

DATE: APRIL 20, 2017

MEMO TO: TRANSPORTATION TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

FROM: PETER DE HAAN, PROGRAMMING DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: SB 1 (BEALL AND FRAZIER) – TRANSPORTATION FUNDING

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Receive and file.

## **DISCUSSION:**

Over two years ago Governor Brown noted the need for increased spending on infrastructure, particularly highway rehabilitation, and called on the Legislature to pass a comprehensive transportation funding package. These efforts were renewed at the beginning of this year. On March 29<sup>th</sup> the Governor and Legislative leaders announced an agreement for a package worth \$5.2 billion per year. SB 1 (Beall) was amended to contain the provisions of the agreed-upon package, and the bill was approved on April 6<sup>th</sup> by the required two-thirds vote of both houses of the Legislature. Staff is still gathering information on the bill. Attached is the Governor's press release of the agreement, which provides a summary.