

Task Force Meeting #6: Draft High-Level Needs Worksheet

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Provide a transportation network that supports existing communities and attracts new industries	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add “as planned by local government comprehensive plans.” • Separate public water and sewer infrastructure from broadband need statement and add to transportation network need statement as water infrastructure supports economic development. 	Provide a transportation network that supports existing communities and <u>both attract existing and</u> new industries.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan consistency addressed through cross cutting guiding principle and instructions for project development and beyond. • Water and sewer infrastructure currently addressed in utility infrastructure need below.
Improve freight connectivity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand to include regional connectivity for other vehicles in addition to freight. 	Improve <u>statewide and regional transportation mobility and connectivity for people and</u> freight. connectivity	
Address safety and mobility needs due to the growth in population and visitation		Address safety and mobility needs due to the growth in population and visitation.	
Strengthen the local tourism and outdoor recreation economy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add ecotourism with bike paths and horse trails. 	Strengthen the local tourism, <u>ecotourism</u> , and outdoor recreation economy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Address bike paths and horse trails through instructions for project development and beyond.
Improve access to jobs, education, and healthcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add “as planned by local government comprehensive plans.” 	Improve-Enhance access to jobs, education, and healthcare.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan consistency addressed through cross cutting guiding principle and instructions for project development and beyond.

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Expand rural broadband infrastructure and access to broadband service	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add water and sewer utilities, don't truncate to broadband only. 	Expand rural broadband-utility infrastructure, <u>including broadband, water, and sewer to enhance quality of life.</u> and access to broadband service	
Strengthen emergency evacuation and response	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refer to 1990s and 2000s emergency plans as emergency evacuation from high hazard coastal areas are the "gold" standard; it is very unusual to evacuate inland areas. 	Strengthen emergency <u>preparedness, evacuation and response, recovery, and mitigation to enhance safety.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reference state, regional, and local agency coordination in instructions for project development and beyond.
Protect and enhance wildlife habitats, regional ecosystems, and water resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add "protect and enhance wildlife habitats and wildlife corridors." • Protect existing public and private conservation lands. • Clarify watersheds and springs are included. • Add "fish" in front of wildlife habitats. • Add agriculture. • Don't lose sight of the opportunity to bring ground sewer systems in certain areas. 	Protect, <u>connect,</u> and enhance <u>natural resources and wildlife habitats, regional ecosystems, and water resources.</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide additional detail on protecting existing public and private conservation lands, fish and wildlife habitats, corridors, ecosystems, agricultural lands and water quality and resources (to include watersheds and springs) through guiding principles and instructions for project development and beyond. • Address sewer systems in infrastructure high-level need.

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Prepare for emerging technologies, such as autonomous, connected, electric and shared vehicles			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Technology need will be addressed through cross cutting guiding principle and instructions for project development and beyond.

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