

BAY AREA AIR QUALITY

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# Projects and Contracts with Proposed Awards over \$100,000

Mobile Source and Climate Impacts Committee Meeting December 6, 2021

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### Outcome



- Provide status update of grant funds awarded since July 1, 2021, and information about new recommended awards greater than \$100,000
- Obtain Committee's support and approval to forward the recommended projects to the full Board of Directors for approval

## Outline



- Background
- Proposed projects with awards over \$100,000
- Status of incentive funding
  - Revenue sources
  - Community benefits & project locations
- Recommendations

### **Requested Action**



#### **Recommend that the Board of Directors:**

- 1. Approve recommended projects with proposed grant awards over \$100,000 as shown in Attachment 1; and
- 2. Authorize the Executive Officer/APCO to enter into all necessary agreements with applicants for the recommended projects.

### CMP/MSIF, CAPP, and FARMER













Carl Moyer
Program
(CMP)

Funding Agricultural
Replacement Measures
for Emission
Reductions (FARMER)

Community Air
Protection Program
(CAPP)

Mobile Source Incentive Fund (MSIF)

California Air Resources Board \$34 million

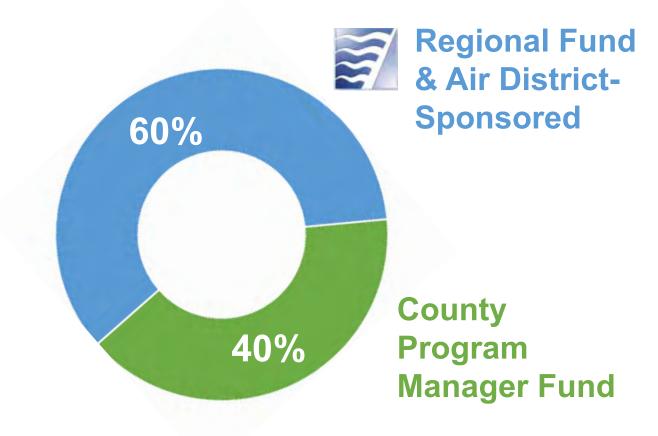
DMV Fees **\$12 million** 

### **Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA)**



 Statutory authority set forth in California Health and Safety Code Sections 44241 and 44242

 Funding provided by a \$4 surcharge on motor vehicles



### CMP/MSIF, CAPP, FARMER, and TFCA



- Recommend \$1,890,616 in awards for two projects to replace:
  - ✓ engines for a charter fishing vessel
  - ✓ three electric school buses with infrastructure

#### **Emissions Reductions**

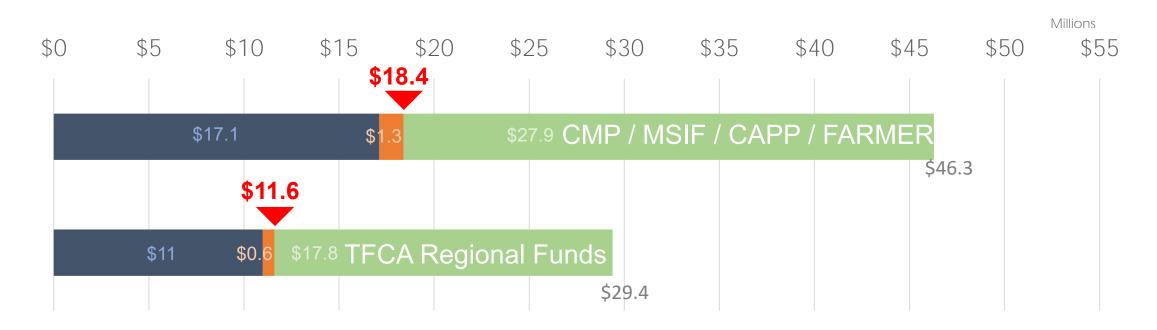
Over 1.5 tons per year of criteria pollutants



















# Funds Awarded & Recommended Since July 2021 by Project Category (in Millions)



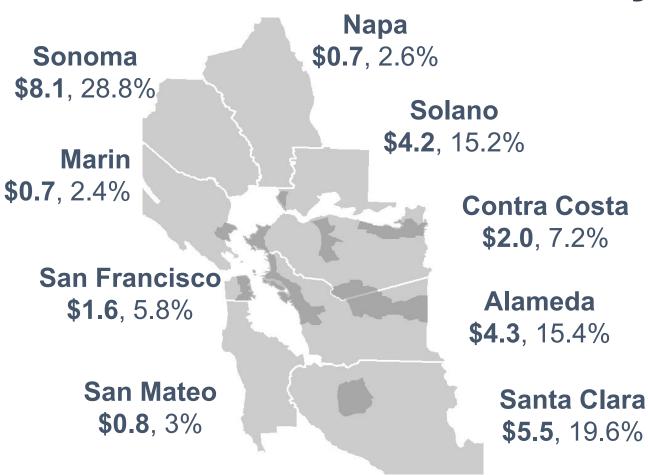
#### **Total = \$30M**

#### List of projects is shown in Attachments 2 & 3



# Funds Awarded & Recommended Since July 2021 (in Millions)





#### \$30 Million Awarded\*

\*\$2 million has not yet been attributed



86% to CARE areas, disadvantaged and low-income communities, and low-income residents

### **Action Requested**



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# Report on Transportation Fund for Clean Air Projects Expenditures and Effectiveness for Fiscal Year Ending 2021

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## Outcome



Provide information on Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) Expenditures and Effectiveness Report for Fiscal Year Ending (FYE) 2021 and respond to questions





- Background
- Summary of Project & Program Results
  - Fund Expenditures
  - Emission Reductions
  - Cost-Effectiveness
- Next Steps

### **Requested Action**

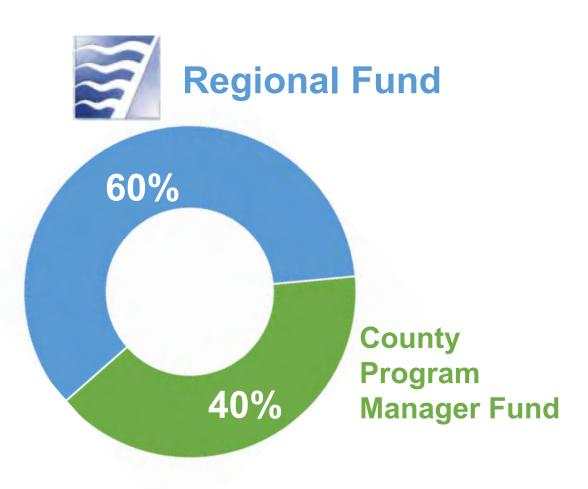


None. Informational item only, receive and file.

# Background Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA)



- Funding provided by \$4 surcharge on motor vehicles\*
- Air District's Board to annually review the expenditures to determine their effectiveness in improving air quality\*
- Projects & Program completed in FYE 2021:
  - √ 16 TFCA Regional Fund projects
  - √ 4 Air District-sponsored programs



<sup>\*</sup> California Health and Safety Code § 44241 and 44242

# Summary of Project & Program Results FYE 2021 TFCA Expenditures

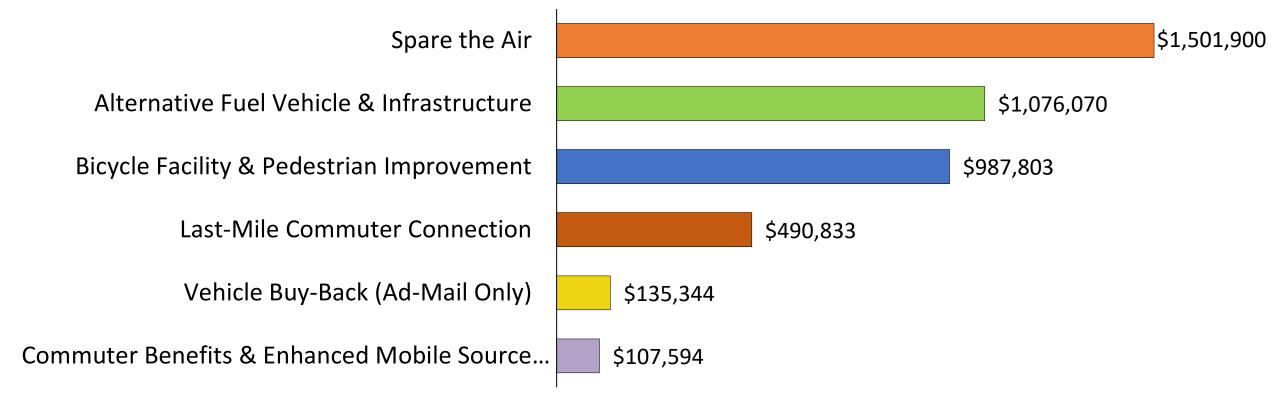


#### Total expenditures: \$5.26 million (M)

- \$2.55 M Regional Fund (16 projects)
- \$1.74 M Air District-sponsored (4 programs)
- \$0.96 M FYE 2021 administration

# Summary of Project & Program Results (cont.) FYE 2021 TFCA Expenditures by Project Category





# Summary of Project & Program Results (cont.) FYE 2021 TFCA Effectiveness & Emissions Reductions



• Lifetime criteria pollutants reduced: 58.54 tons

• PM<sub>10</sub>: 17.82 tons

• NO<sub>x</sub>: 31.02 tons

• ROG: 9.69 tons

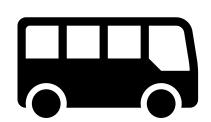
- Equivalent to:
  - Over 327 million Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT)
  - Removing 25,000 passenger cars for one year at a cost of \$222 per vehicle
- 54% of funds expended directly benefited Community Air Risk Evaluation (CARE) Areas

# Summary of Project & Program Results (cont.) FYE 2021 TFCA Cost-Effectiveness and Key Report Findings



- TFCA funds were allocated to eligible projects and programs
- Overall cost-effectiveness: \$66,927/ton criteria pollutant emissions reduced
  - 3 projects and 1 program exceeded the cost-effective threshold for the year they were awarded
- Achieved public health benefits









### **Next Steps**



- Continue to identify cost-effective projects and programs and opportunities to focus funds in CARE and AB 617 areas
- Partner with transit and congestion management agencies on identifying new cost-effective trip reduction solutions
- Collect and evaluate data reported by project sponsors to refine estimated emissions reductions



# Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) Program Regional Fund Projects Audit #22 Results

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# Outcome (



Provide information on Audit 22 and respond to questions

## Outline



- Background
- Audit #22
  - Scope
  - Results
- Next Steps

### **Requested Action**

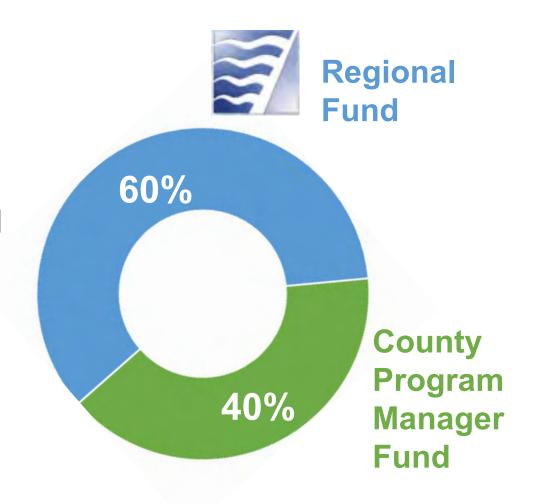


• None. Informational item only, receive and file.

# Background Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA)



- Authorized by CA Health and Safety Code § 44241 and 44242
- Funding provided by \$4 surcharge on motor vehicles
- Requires fiscal audit of all TFCA-funded projects & programs at least once every two years
- Board approved contract with Simpson & Simpson, LLP for independent audit services on October 4, 2017



### Audit #22 Scope



#### TFCA Regional Fund projects completed prior to June 30, 2020



**Financial audits** 



**Compliance audits** 

### **Audit #22 Results**



#### Audits completed for 33 TFCA Regional Fund Projects

- Total audited expenditures = \$6,092,222
- No findings identified
- Compliance with other aspects of the funding agreement was reviewed through Agreed-Upon Procedures



### **Next Steps**



- Review results from Agreed-Upon Procedures
  - Further refine contractual requirements
  - Continue to improve communications with project sponsors regarding contractual requirements and audit process