



## InfoMAP Update

### January 23, 2006

The PUC is continuing to make significant progress in moving forward with the Information Management and Access Project (InfoMAP) to update our case management system and to provide for electronic access and filings.

Following are updates:

- After receiving funding approval in July 2005, we issued our Request for Proposals on Sept. 16, 2005. We then conducted a mandatory pre-proposal conference on Oct. 3, 2005.
- Four vendors, representing 11 companies, submitted bids on Nov. 30, 2005.
- The Evaluation Committee consisted of five PUC employees, and one representative each from the Department of General Services and the Office of Administration.
- In our pending budget request for Fiscal Year 2006-07, we are seeking approval for additional funding in the amount of \$2.75 million, which represents the balance of our \$6.6 million estimate for this project.
- Using pre-determined selection criteria, the Evaluation Committee scored the proposals and arrived at a preliminary recommendation on Dec. 13, 2005. As a result of questions about two of the bids, the Evaluation Committee asked those two bidders to attend follow-up meetings for the purpose of receiving clarifications.
- On Dec. 28, 2005, we forwarded the Evaluation Committee's recommendation to the Commission. The Commissioners approved that selection on Jan. 12, 2006.
- All bidders have been notified of the outcome, and contract negotiations are under way with the PUC's preferred vendor.
- It is our expectation that a contract will be awarded so that the project will commence during the first quarter of 2006. Under our estimated timeframe, we would expect the project to be completed by the first quarter of 2008.