



To: Bay Area UASI Approval Authority

From: Corinne Bartshire, Regional Project Manager

Date: May 9, 2019

Re: Item 10: Critical Transportation Capability Building Project & Exercise Series

Recommendations:

No recommendation

Action or Discussion Items:

Discussion

Background:

The Approval Authority originally allocated \$150,000 of FY18 funds for the first year of this regional Critical Transportation Capability Building Project with oversight by the UASI's Emergency Management Work Group. With the reallocation of the FY18 Training & Exercise funds, this project received an additional \$400,000. This project kicked off in January 2019 with the first of four quarterly Critical Transportation Subcommittee Meetings and conducted the first of two full day workshops on March 20th. Deliverables include local government plan evaluations and guidance, an ESF-1 job aid, and other local government critical transportation planning tools.

With the enhanced funding (\$400,000), the UASI Management Team is engaging paratransit agencies as well as alert & warning system operators to develop tools and support their specific emergency preparedness needs.

Aligned with the capability building efforts, a regional critical transportation exercise series is being designed to test and validate local plans, newly developed tools, and established partnerships within the critical transportation function.

Discussion/Description:

Regional Project Manager Corinne Bartshire will present highlights of accomplishments made to date on the Critical Transportation Capability Building Project, next steps, and a summary of the upcoming exercise series. The attached Appendix A is an accompanying PowerPoint presentation.