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Caltrain Engagement in Regional Initiatives

Regular monthly regional update to the JPB

- Regional Rail Partnerships Study
- Network Manager Business Case
- Major Capital Projects
 - High Speed Rail
 - Link21
 - DTX
 - DISC
- Major Project Advancement Policy (MAP)



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Major Project Advancement Policy (MAP)

- MAP is being developed to serve as regional policy for Plan Bay Area 2050 implementation
 - Goal is to achieve regional coordination on federal, state, regional discretionary funding requests
 - Draft MAP focuses on funding, policy, risk management to better sequence regional projects
- Four level approach to sequencing and endorsing regional projects for funding. For example:
 - In draft MAP, PCEP listed as Level 1, DTX as Level 2, grade separation projects in Levels 1-3.
 - Caltrain's "Enhanced Growth Scenario", part of the 2036-2050 phase of Plan Bay Area, is listed in Level 4, eligible for project development funding only.



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MAP – Next Steps

- Draft MAP presented to MTC Programming and Allocation Commission in July, proposed for MTC Commission Action in September
 - Caltrain staff to bring regular updates to JPB meetings in August and September, before action
- MTC will lead development, with regional operators, of MAP supportive policies and a risk management approach in October – December

