

Ventura County Transportation Commission

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Gov. Newsom Relief Package Proposal

Overview – Gov. Gavin Newsom has released an \$11 billion relief package intended to help Californians facing higher gas prices. The proposal has six components.

- \$9 billion for tax rebates sent to registered vehicle owners in California.
- \$750 million in incentive grants to local transit and rail agencies to offer free fares.
- Pause on the gas tax increase scheduled for July 1.
- Pause on a portion of the sales tax rate on diesel.
- ✤ \$500 million for Active Transportation Program projects.
- Accelerate \$1.75 billion of the governor's \$10 billion zero-emissions vehicle proposal.



Thank you



Questions?