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SOCIAL SERVICES TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (SSTAC)

SPECIAL MEETING

STANCOG BOARD ROOM

1111 I STREET, SUITE 308

MODESTO, CA 95354

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2025

10:00 AM

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NOTICE, CALL, AND AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Members of the public may address the committee on any item not on the agenda. Comments shall be limited to five minutes unless the Chair of the Committee sets a different time limit.

4. CONSENT CALENDAR

- A. Motion to Approve the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) Special Meeting Minutes of June 3, 2025**

5. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

- A. Fiscal Year (FY) 2026/27 Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Kickoff (Jean Foletta)**
- B. Motion to Recommend the Policy Board Approve the 2026 Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) Meeting Schedule (Jean Foletta)**

6. TRANSIT MANAGER/MOVE REPORTS

7. CALTRANS REPORT

8. MANAGEMENT REPORT

9. MEMBER REPORTS

10. ADJOURNMENT

Next Regularly-Scheduled SSTAC Meeting:
January 6, 2026 (Tuesday) @ 10:00 am



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CONSENT CALENDAR



SOCIAL SERVICES TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COUNCIL (SSTAC) MEETING
SPECIAL MEETING

StanCOG Board Room
1111 I Street, Suite 308
Modesto, CA

Minutes of June 3, 2025 (Tuesday)
10:00 am

In addition to in person attendance at the location identified above, members of the public were able to join the meeting virtually or participate by teleconference to provide comments to the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council during the meeting.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Adam Barth (StanRTA), Tony Hill, Esq. (MOVE), Mohamed Rashid, Rene Cedillo

ALSO PRESENT: Naisha Banks, Blake Dunford, Jean Foletta, Shannon Silva, (StanCOG); James Pratt (Infinity Technologies)

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Tony Hill called the meeting to order at 10:00 am.

2. ROLL CALL

3. PUBLIC COMMENTS- NONE

4. CONSENT CALENDAR

A. Motion to Approve the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) Meeting Minutes of April 1, 2025.

***By Motion (Member Mohamed Rashid/Vice-Chair Adam Barth) and a unanimous vote,** the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) approved the Consent Calendar.

5. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. Motion to Recommend the Policy Board Adopt by Resolution the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Analysis Report

Jean Foletta presented the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Analysis Report and shared information regarding public outreach efforts. She provided an overview

summarizing the comments received, results from the public survey, and insights gathered through social media engagement. Jean noted that not all comments received during the outreach process meet the criteria to be considered reasonable unmet transit needs. Vice-Chair Barth inquired about a specific unmet transit needs request, to which Jean Foletta responded with clarification. Chair Hill commented that the outline and Jean's presentation were well-organized, clear, and easy to understand.

***By Motion (Vice-Chair Adam Barth/Member Mohamed Rashid) and a unanimous vote**, the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) recommended that the Policy Board adopt by resolution the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Analysis Report.

B. Motion to Recommend the Policy Board Approve by Resolution the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 Transportation Development Act (TDA) Apportionments for Transit and Other Purposes and FY 2025/26 Allocations for Transit

Jean Foletta provided an explanation of the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 Transportation Development Act (TDA) apportionments for transit and other purposes and FY 2025/26 Allocations for Transit. Vice-Chair Adam Barth noted that while the Local Transportation Fund (LTF) apportionment remained unchanged, the State Transit Assistance (STA) funding decreased. He also stated that transit funding sources would be expected to experience a reduction in the next fiscal year.

***By Motion (Vice-Chair Adam Barth/Member Mohamed Rashid) and a unanimous vote**, the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) recommended that the Policy Board approve by resolution the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 Transportation Development Act (TDA) Apportionments for Transit and Other Purposes and FY 2025/26 Allocations for Transit.

C. Motion to Nominate Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 SSTAC Chair and Vice-Chair

Jean Foletta informed the members that it was time to nominate a Chair and Vice-Chair for the upcoming fiscal year. Chair Tony Hill nominated Vice-Chair Adam Barth to serve as Chair and Member Mohamed Rashid to serve as Vice-Chair for the next fiscal year.

***By Motion (Member Rene Cedillo/ Chair Tony Hill) and a unanimous vote**, the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) elected Vice-Chair Adam Barth and Member Mohamed Rashid for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2025/26 SSTAC Chair and Vice-Chair.

8. TRANSIT MANAGER/MOVE REPORTS

Chair Tony Hill mentioned that MOVE was updating their website and conducted a photoshoot aimed at enhancing communication through visual storytelling. He noted that the photoshoots for all six programs have now been completed.

9. CALTRANS REPORT- NONE

10. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REPORT

Jean Foletta welcomed the new member Rene Cedillo to the SSTAC committee.

11. MEMBER REPORTS

Member Rene Cedillo shared that he was previously unaware of the purpose of the Vets Vans through MOVE until he needed to use the service. He expressed appreciation, stating that the Vets

Vans service was extremely helpful for him and his family during his recovery. Member Mohamed Rashid mentioned that he had a meeting at the transit center with the General Manager to discuss matters related to transit services.

12. ADJOURNMENT

Chair Tony Hill adjourned the meeting at 10:49 am.

Next Regularly-Scheduled SSTAC Meeting:

August 5, 2025 (Tuesday) @ 10:00 am

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DISCUSSION & ACTION ITEMS



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TO: Social Services Transportation Advisory Council

Staff Report
Discussion

FROM: Jean Foletta, Deputy Director of Operations
Kassandra Barrientos, Associate Planner

DATE: October 29, 2025

SUBJECT: Fiscal Year (FY) 2026/27 Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Process Kick-Off

Recommendation

Consider the information presented.

Background

Each year, pursuant to the California Transportation Development Act (TDA), the Stanislaus Council of Government (StanCOG), in its role as the Regional Transportation Planning Agency (RTPA), conducts an annual Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Analysis to identify any unmet transit needs that may exist within the Stanislaus region. The findings are presented in the Unmet Transit Needs (UTN) Analysis Report.

As part of this process, StanCOG is required to hold at least one public hearing to solicit comments regarding unmet transit needs that may exist and may be reasonable to meet through the establishment of new public transportation or specialized transportation services, or through the expansion of existing services.

Public input must also be sought from transit-dependent and transit-disadvantaged populations, ensuring that the process is inclusive and representative of community transportation needs.

Any transit needs identified through this process are evaluated based on the Policy Board's adopted definitions of unmet transit need and reasonable to meet, as established and updated by Resolution 21-68, adopted on May 19, 2022.

Discussion

The FY 2026-27 UTN Analysis process will follow previous UTN efforts by conducting extensive public outreach to transit-dependent and transit-disadvantaged populations, including the elderly, people with disabilities, and persons of limited means.

Consistent with StanCOG’s 2020 Public Participation Plan, staff will collaborate with stakeholders to ensure:

- a balanced representation of all groups and members of the public,
- equal opportunities for public input and review of the analysis, and
- coordination with transit agencies in the region.

For FY 2026–27, public outreach will be conducted through digital engagement, outreach to transit riders, and in-person meetings.

In-Person Meetings:

- Oakdale City Council Meeting –
 - Monday, December 1, 2025 @ 6:30 PM
- AAA COA Meeting
 - Monday, December 8, 2025 @ 1:30 PM
- Ceres City Council Meeting – Monday, November 24, 2025
 - Monday, December 8, 2025 @ 6 PM

Public Notice:

- Ceres Courier
- Hughson Chronical
- Modesto Bee
- Oakdale Leader
- Patterson Irrigator
- Riverbank News
- Turlock Journal
- Vida en la Valle
- Waterford News
- West Side Index

An online survey, available in both English and Spanish, will be posted on the StanCOG website and social media pages. StanCOG will also coordinate with transit agencies and community partners to share the survey on their respective websites and platforms to broaden participation and gather meaningful input from the community.

The UTN Public Comment Process will begin on November 12, 2025, and conclude on January 22, 2026

Should you have any questions regarding this staff report, please contact Jean Foletta, Deputy Director of Operations, 209-525-4891 or via email at jfolettas@stancog.org.



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TO: Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) **Staff Report**
FROM: Jean Foletta, Deputy Director of Operations
 Josephine Oshana, Executive Administrative Assistant
DATE: November 5, 2025
SUBJECT: Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) Meeting Schedule
 for Calendar Year 2026

Recommendation

By Motion:

Recommend the Policy Board approve the Social Services Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC) meeting schedule.

Background

The Policy Board has a regularly scheduled public meeting date and time on the third Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm. The advisory committees meet two weeks prior to the Policy Board meeting, during the first week of the month.

Discussion

In 2025, SSTAC meetings were scheduled quarterly on the first Tuesday of the month at 10:00 am. It is proposed that the meeting day and time be scheduled on a quarterly basis for SSTAC meetings in 2026 as shown on Attachment 1.

Should you have any questions regarding this staff report, please contact Jean Foletta at 209-525-4891 or jfoletta@stancog.org.

Attachment:

1. Draft SSTAC Meeting Schedule for Calendar Year 2026



Social Services Transportation Advisory Committee Draft 2026 Meeting Schedule

Month	1st Tuesday of the month on a quarterly basis 10:00 a.m.
January	1/6
March	3/31
August	8/4
November	11/3