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## Public Information Meeting for the I-580 Westbound Express Lane Project

Tuesday, May 14 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Dublin Civic Center

Alameda County - California. The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) and the Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC) are holding a public meeting on May 14, 2013, to discuss the upcoming I-580 Westbound Express Lane Project.

WHAT IS BEING PLANNED? Caltrans and Alameda CTC propose to convert the planned high-occupancy vehicle (HOV) lane on I-580 westbound in Dublin, Pleasanton, and Livermore to an express lane. The express lane will allow carpools, vanpools, motorcycles, buses, and eligible clean-air vehicles to travel without a fee while also giving solo drivers the option to pay to use the lane to avoid congestion. The total length of the proposed project is approximately 13.7 miles.

The purpose of the proposed project is to provide additional congestion relief, provide enhanced operational and safety improvements, expand the mobility options in the corridor, and maintain consistency with the provisions defined in Assembly Bills 2032 (2004) and 574 (2007) to implement express lanes in the I-580 corridor.

The public meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 14, 2013, from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM in the Regional Meeting Room at the Dublin Civic Center, 100 Civic Plaza, Dublin, CA. The meeting will be an open house for the public to learn about how the proposed express lane will work and to talk with members of the project team.

FOR MORE INFORMATION. Visit the 580 Express Lanes website at [www.alamedaexpress.org](http://www.alamedaexpress.org) or [www.alamedactc.org/app\\_pages/view/10969](http://www.alamedactc.org/app_pages/view/10969), or the Caltrans website at [www.dot.ca.gov/dist4/envdocs.htm](http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist4/envdocs.htm).

### The Alameda County Transportation Commission

The mission of the Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC) is to plan, fund and deliver transportation programs and projects that expand access and improve mobility to foster a vibrant and livable Alameda County. Alameda CTC coordinates countywide transportation planning and delivers the expenditure plan for Measure B, the half-cent sales tax approved by 81.5 percent of county voters in 2000. For more information, visit [www.alamedactc.org](http://www.alamedactc.org); [www.facebook.com/AlamedaCTC](https://www.facebook.com/AlamedaCTC); [@AlamedaCTC](https://twitter.com/AlamedaCTC).

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