

# Discuss Caltrain Proposed 1/8-Cent Sales Tax Measure

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# Timeline for Caltrain Ballot Measure

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- **2017:** Senate Bill 797 authorizing consolidated election
- **April 1, 2020:** SamTrans voted to keep the option open for the Caltrain board to put a 1/8 cent sales tax on the ballot in November
- **May 5, 2020:** San Mateo County Board of Supervisors approved resolution to place a 1/8 cent sales tax on the ballot in November
- **July 14, 2020:** San Francisco Board of Supervisors declined to agendaize ballot measure
- **July 28, 2020:** San Francisco Board of Supervisors approved an amended resolution
- **July 31, 2020:** San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency rejected ballot measure. August 4 SFMTA meeting has been cancelled.
- **August 4, 2020:** Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors
- **August 6, 2020:** Caltrain Board
- **August 6, 2020:** VTA Board