

## **Attachment 4**

### **Summary of Documents for Rail/Trail Authority Projects**

1. Capitola to Aptos with Extension to Seascapes Recreational Rail Service Environmental Impact Report (EIR)
  - a. Initial Study released in October 2003
  - b. Draft EIR planned for release May 20, 2004
  - c. Public Hearing planned for June 17, 2004
  - d. Draft EIR comments due on July 6, 2004
  - e. It is expected that the Final EIR will be presented to the RTC for consideration on September 16, 2004
  
2. Appraisals of the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line right-of-way, tracks and structures, and going concern
  - a. Draft appraisals are currently being prepared
  - b. The review appraiser and Caltrans are planned to complete their review in June
  - c. Appraisals are planned to be presented to the Commission for consideration in August 2004
  
3. Rail Line Acquisition Business Plan
  - a. The draft of the business plan is currently being prepared
  
4. Phase II Environmental Site Assessment
  - a. Contract Issued in September 2000
  - b. UP refuses to issue right of entry until there is a tentative price agreement for acquisition
  - c. A work plan has been prepared and submitted to the County Environmental Health Department
  - d. The expenditure deadline for the STIP funds allocated for this work has expired
  - e. Using Federal Earmark funds for completion of the work is currently being recommended
  - f. It is expected that a Phase II Environmental Site Assessment will be available for Commission consideration in September or October
  
5. Coastal Rail Trail Master Plan and Environmental Impact Report
  - a. It is expected that a request for proposals for the work will be issued in the Spring of 2005
  - b. A draft of the Master Plan may be available towards the end of 2005