



Amendments to the Master Plan of Arterial Highways

Overview

The Orange County Transportation Authority administers the Master Plan of Arterial Highways, including the review and approval of amendments requested by local agencies. The City of Anaheim has requested an amendment to the Master Plan of Arterial Highways that is recommended for approval. An update on the conditionally approved Master Plan of Arterial Highways amendments is also provided.

Recommendations

A. Conditionally approve the following amendments to the Master Plan of Arterial Highways for the facilities listed below within the City of Anaheim:

1. Remove Douglass Road, a secondary (four-lane, undivided) arterial, between Cerritos Avenue and Katella Avenue from the Master Plan of Arterial Highways network.
2. Remove Cerritos Avenue, a secondary (four-lane, undivided) arterial, between Sunkist Street and Douglass Road from the Master Plan of Arterial Highways network.
3. Add River Road as a primary (four-lane, divided) arterial from Katella Avenue to Ball Road to the Master Plan of Arterial Highways network.

The proposed amendment will become final, contingent upon the Orange County Transportation Authority receiving documentation that the City of Anaheim has amended its general plan and has complied with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act.

If the City of Anaheim does not update its general plan within three years to reflect the Master Plan of Arterial Highways amendment, the contingent approval of this requested amendment will expire but can be returned to the Orange County Transportation Authority Board of Directors for reconsideration and action.

If the original proposed Master Plan of Arterial Highways amendment is modified as a result of the California Environmental Quality Act and/or general plan amendment process, the modified Master Plan of Arterial Highways amendment shall be returned to the Orange County Transportation Authority Board of Directors for consideration and action.

B. Direct the Executive Director of Planning, or his designee, to file a Notice of Exemption from the California Environmental Quality Act in support of the Master Plan of Arterial Highways amendment.

C. Receive and file a status report on the active Master Plan of Arterial Highways amendments.