# Item 9. SacMetro Freeway **Service Patrol & Caltrans Multi-Year** Agreement (Construction Tow)

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# Background

The SacMetro Freeway Service Patrol (FSP) Program is a joint effort between the Sacramento Transportation Authority (STA), the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) and the California Highway Patrol (CHP).

The FSP program reduces freeway congestion by quickly finding and removing minor incidents from freeways.

Minor incidents are responsible for more than half of all nonrecurrent freeway congestion.





# FSP Special Coverage

Special FSP coverage can include providing construction tow coverage as part of traffic management plans (TMP) for major construction projects.

Currently there are major Caltrans Projects on all freeways within the SacMetro FSP coverage area (map on the left)

- Cap City Corridor
- I-5 Corridor Improvement
- Sacramento I-80 Ramp Rehabilitation



#### **Project Orientated**

**Cooperative Agreement—Construction Tow** 

Timing

Staff Consistency

Redundancy



#### **Multi-Year**

**Cooperative Agreement—Construction Tow** 

Utilization of Standard Operating Procedures Efficiency Safety

Discussion



# **Recommended Actions**

- Approve Caltrans Cooperative Agreement No. 03A3357 for Freeway Service Patrol coverage on construction projects, including agreement attachments, and
- Approve a resolution authorizing the Executive Director to sign above Cooperative Agreement with Caltrans for Freeway Service Patrol coverage on construction projects.

# Questions

