## Keep Monterey County Moving...

### **Plan Goals**

Maintain Safe Streets & Roads

**Repair Potholes** 

**Reduce Traffic Congestion** 

Improve Transportation for Seniors, Youth, People with Disabilities & Working Families

Make Walking & Biking Safer



### **Transportation Safety & Investment Plan**

Over the last few decades, transportation funding at the federal and state level has reduced significantly, resulting in Monterey County roads deteriorating and becoming unsafe. Local transportation systems are underfunded and need help. TAMC's proposed Transportation Safety & Investment Plan would raise approximately \$600 million over 30 years to address transportation needs. Elected representatives and community organizations throughout the county have come together to create a plan intended to provide solutions for transportation needs throughout Monterey County.



#### **Attracting Matching Funds**

This Transportation Safety & Investment Plan will enable Monterey County to apply for state and federal matching funds, potentially doubling the money. Making this investment now for future transportation needs will help to maintain quality of life and ensure safer travel for all of Monterey County's residents.

### Taxpayer Safeguards

Strong taxpayer safeguards ensure that the projects and programs will be funded over the lifetime of the plan.

Funding raised by the sales tax can only be used for transportation projects.

An independent Citizens Oversight Committee will assure that revenues are spent according to the plan.

Requires annual independent audits and reports to the taxpayers.

A 30-year sunset means this tax is not permanent; it will require voter approval for renewal.



# ...and Support Agriculture

The agricultural community is the lifeblood of Monterey County.

The Transportation Safety & Investment plan seeks to improve transportation for this integral part of our community.





### **Plan Goals**

Fill potholes and repair county roads

Make intersections safer for both auto and truck traffic

Support the rapid movement of agricultural goods

Create economic opportunities for one of the region's top industries

## Examples of projects intended to benefit the agricultural community:

US 101 Safety Improvements – South

State Route 156 Safety Improvements

County road improvements including:

River Road

Jolon Road

Reservation Road

Elkhorn Road

Gonzales River Road



