



Summary of Public Comment **Draft 2024 Business Plan**

The Draft 2024 Business Plan was released on February 9, 2024, for a 60-day public review. The California High-Speed Rail Authority requested public comment on the document through April 9, 2024. The final 2024 Business Plan will be prepared and issued to the California State Legislature the week of May 1st, 2024.

The Authority provided the following ways for the public and stakeholders to comment:

- Online comment form
- By email
- U.S. mail
- In person/virtually at two Authority Board of Directors meetings

The public also provided comments at two state legislative hearings, held on March 11 and March 12. Those comments have been transcribed and are included as part of this summary.

This memorandum summarizes the public comments received and their method of submission. All comments can be found here: <https://hsr.ca.gov/about/high-speed-rail-business-plans/2024-business-plan/draft-2024-business-plan-comments/>

Submission Method

The Authority received submissions through the following methods:

- 20 comments were received verbally at public hearings, such as the Board of Directors meetings or legislative hearings
- 31 online comments were received by website submissions or online comment forms
- In addition, four letters of support were received