

Memorandum

To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS
CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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Action Item

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Subject: **REQUEST TO EXTEND THE PERIOD OF PROJECT ALLOCATION FOR STATE-ADMINISTERED ON-SYSTEM STIP PROJECT, PER STIP GUIDELINES WAIVER-12-36**

RECOMMENDATION:

The California Department of Transportation (Department) requests that the California Transportation Commission (Commission) extend the period of project allocation for the State Highway 216 Widening (PPNO 0106) project in Tulare County for four months, extending the allocation request date to October 31, 2012.

ISSUE:

This project is not ready for an allocation because two parcels could not be negotiated to a settlement. Therefore it was necessary to obtain a Resolution of Necessity to begin the condemnation process. An Order for Possession is expected by September 7, 2012, and an allocation will be requested at the October 2012 Commission meeting.

BACKGROUND:

Current State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) Guidelines stipulate that funds programmed are available for allocation only until the end of the fiscal year identified in the STIP. The Commission may approve a waiver to the timely use of funds deadline for allocation one time only for up to 20 months in accordance with Section 14529.8 of the Government Code.