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## City of Anaheim

## **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

October 19, 2021

Greg Nord Orange County Transportation Authority 550 S. Main Street Orange, CA 92863-1584

SUBJECT: Draft 2021 Orange County Congestion Management Program Report

Dear Mr. Nord,

Thank you for providing us the opportunity to review and comment on the Draft 2021 Orange County Congestion Management Program (CMP) Report. The City of Anaheim acknowledges the key changes made in the 2021 update of the Orange County CMP and offers the following comments:

COVID-19 Impacts

- O The City of Anaheim agrees and has also seen significant changes in travel patterns due to COVID-19, including seeing a significant reduction in ridership on the Anaheim Canyon Station circulator as well as Anaheim Transportation Network's Anaheim Resort Transportation routes. Additionally, we agree with the report's findings that traffic volumes have decreased due to COVID-19, which the CMP states may reflect an anomaly in LOS ratings.
- SB 743
  - o The City of Anaheim acknowledges the new language added under the Land-Use Impact Analysis Chapter, and understands that we are expected to comply with the CMP by following the CMP TIA Guidelines.

Please let me know if the City of Anaheim can be of any further assistance.

Sincerely,

Rafael Cobian

City Traffic Engineer