

**CITY/COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS
OF SAN MATEO COUNTY**

**SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF
TRANSPORTATION FUND
FOR CLEAN AIR PROGRAM
MANAGER FUND PROJECTS
WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORTS**

JUNE 30, 2021



**CITY/COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS
OF SAN MATEO COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION FUND FOR CLEAN AIR PROGRAM MANAGER FUND
June 30, 2021**

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Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Directors
City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County
Redwood City, California

Board of Directors
Bay Area Air Quality Management District
San Francisco, California

We have audited the accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Projects (Schedule) of the City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County's (C/CAG) **Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) Program Manager Fund Projects** for the project period ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the Schedule, as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Schedule

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the Schedule in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of Schedule that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Schedule based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Schedule is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the Schedule. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Schedule, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to C/CAG's preparation and fair presentation of the Schedule in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of C/CAG's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the Schedule.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



Opinion

In our opinion, the Schedule referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of C/CAG's TFCA Program Manager Fund Projects for the project period ended June 30, 2021 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 2, the Schedule presents the financial activity and balances of C/CAG's TFCA funding, and does not purport to, and does not, present fairly the financial position of C/CAG's as of June 30, 2021 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

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Los Angeles, California
October 3, 2022

**CITY/COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS
OF SAN MATEO COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION FUND FOR CLEAN AIR PROGRAM MANAGER FUND
Schedule of Expenditures of Projects
For the Project Period Ended June 30, 2021**

<u>Project Description</u>	<u>TFCA Project Number</u>	<u>Original TFCA Project Allocation</u>	<u>Final TFCA Project Allocation</u>	<u>Final Project Expenditures through 6/30/2021</u>
City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County				
Program Administration	15SM00	\$ 53,337.33	\$ 28,099.57	\$ 28,099.57
San Mateo TFCA Program Administration	20SM00	54,079.00	59,654.72	59,654.72
Program Administration	21SM00	69,195.00	53,688.09	53,688.09
Peninsula Traffic Congestion Relief Alliance				
Countywide Voluntary Trip Reduction Program	15SM01	457,500.00	457,500.00	457,500.00
San Mateo County Carpool Incentives Program 2.0	19SM03	375,000.00	225,634.84	225,634.84
Countywide Voluntary Trip Reduction Program	20SM01	600,000.00	600,000.00	600,000.00
Countywide Voluntary Trip Reduction Program	21SM01	600,000.00	482,643.60	482,643.60
San Mateo County Transit District				
SamTrans Shuttle Program	15SM02	582,000.00	438,280.00	438,280.00
SamTrans Signal Prioritization for Buses on El Camino Real	18SM03	79,000.00	40,181.32	40,181.32
SamTrans Shuttle Program	20SM02	150,000.00	150,000.00	150,000.00
SamTrans Shuttle Program	21SM02	150,000.00	150,000.00	150,000.00
Total		<u>\$ 3,170,111.33</u>	<u>\$ 2,685,682.14</u>	<u>\$ 2,685,682.14</u>

See accompanying notes to schedule of expenditures of projects.

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Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Projects
For the Project Period Ended June 30, 2021**

NOTE 1 – TRANSPORTATION FUND FOR CLEAN AIR ACT PROGRAM BACKGROUND

Health and Safety Code (HSC) Section 44223 and 44225 authorize a surcharge on the motor vehicle registration fee (surcharge) to be used by the Bay Area Air Quality Management District (Air District) and local governments specifically for programs to reduce air pollution from motor vehicles. The Department of Motor Vehicles collects the surcharge and allocates the amounts to the Air District. The Air District administers these funds through the Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) Program. Under the TFCA Program, money is allocated to two funds: (1) 60% is placed in the Regional Fund and allocated to agencies on a competitive basis by the Air District and (2) 40% is placed in the Program Manager Fund and allocated to designated agencies. Allowable projects under HSC Section 44241 include the following:

- The implementation of ridesharing programs.
- The purchase or lease of clean fuel buses for school districts and transit operators.
- The provision of local feeder bus or shuttle service to rail and ferry stations and to airports.
- Implementation and maintenance of local arterial traffic management, including, but not limited to, signal timing, transit signal preemption, bus stop relocation and “smart streets.”
- Implementation of rail-bus integration and regional transit information systems.
- Implementation of demonstration projects in telecommuting and in congestion pricing of highways, bridges, and public transit.
- Implementation of vehicle-based projects to reduce mobile source emissions, including, but not limited to, engine repowers, engine retrofits, fleet modernization, alternative fuels, and advanced technology demonstrations.
- Implementation of a smoking vehicles program.
- Implementation of an automobile buy-back scrappage program operated by a governmental agency.
- Implementation of bicycle facility improvement projects that are included in an adopted countywide bicycle plan or congestion management program.
- The design and construction by local public agencies of physical improvements that support development projects that achieve motor vehicle emission reductions. The projects and the physical improvements shall be identified in an approved area-specific plan, redevelopment plan, general plan, or other similar plan.

HSC Section 44233 establishes the following regarding administrative costs:

- Not more than 6.25 percent of the fees distributed to any district pursuant to Section 44229 or distributed by a district to any other public agency pursuant to this chapter, shall be used by the district or other public agency for administrative costs.

Subgrantees are not subject to the 6.25 percent cap established above.

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TRANSPORTATION FUND FOR CLEAN AIR PROGRAM MANAGER FUND
Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Projects
For the Project Period Ended June 30, 2021**

NOTE 2 – BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Projects (Schedule) has been prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The Schedule reflects the flow of current financial resources measurement focus and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. Expenditures as noted in the Schedule represent only the amount funded by the Air District. Expenditures of matching and other funding sources are not reported on the Schedule.

Financial Reporting Entity: The audited Schedule represents only the TFCA Program Manager Funds allocated to the City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County (C/CAG) for certain projects and is not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of C/CAG as a whole.

Projects: The projects included in the accompanying Schedule are funded through the Program Manager Fund and were completed between July 1, 2020 and June 30, 2021. Projects may have started several years earlier and may continue to operate after audit.

Original and Final Project Allocations: The Program Manager prepares and submits to the Air District a project information form in which stipulates the total Original TFCA Funds to be allocated to the project. Adjustments to the budget, if any, is approved by the Air District and reflected as such in the Final Project Allocation.

Final Project Expenditures: The amounts included within the accompanying Schedule represent actual expenditures paid by C/CAG for the year ended June 30, 2021.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



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**Report on Compliance and Internal Control Over Compliance in
Accordance with the Requirements of Section 44241 of the
California Health and Safety Code**

Board of Directors
City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County
Redwood City, California

Board of Directors
Bay Area Air Quality Management District
San Francisco, California

Report on Compliance with Section 44241 of the California Health and Safety Code

We have audited the City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County’s (C/CAG) compliance with the requirements of Section 44241 of the California Health and Safety Code (HSC) for the project period ended June 30, 2021.

Management’s Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of Section 44241 of the HSC that are applicable to C/CAG’s **Transportation Fund for Clean Air (TFCA) Program Manager Fund** projects reported in the Schedule of Expenditures of Projects (Schedule).

Auditor’s Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for C/CAG’s compliance with the requirements of Section 44241 of the HSC based on our audits.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and Section 44241 of the HSC. Those standards and Section 44241 of the HSC require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on the projects reported in the Schedule occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about C/CAG’s compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance with those requirements. However, our audits do not provide a legal determination on C/CAG’s compliance with those requirements.





Opinion

In our opinion, C/CAG complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its projects reported on the Schedule for the project period ended June 30, 2021.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Management of C/CAG is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered C/CAG's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on the project(s) reported on the Schedule to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with Section 44241 of the HSC, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of C/CAG's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with Section 44241 of the HSC on a timely basis. *A material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material noncompliance with Section 44241 of the HSC will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. *A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with Section 44241 of the HSC that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control or internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of Section 44241 of the HSC. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Simpson & Simpson".

Los Angeles, California
October 3, 2022