

Integrating Maritime Into State Planning

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Keys to CA Maritime Planning Integration

New Transportation Agency/New Caltrans Mission

Involved Maritime Industry in State Freight Plan

History of Successful Maritime Investments



StrongPorts









Mission

To develop and coordinate the policies and programs of the state's transportation entities to achieve the state's mobility, safety and air quality objectives from its transportation system.



California State Transportation Agency

- Department of Transportation
- Board of Pilot Commissioners
- California Highway Patrol
- California Transportation Commission
- Department of Motor Vehicles
- High-Speed Rail Authority
- New Motor Vehicle Board
- Office of Traffic Safety





Old: Caltrans Improves Mobility Across

California

New: *Provide a safe, sustainable, integrated, and efficient transportation system to enhance California's economy and livability.*



CALIFORNIA FREIGHT PLAN MOBILITY











California Freight Mobility Plan

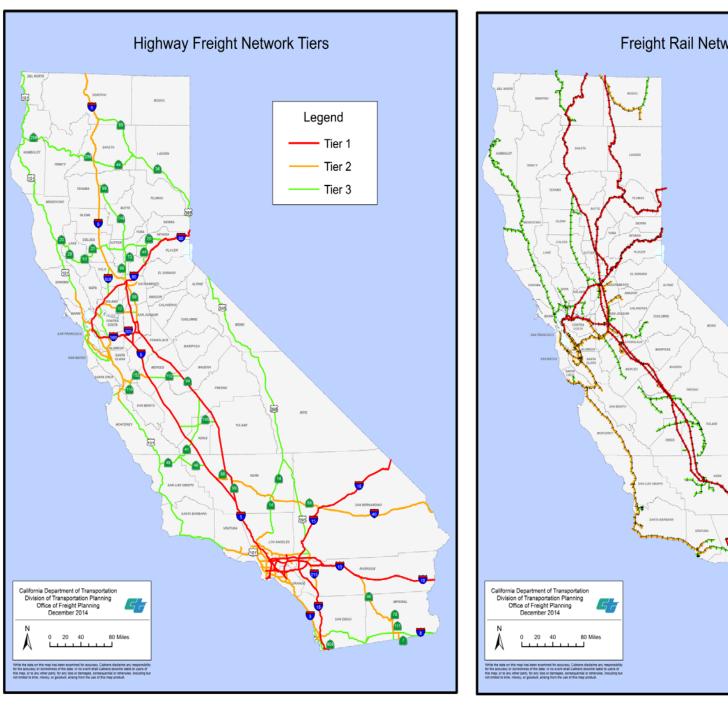
Educated Staff on Supply Chain

Written In-house

Consulted California Freight Advisory Committee









Involving Maritime in State Planning

California Freight Advisory Committee

Individual Seaports

California Association of Port Authorities

Metropolitan Planning Agencies



History of Maritime Investments

The Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality, and Port Security Bond Act of 2006 – \$20 Billion

Trade Corridor Improvement Fund; supported over \$7 billion in freight investment

TIGER Funding





Oakland Global: Project Partners

U.S. Department of Transportation

Metropolitan Planning Commission

State of California

Port of Oakland

City of Oakland

Private





Where Can StrongPorts Help?

Connect Stakeholders

Focus On Ports With Fewer Resources

Provide National and International Perspectives



New Challenge

- Freight Policy Integration
 - Improve Air Quality and Public Health
 - Increase Energy Security and System Resiliency
 - Support Logistics Growth and Job Creation
 - Enhance Livability Along Freight Corridors



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