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**Subject:** RE: Call & email re. Express Lanes FW: NBC Bay Area Inquiry  
**Date:** Thursday, July 25, 2024 11:39:17 AM  
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Thanks. Randol is already on this!

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**From:** cacsecretary [@smcta.com] <cac@samtrans.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 25, 2024 11:39 AM  
**To:** Peter Skinner <SkinnerP@samtrans.com>; Beach, Emily [ebeach@burlingame.org] <ebeach@burlingame.org>  
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**Subject:** Call & email re. Express Lanes FW: NBC Bay Area Inquiry  
**Importance:** High

Hello - attached voicemail and email from reporter re. Express Lanes.

Thanks,

Dora

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**From:** Gutierrez, Hilda (NBCUniversal) <[Hilda.Gutierrez@nbcuni.com](mailto:Hilda.Gutierrez@nbcuni.com)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 25, 2024 11:21 AM  
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Hi,

I am following up on the email below

**Hilda Gutiérrez**

Investigative Reporter

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**From:** Gutierrez, Hilda (NBCUniversal)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 24, 2024 1:03 PM  
**To:** 'cacsecretary@smcta.com' <[cacsecretary@smcta.com](mailto:cacsecretary@smcta.com)>  
**Subject:** NBC Bay Area Inquiry

Hi,

We're reaching out because we're working on a story about express lanes and believe your input would be helpful to our reporting.

We're looking at how effective they are at reducing congestion.

How much money are they taking in, where is the money going, and is this really an equitable way of operating where those with money can pay more to avoid traffic jams?

Please let me know if you have someone who can speak on this on an on camera interview.

We are available 11am on Friday or the following Monday?

Thanks so much,

**Hilda Gutiérrez**

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