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## **\$500,000 Grant Awarded to the County of Solano**

**Suisun City, CA** –The Solano Transportation Authority (STA) has awarded a \$500,000 grant to the County of Solano for their Old Town Cordelia Improvement Project. The project is one of three Solano County projects awarded grants as part of the STA's innovative Transportation for Livable Communities (TLC) program.

"The County of Solano is pleased to receive this \$500,000 grant for the Old Town Cordelia Improvement Project," said Solano County Supervisor John Silva. "This project was developed through a collaborative process with the Cordelia Area Task Force, the County of Solano, City of Fairfield and the STA."

The proposed project consists of safety improvements and enhancements along Cordelia Road in Old Town Cordelia, between Lopes Road and Pittman Road, including a separated multi-use bicycle/pedestrian path, new crosswalks, pedestrian-scale lighting and new street landscaping.

The STA's TLC Program provides funds for transportation projects that encourage pedestrian, bicycle and transit trips and that link land uses to alternative transportation modes and support a community's larger infill development or revitalization effort. This is the first time the STA has awarded TLC funds to local communities. A total of \$1.8 million was awarded by the STA with additional funds being awarded to Suisun City (\$372,200) and the City of Benicia (\$1,000,000).