

Memorandum

To: CHAIR AND COMMISSIONERS

CTC Meeting: August 22, 2012

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Action

From: BIMLA G. RHINEHART
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Subject: **TRADE CORRIDORS IMPROVEMENT FUND – PROJECT BASELINE AGREEMENTS
RESOLUTION TCIF-P-1213-04B**

ISSUE:

Should the Commission approve the Trade Corridors Improvement Fund (TCIF) Project Baseline Agreements for TCIF Project 86: *Alameda Corridor West Terminus Intermodal Railyard-West Basin Railyard Extension* and TCIF Project 87: *Cargo Transportation Improvement Emission Reduction Program* submitted in accordance with the Commission's TCIF Guidelines and establish these agreements as the baseline for project delivery monitoring?

RECOMMENDATION:

Commission staff recommends that the Commission approve the TCIF Project Baseline Agreements for TCIF Project 86: *Alameda Corridor West Terminus Intermodal Railyard-West Basin Railyard Extension* and TCIF Project 87: *Cargo Transportation Improvement Emission Reduction Program* in accordance with the Commission's TCIF Guidelines and establish these agreements as the baseline for project delivery monitoring.

BACKGROUND:

In accordance with Commission's TCIF Guidelines, the Port of Los Angeles, the sponsoring agency for TCIF Project 86: *Alameda Corridor West Terminus Intermodal Railyard-West Basin Railyard Extension* and TCIF Project 87: *Cargo Transportation Improvement Emission Reduction Program*, has provided executed Project Baseline Agreements to the Commission. Commission staff has reviewed these Project Baseline Agreements and has determined that they set forth the proposed project scope, measurable expected performance benefits, delivery schedule, and project budget and funding plan; are consistent with the Commission's TCIF Guidelines; and include the required signatures.