



City of Anaheim
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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California High Speed Rail Authority
Board of Directors
770 L Street
Suite 1180
Sacramento, CA 95814

SUBJECT: California High Speed Rail Authority's Draft 2022 Business Plan

Dear California High Speed Rail Authority Board of Directors:

The City of Anaheim (Anaheim) has completed its review of the California High Speed Rail Authority's (Authority) Draft 2022 Business Plan (Business Plan) and would like to take this opportunity to reiterate its strong support for high-speed rail in Southern California.

The City also appreciates the Authority's commitment to advancing environmental clearance of the Los Angeles to Anaheim portion of the project by 2023. Completion of this key project milestone is critical in terms of advancing high-speed rail into Southern California and Anaheim remains a committed partner in this process.

Finally, the City would like to request that the Authority also consider other early investments in Southern California as it pursues newly available state and federal funding opportunities. There are several high priority projects in Orange County which will improve safety, mobility, and the environment—including grade separation projects in Anaheim at Orangethorpe Avenue, Ball Road, and State College Boulevard.

Sincerely,

Joe Alcock
Principal Transportation Planner