



Approve Capital Area Regional Tolling Authority Appointment

Consent

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**Attachments:** No

**Referring Committee:** Transportation

**Issue:**

The appointment of a SACOG board member to replace Director Desmond on the Capital Area Regional Tolling Authority (CARTA) board of directors.

**Request:**

Approve

**Recommendation for Board:**

The Transportation Committee recommended that the board confirm the Chair's appointment of Director Kennedy to replace Director Desmond's appointment in SACOG's at-large seat on the CARTA board.

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**Background:**

The CARTA governance structure includes two Director appointments from SACOG: one at-large seat and one seat from a jurisdiction within Yolo County. Director Villegas is currently serving in the seat from a jurisdiction within Yolo County. Sacramento County Supervisor Desmond has been serving in the SACOG at-large seat since Supervisor Kennedy vacated the SACOG board seat in April 2024. Supervisor Kennedy was reappointed to the SACOG board in January 2025. Since CARTA was created, SACOG's appointments to its board have been made by recommendation from the Chair and confirmation from the board.

**Discussion/Analysis:**

Chair Suen recommends that Director Kennedy be appointed to the CARTA board given his service on the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, the proximity of Yolo 80 to Sacramento County, and the likelihood that the next toll facility in the region will be in Sacramento County.

**Fiscal Impact/Grant Information:**

There is no fiscal impact.

**List of Attachments:**

Not applicable