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JPB Board Meeting
November 5, 2026

Election Results To Date

- **Federal**
- **State**
- **Regional**



Federal

Federal Budget

- Congress passed CR to extend funding through Dec 11, 2026
  - CR also temporarily blocks proposed OMB rule to significantly change how federal agencies review, award, and terminate grants and cooperative agreements

Transportation Housing Urban Development (THUD) Appropriations

- Caltrain Safety Enhancement Projects – Community project requests moving forward with Sen. Schiff ($5M); Rep. Liccardo ($1M); Rep. Mullin ($250k)
- House Appropriations Passed THUD bill
- Senate Appropriations has not released its version

Surface Transportation Reauthorization (highways, transit and rail)

- Current authorization expires Dec 11, 2026

State

- **State Grant Requests**
  - **Submitted:**
    - Transit and Intercity Rail Capital Program (TIRCP) – Caltrain partnering with Capitol Corridor for package of projects under the Statewide Enhanced Rail Vehicles and Integrated Connections (SERVICES) Program
    - Flexible State Rail Assistance (SRA) – Caltrain applied for operations, state-of-good-repair, and BEMU operations
  - **Planned:**
    - Solutions for Congested Corridors Program (SCCP) – Long-Range Service Vision
    - Trade Corridor Enhancement Program (TCEP) – San Francisquito Creek Bridge Project
    - Local Partnership Program (LPP) – Middle Avenue Pedestrian & Bicycle Caltrain Crossing in Menlo Park

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