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Memorandum

To: MPO Committee Members

From: Lucinda Shannon, Transportation Planning Manager

Date: January 26, 2022

Topic: Safety Performance Targets

Purpose:

Set annual safety performance targets for the MPO area.

Background:

MPOs are asked to participate in the federal Transportation Performance Management process by setting targets for their regions based on the state targets and trend data provided by the Virginia Department of Transportation. Each year the CA-MPO is required to adopt Safety Performance Targets. Last January the CA-MPO Policy Board voted to adopt the state targets for the Asset and System Condition Performance and Safety Performance Targets.

OIPI and VDOT prepare worksheets for each MPO showing the data collected to measure progress towards each performance measure that has an identified target. These worksheets compare the data over the years starting with the baseline year 2017 to identify trends and track percent changes to help measure progress and adjust the targets. These worksheets and a letter to the Virginia Department of Transportation declaring our intention to adopt the state standards are included in your packet.

Recommendation:

CA-MPO staff recommends that the MPO Policy Board votes to continues to adopt the state safety performance targets for FY 2022.