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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**CALTRANS INVITES YOU TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ANNUAL:
COMMUNITY-BASED TRANSPORTATION PLANNING
(CBTP) AND ENVIRONMENTAL JUSTICE (EJ) GRANTS WORKSHOP**

LOS ANGELES/VENTURA, SAN BERNARDINO/RIVERSIDE, IMPERIAL, and ORANGE COUNTIES – As a public agency, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), would like to invite potentially interested applicants, such as, MPO's, RTPA's, Cities, Counties, Transit Agencies, University/Colleges, Special Interest Groups, and the Public, to apply for the following **Community Planning and Environmental Justice Planning Grants** for the Fiscal Year 2013-2014.

The workshop and presentation will discuss the following grant programs:

- Community-Based Transportation Planning
- Environmental Justice - Context Sensitive Planning

Funding for all these grant programs are available on a **statewide, competitive basis**.

WORKSHOP: **Thursday, January 31, 2013**
9:00 a.m. to 12 noon
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS
12th FLOOR BOARD ROOM
818 SEVENTH STREET
LOS ANGELES, CA. 90017
(213) 236-1833

**Workshop and presentation will be broadcast to SCAG/COG Regional Satellite Offices in, San Bernardino, Riverside, Imperial, Ventura and Orange Counties. The presentation will also be broadcast in Palm Desert*

Application deadline (to Caltrans) for **CBTP/EJ** grants is: **TUESDAY – APRIL 02, 2013 AT 5:00 p.m.**

These Transportation Planning Grants are intended to promote strong and healthy communities, economic growth, and protection of our environment. They support closer placement of jobs and housing, efficient movement of goods, community involvement in planning, safe and convenient pedestrian and bicycle mobility and access, smart or strategic land use, and commute alternatives. The final results of these grants should lead to the adoption, initiation, and programming of transportation improvement projects that improve mobility, access, and economic vitality.





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For more information on the - what, when, where and how to apply for these grants please refer to the Transportation Planning webpage at <http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/tpp/grants.htm>.

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DISTRICT 12 ALL GRANTS

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San Bernardino Office

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Riverside Office

3403 10th Street, Suite 805, Riverside, 92501 - Tel: (951) 784-1513

CVAG Office (Riverside County)

73-710 Fred Waring Drive, Palm Desert, CA 92260 - Tel: (760) 346-1127

Ventura County Office

950 County Square Drive, Suite 101, Ventura, 93003 - Tel: (805) 642-2800

Orange County Office

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