



Orange County Transportation Authority

Legislative Committee Agenda Thursday, May 21, 2026 at 9:30 a.m.

Board Room, 550 South Main Street, Orange, California

Committee Members

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Fred Jung
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Kathy Tavoularis
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Written Comment

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Call to Order

Pledge of Allegiance

Director Jung

Closed Session

There are no Closed Session items scheduled.

Special Calendar

1. Conference Call with State Legislative Advocate Moira Topp

Moira Topp

Overview

An update of legislative items in Sacramento will be provided.

Consent Calendar (Item 2)

2. Approval of Minutes

Clerk of the Board

Recommendation

Approve the minutes of the April 16, 2026 Legislative and Communications Committee meeting.

Attachments:

[Minutes](#)

Regular Calendar

3. State Legislative Status Report

Clara Brotcke/Kristin Jacinto

Overview

The Orange County Transportation Authority provides regular updates to the Legislative Committee on policy issues directly impacting its programs, projects, and operations. This report recommends a support if amended position on a bill related to regional transportation planning and sustainable communities strategies. The report also includes informational updates on proposed amendments to the California Air Resources Board's Cap-and-Invest Program and the potential implications for transit funding, as well as an update on the Governor's Fiscal Year 2026-27 State Budget May Revision.

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Recommendation(s)

Adopt a SUPPORT IF AMENDED position on SB 1087 (Cabaldon, D-Napa), which would reform the state's implementation of SB 375 (Chapter 728, Statutes of 2008) by modifying requirements related to regional transportation planning, sustainable communities strategies, and state transportation funding programs.

Attachments:

[Staff Report](#)

[Attachment A](#)

[Attachment B](#)

[Attachment C](#)

[Attachment D](#)

[Attachment E](#)

4. Federal Legislative Status Report

Clara Brotcke/Kristin Jacinto

Overview

The Orange County Transportation Authority regularly updates the Legislative Committee on policy and regulatory issues directly impacting the agency's programs, projects, and operations. This report provides an update on federal Fiscal Year 2027 Community Project Funding and Congressionally Directed Spending requests, including coordination with the Orange County congressional delegation to advance priority transportation projects for potential inclusion in the appropriations process. The report also includes an overview of emerging policy developments related to the 900-megahertz band, which is used by a range of transportation technologies, including electronic toll collection systems.

Recommendation(s)

Receive and file as an information item.

Attachments:

[Staff Report](#)

[Attachment A](#)

[Attachment B](#)

Discussion Items

5. Fiscal Year 2026-27 Budget Workshop Follow-up

Victor Velasquez/Andrew Oftelie

Overview

Budget staff is available for follow-up questions, issues, or concerns that may have arisen at and/or since the budget workshop conducted with the Board of Directors on May 11, 2026.

Attachments:

[Handout](#)

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6. **Public Comments**

7. **Chief Executive Officer's Report**

8. **Committee Members' Reports**

9. **Adjournment**

The next regularly scheduled meeting of this Committee will be held:

9:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 18, 2026

OCTA Headquarters

Board Room

550 South Main Street

Orange, California