st

Progress to Date- Request for Proposals

- Metro Procurement to release RFP
 - Congestion Pricing Operating Plan
 - Outreach to be included in same RFP
 - Circulated draft SOW to regional transportation agencies for comment
 - Expect to finalize SOW and release RFP by Nov.19
 - Contract award expected in February 2008

Progress to Date- Funding for Developing the Plan

- Discussed opportunities with regional partners:
 - Caltrans will provide \$300,000 in FY08 and \$500,000 in FY 09
 - Ongoing discussion with SCAG
- Asked the USDOT to provide funding support
 - Mr. Duvall to explore USDOT discretionary funds
 - Second cycle of Urban Partnership Agreement
 Program announced on November 13, 2007
 - Applications due on December 31, 2007

Progress to Date-Legislation

- Discussed with Metro Government Relations
 - Applicability of existing legislation
 - New language draft, possible champion & timeframe
- Discussed with the CTC
 - Guidelines for implementing Section 2 of the AB 1467 legislation- High Occupancy Toll Lanes
 - Guidelines for Section 1 pending- primarily for goods movement
- Identified need to submit project applications

Next Steps

- Work with the Board and regional transportation agencies to identify projects for UPA & AB1467
- Select UPA congestion pricing proposal at November Board Meeting to submit to USDOT by December 31, 2007
- Convene stakeholder advisory committee
- Procure consultant for the Congestion Pricing Operating Plan