

CalMod Local Policy Maker Meeting

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Agenda

- 1. Welcome / Introductions / Purpose
- 2. Caltrain Modernization Program Update
- 3. Local Policy Maker Partnership Discussion
- 4. Next Steps





Caltrain Modernization Program Update





Peninsula Vision

- Elected officials call for "blended system"
- What is it?
 - Electrified railroad from SJ to downtown SF
 - Support both Caltrain and HSR
 - Maximize use of existing tracks
- Why?
 - Minimize community impact
 - Lower project cost
 - Advance project delivery



Operational Feasibility

- Blended system concept has merit
- <u>Potential</u>: Up to 10 trains / hour / direction
- Speeds up to 79mph and 110mph

# of Trains	Without Passing Tracks	With Passing Tracks
Caltrain	6	6
HSR	2	4

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Funding Commitment

- SF to SJ segment of the HSR system
- 9 party MOU
- Blended system
- Early/initial investment in peninsula
- \$1.5B investment for corridor electrification

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Caltrain Modernization Projects

- CBOSS PTC
- Electrification Infrastructure
- Vehicles (Electric Multiple Unit)



State Legislation - SB 1029

- \$705M for Caltrain Modernization
 - \$600M from Prop 1A (HSR)
 - \$105M from Prop 1A (Connectivity)
- Funds available for:
 - "blended system improvements consistent with the MOU" and
 - "shall not be used to expand the system to a dedicated four-track system"





Early/Initial Investment

• CBOSS PTC

- Delivery team in place
- Critical to Final Design
- Complete by 2015
- Corridor Electrification
 - Update /Recirculate Caltrain EA/EIR
 - Set up project delivery team
 - Electrified Caltrain service by 2019
 - Prepared corridor for Caltrain/HSR blended service



Corridor Electrification Target Milestones

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• Assumptions

- DBB for baseline conceptual schedule
- Project delivery approach TBD

• 7 year implementation timeframe

- 1-2 years (Environmental & Design)
- 3-4 years (Construction)
- 1-2 years (Commissioning & Testing)
- 2019 Revenue Service



Caltrain/HSR Blended System

- Blended system being defined
 - Service plans
 - Infrastructure
- Current planning studies
 - Service Plan/ Operations Considerations
 - Grade Crossing and Traffic Analysis
 - Additional needs for blended service

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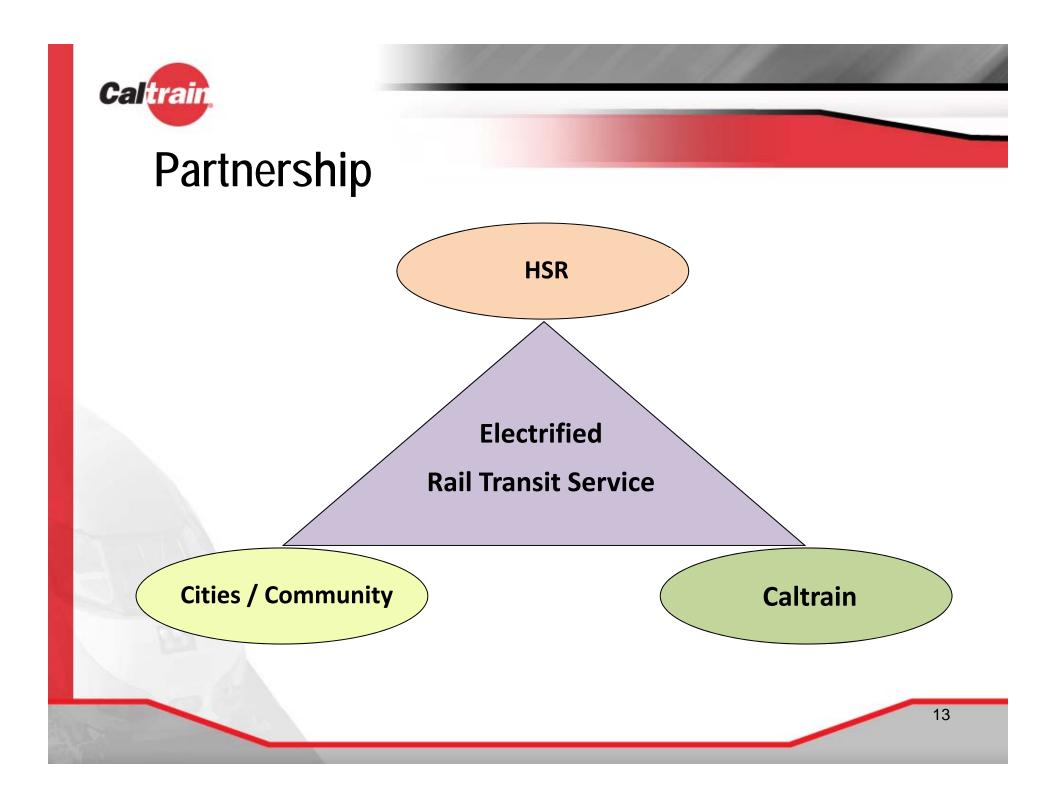
- More funding
- More environmental clearance





Local Policy-Maker Partnership Discussion







Local Stakeholder Organization

	Peninsula Cities/Counties	Caltrain	High-Speed Rail
Policy	- SMC Partnership - PCC - CC / Supervisors	JPB (informed by CAC)	CHSRA
Strategy Development	City/County Managers	Mike Scanlon (Executive Team)	Jeff Morales (Executive Team)
Technical	C/CSC (City/County Staff)	CalMod Program Staff	PB and HNTB
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Local Outreach Requests

- PCC Consideration of a CalMod/HSR Policy Advisory Committee
- SMRCP Meeting to discuss policymaker involvement in CalMod program



Discussion

- Should there be an organized local policy maker group(s)?
- What is the purpose of the group?
- How should it be structured?
- What is the group's relationship to the JPB?

