DATE: Thursday, August 16, 2012
2:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Board of Supervisors Chambers
481 Fourth St., Hollister, CA 95023

DIRECTORS: Chair Doug Emerson, Vice-Chair Anthony Botelho, Directors Tony Boch, Jaime De La Cruz, and Victor Gomez
Alternates: San Benito County: Robert Rivas; City of Hollister: Robert Scattini; San Juan Bautista: Andy Moore

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2:00 P.M. CALL TO ORDER

A. Pledge of Allegiance
B. Verification of Certificate of Posting
C. Public Comment (Opportunity to address the Board on items of interest on a subject matter within the jurisdiction of the Council of Governments and not appearing on the agendas. No action may be taken unless provided by Govt. Code Sec. 54954.2 Speakers are limited to 3 minutes.)
D. Executive Director’s Report – Rheinheimer
E. Caltrans Report – Gubbins
F. Board of Directors Reports

CONSENT AGENDA:
(These matters shall be considered as a whole and without discussion unless a particular item is removed from the Consent Agenda. Members of the public who wish to speak on a Consent Agenda item must submit a Speaker Card to the Clerk and wait for recognition from the Chairperson. Approval of a consent item means approval as recommended on the Staff Report.)

1. APPROVE Council of Governments Draft Regular Meeting Minutes Dated July 19, 2012 – Gomez

2. APPROVE Council of Governments Transaction Report (Financial Claims) Dated July 2012 – Postigo
3. RECEIVE Construction Projects Report – Caltrans District 5

TRANSPORTATION ITEMS:

4. RECEIVE Presentation on AMBAG’s 2012 Population, Employment, and Housing Forecast – Rheinheimer/Nousaine (AMBAG)


   b) ADOPT Resolution 12-09 Concerning Unmet Public Transportation Needs Funding and Implementation of the Program for Fiscal Year 2012/2013.

CLOSED SESSION:

7. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION
   No. of cases: 1
   Authority: California Government Code Section 54956.9(a)
   Council of San Benito County Governments v. Hollister Inn

Adjourn to COG Meeting on September 20, 2012. Agenda Deadline is Tuesday, September 11, 2012 at 12:00 p.m.

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