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**REPORT OF THE GENERAL MANAGER
 BOARD OF DIRECTORS
 MEETING OF JANUARY 25, 2008**

The Honorable Board of Directors
 Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transportation District

Honorable Members:

SPECIAL EVENT/EXPRESSIVE ACTIVITY REQUESTS

There were no scheduled special event/expressive activities since last reported in the January 11, 2008, Report of the General Manager.

BRIDGE TRAFFIC FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2007

Bridge traffic for the month of December increased 0.6% to 3,133,578 vehicles as compared to the previous year's total of 3,114,590 vehicles during the month of December. Average daily traffic reflects an increase from 100,471 in December 2006, to 101,083 in December 2007. The highest traffic day recorded was Friday, December 7 when 122,614 vehicles crossed the Bridge (Attachment 1).

VEHICLE TRAFFIC INCIDENTS FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 2007

Of the 3,133,578 vehicles that crossed the Golden Gate Bridge in December, there were 8 traffic incidents detailed as follows:

GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE AND TOLL PLAZA				
Vehicle Traffic Incident	Occurrences	Vehicles	Injuries	Fatalities
RE – Rear Ender	1	2	0	0
RO – Roll Over	1	2	0	0
TOTAL	2	4	0	0
APPROACHES – (Waldo Grade, Alexander Ave., Doyle Drive & Park Presidio Blvd.)				
Vehicle Traffic Incident	Occurrences	Vehicles	Injuries	Fatalities
C- Collision	1	2	0	0
RE – Rear Ender	5	16	2	0
TOTAL	6	18	2	0

FERRY STATISTICS – DECEMBER 2007

During the month of December, Larkspur ferry service carried 104,285 passengers. Morning commute runs carried 29,037 passengers, and evening commute runs carried 41,120. A total of 910 crossings were scheduled and completed. Averages were:

Daily	3,476
Weekdays	4,553
Sat., Sun., Hol.	1,322
AM Commute	1,452
PM Commute	2,056

Sausalito ferry service carried 30,340 passengers during the month of December. Morning commute runs carried 3,546 passengers, and evening commute runs carried 9,997. A total of 490 crossings were scheduled and completed. Averages were:

Daily	1,011
Weekdays	1,029
Sat., Sun., Hol.	976
AM Commute	177
PM Commute	500

Tables detailing December Larkspur and Sausalito Ferry patronage are attached (Attachments 2-3).

PRESENTATION OF FIVE YEAR SERVICE AWARD TO JAKE MCGOLDRICK, DIRECTOR

We are pleased to announce that Director Jake McGoldrick celebrates five years of service with the District on January 31, 2008.

Director McGoldrick took the oath of office, joining the District's Board of Directors on January 31, 2003, as one of nine City and County of San Francisco representatives on the Board of Directors. Currently, Director McGoldrick serves as a member of the District's Governmental Affairs and Public Information Committee and of the Rules, Policy and Industrial Relation Committee.

Director McGoldrick has been a member of San Francisco Board of Supervisors, District 1, since 2000. He also holds many other positions in San Francisco city government, including Chair of the San Francisco County Transportation Authority, Chair of the City Operations and Neighborhood Services Committee, member of the Land Use Committee and member of the Local Agency Formation Commission. In addition, Director McGoldrick also holds several regional government positions, as San Francisco's representative for the Bay Air Quality Management District and the California State Association of Counties.

**PRESENTATION OF FIVE YEAR SERVICE AWARD TO JAKE McGOLDRICK,
DIRECTOR (continued)**

Director McGoldrick has an extensive record of community service in San Francisco, with an emphasis on preserving the unique character of San Francisco neighborhoods, affordable housing, public transportation and pedestrian safety. Director McGoldrick was a founder of the Richmond Community Association and has also been involved with the Coalition for San Francisco Neighborhoods and the San Francisco Housing and Tenants Council.

In his professional life, Director McGoldrick has been an English teacher on both the high school and university level, and has served as President of the University of San Francisco Adjunct Faculty Association, AFT Local No. 4269.

Director McGoldrick received his Bachelor and Master of Arts from San Francisco State University.

**PRESENTATION OF FIVE YEAR SERVICE AWARD TO JANET REILLY,
DIRECTOR**

We are pleased to announce that Director Janet Reilly celebrates five years of service with the District on January 31, 2008.

Director Reilly took the oath of office, joining the District Board of Directors on January 31, 2003, as one of nine San Francisco City and County representatives on the Board of Directors. Currently, Director Reilly serves on the following District's Committees: Vice-Chair of the Building and Operating Committee and member of the Finance-Auditing, Governmental Affairs and Public Information and Bridge Barrier Projects Committees. In addition, Director Reilly is a past member of the Rules, Policy and Industrial Relations and Partnership Advisory Committees.

Director Reilly's government service included working on the Non-Profit Task Force of Mayor Gavin Newsom's Transition Team for his first term, and also served as the Field Representative for Los Angeles Mayor Richard J. Riordan. Director Reilly has an extensive record of community and civic activities, including Co-Founder of the Archbishop's Loaves and Fishes Awards Dinner, member of the Asian Art Museum Foundation Board and Executive Committee. Director Reilly also serves on the San Francisco Film Society Board of Directors and is Chair of that organization's Development Committee. In addition, Director Reilly has served as an Advisor to Shanti and to Catholic Charities CYO.

Director Reilly received her Bachelor of Arts from University of California, Los Angeles and her Master of Science at the Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University.

**PRESENTATION OF THIRTY-FIVE YEAR SERVICE AWARD TO GREGG LEE, BUS
OPERATOR, BUS DIVISION**

We are pleased to announce that Bus Operator Gregg Lee celebrated thirty-five years of service with the District on January 8, 2008.

Mr. Lee joined the District January 8, 1973, as Bus Operator.

**PRESENTATION OF TWENTY YEAR SERVICE AWARD TO DAVIE COMADURAN,
ART SUPERVISOR, DISTRICT DIVISION**

We are pleased to announce that Art Supervisor Davie Comaduran celebrated twenty years of service with the District on January 18, 2008.

Ms. Comaduran joined the District on January 18, 1988, as an Associate Graphic Designer in the Marketing Department. Prior to her full-time District employment, Ms. Comaduran worked for the District as a freelance graphic designer at the District. During her employment with the District, she was selected Employee of the Month for December 1990. Ms. Comaduran has won many awarding during her District employment, including; the 1992 Metropolitan Transportation Commission's regional award for Transit Ad Campaign: "Pollution Solution", first place in the Advocacy/Awareness APTA Adwheel award in 1997, the APTA Adwheel award for a recruitment campaign in 2000, and in 2001 she won the APTA Adwheel award for Print Media for the District's recruitment brochure. Ms. Comaduran has proven to have a creative flare for developing the type of artwork which captures the attention of transit riders. She prepares the artwork and layout for a variety of publications originated by the Marketing & Communications Department.

Prior to District service, Ms. Comaduran worked as an Art Director for both Hastings Clothing Store and Star TV. She worked as a freelance Graphic Designer and Copywriter in the Bay Area from February 1983 to June 1985. She was also the editor and writer for the South Carolina Arts Commission. Ms. Comaduran was born in Columbia, South Carolina, where she attended the University of South Carolina and later attended the University of Dijon in France. She achieved a Bachelor of Arts degree in Advertising Art and two years work on her Masters degree in Theatre and Speech.

In her free time, Ms. Comaduran enjoys traveling with her two wonderful daughters. Her interests include theater and film, dance, water skiing and writing poetry.

EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR FOR 2007

The Employee of the Month Committee met and selected Principal Planner Ron Downing, District Division, as the *Employee of the Year for 2007*.

Mr. Downing was the Employee of the Month for May 2007, and was nominated by his fellow employees in recognition of his commitment to the implementation of the Marin County Transit District local bus service contract. Amongst the daily duties of Mr. Downing's job requirements, Mr. Downing most played a significant role in the restructuring of the local Marin bus routes. Mr. Downing has also been instrumental as the District's liaison for projects such as the seasonal Muir Woods shuttle bus.

Mr. Downing will be recognized by Board President Moylan at the Board of Directors meeting on January 25, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,
Celia G. Kupersmith, General Manager
Attachments
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