



CHARTER

I-15 Interregional Partnership Joint Policy Committee

PURPOSE

The primary goal of the I-15 Interregional Partnership (IRP) Joint Policy Committee is to review and provide policy input on Phase III of the I-15 IRP Project. The Southwest Riverside County and San Diego County regions seek to collaborate on mutually beneficial housing, transportation, and economic planning to improve the quality of life for the region's residents through the identification and implementation of short- and medium-range policy strategies.

LINE OF REPORTING

The I-15 IRP Joint Policy Committee will report its recommendations to both the SANDAG Borders Committee and the Western Riverside Council of Governments (WRCOG) Executive Council on the three components of Phase III: economic development, housing, and transportation strategies.

RESPONSIBILITIES

The responsibilities of the Committee include reviewing and providing policy-level feedback on the analysis from the joint county economic development workshops; various transportation studies including the Origin and Destination survey of vanpools; interregional transit and priority options and the Smart Growth Concept Map for Southwest Riverside. The Committee will provide input to staff on how these studies could be used to develop collaborative interregional strategies for infrastructure planning and public policy.

MEMBERSHIP

The Committee is composed of no more than three elected officials from the San Diego region and three from the Southwestern Riverside County region, designated from the Boards of Directors of the participating agencies in the I-15 Interregional Partnership: SANDAG; WRCOG; Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC); and the Riverside Transit Agency (RTA).

MEETING TIME AND LOCATION

The Committee will meet a minimum of three times during the grant period to discuss the three components and receive full status reports on the developments of each strategy; to receive the draft reports on each component and provide feedback for the final draft; and to receive the final draft. The meetings will alternate between locations in southwestern Riverside County and northern San Diego County.

DURATION OF EXISTENCE

The Committee will continue to exist through the completion of Phase III of the I-15 IRP and the completion of the final report for this phase (January 2010).