

# Orange County Sustainable Communities Strategy



OCTA Board Meeting  
June 27, 2011

# Creating Orange County's SCS

- Framing the Effort
  - SB 375
  - SCAG/OCCOG/OCTA MOU
- Foundational Input
  - OCP-2010
  - Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP)
  - OCCOG Board, OCCOG TAC, Joint OCCOG/OCTA Committee
- Orange County's Strategies to Reduce GHG

# Vetting the OC SCS

- Since Release of Draft OC SCS:
  - Additional input and comment via meetings, written correspondence, web tool
  - OCTA Executive Committee, June 6th
  - 2 public workshops (Anaheim, Mission Viejo)
  - Presentations/meetings with housing advocates, Urban Land Institute, Orange County Business Council, Housing Committee, Building Industry Association Southern California, and others
  - Two OCCOG TAC meetings and sub-committee
- Changes incorporated into Final OC SCS

# What's New in the Final OC SCS?

- Maps updated to reflect Orange County's existing and projected land uses.
- Long Range Transportation Plan clarifications/updates including Complete Streets concept.
- Two additional strategies related to:
  - Affordable Housing
  - Natural Lands/Open Space
- Assessment of relative emissions reduction benefit of strategies and linkage to CARB strategies.

# What's New in the Final OC SCS?

- Summary Matrix
- All communications documented and transmitted to SCAG as part of the OC SCS.

# Fine-tuning the Document

- Final OC SCS incorporated into SCAG RTP and Regional SCS
- No action or General Plan amendments necessary by local jurisdictions for OC SCS.
- Further Public Outreach between now and April 2012
- SCAG leads the effort from here, we continue to participate and monitor.

# Next Steps

- Transmittal of OC SCS to SCAG: June 30, 2011
- OC SCS integration into regional RTP/SCS: June-Nov. 2011
- SCAG Releases Draft RTP/SCS: Nov. 2011
- Public Comment Period for Draft RTP/SCS: Nov. 2011 – early 2012
- SCAG adopts RTP/SCS and submits to California Air Resources Board: April 2012