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## Oakland Councilmember Rebecca Kaplan Re-elected Chair of Alameda County Transportation Commission

Alameda County Supervisor Richard Valle elected vice chair.

ALAMEDA COUNTY, Calif. At its first Commission meeting of 2017, the Alameda County Transportation Commission unanimously re-elected Oakland City Councilmember At-Large Rebecca Kaplan as its chair, and unanimously elected Alameda County Supervisor Richard Valle as vice chair.

"I am honored to be elected to serve a second term as chair of the Alameda County Transportation Commission. It is a great privilege to lead Alameda CTC, in partnership with my colleagues, as we deliver the critically important transportation programs and projects approved in Measures B and BB," says Chair Rebecca Kaplan, Oakland City Councilmember At-Large. "I'm particularly excited that in 2017 we will

- Complete our first year of the hallmark Measure BB Student Transit Pass Program, and begin year two;
- Expand our Safe Routes to Schools program and strengthen paratransit programs;
- Support improvements at the Port of Oakland to increase freight efficiency and reduce truck congestion and air pollution;
- Support expansion of carpooling and rideshare technology; and
- Manage the delivery of \$1 billion worth of capital projects in various stages of delivery throughout every major corridor in the county."

Alameda CTC implements the voter-approved [Measures B and BB](#) as well as the Measure F vehicle license fee to improve transportation throughout Alameda County. The Commission is comprised of 22 members, with the following representation:

- All five Alameda County Supervisors
- Two Oakland representatives
- One representative from each of the other 13 cities in Alameda County
- One representative from AC Transit
- One representative from BART

"I'm excited to be part of the leadership of Alameda CTC as we keep our promise to the voters to deliver critical infrastructure projects that support all modes, improve mobility for bicyclists and pedestrians, maintain our transportation infrastructure and systems, and assist in efforts to meet the demands on the regional transportation network," says Vice Chair Richard Valle, who represents Alameda County District 2.

The chair and vice chair are elected to serve a one-year term. A complete list of Commissioners may be found online at [www.alamedactc.org](http://www.alamedactc.org).

**About the Alameda County Transportation Commission**

Alameda CTC coordinates countywide transportation planning and delivers essential, voter-supported transportation improvements in every city throughout Alameda County. Funding sources for Alameda CTC's expenditure plans include Measure B, approved by 81.5 percent of county voters in 2000, and Measure BB, approved by more than 70 percent of voters in 2014. For more information, please visit the Alameda CTC website at <http://www.alamedactc.org>.

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