



# County of Riverside General Plan - Hearing Draft

## Air Quality Element

**Table AQ-4  
Commute Distance by Home County**

Home County	1992	1993	1994	1996	1998	1999
Los Angeles	15.8 miles	13.3 miles	15.3 miles	14.6 miles	15.3 miles	14.9 miles
Orange	14.9	14	15.8	15.7	14.2	16.1
<b>Riverside</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>22.8</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>24.1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>21.6</b>
San Bernardino	20.4	20	21.3	25	22.4	21.3
Ventura	17.7	15.4	16.2	17.8	15.9	16.3
Imperial*	NA	NA	NA	11.8	12.1	14.5

\* Imperial County was included for the first time in the 1996 study.

Source: 1999 SCAG State of the Commute Report

**Table AQ-5  
Commuting Time for Trip to Work by Home County**

Home County	1992	1993	1994	1996	1998	1999
Los Angeles	37 minutes	33 minutes	30 minutes	33 minutes	31 minutes	34 minutes
Orange	32	29	30	30	31	33
<b>Riverside</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>37</b>
San Bernardino	35	36	36	38	37	35
Ventura	28	26	28	28	26	27
Imperial	NA	NA	NA	20	23	24

\* Imperial County was included for the first time in the 1996 study.

Source: 1999 SCAG State of the Commute Report

**Table AQ-6  
Commuting Time for Return Trip Home by Home County**

Home County	1992	1993	1994	1996	1998	1999
Los Angeles	42 minutes	36 minutes	34 minutes	36 minutes	38 minutes	41 minutes
Orange	35	34	38	37	34	41
<b>Riverside</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>38</b>
San Bernardino	42	39	42	47	39	41
Ventura	32	30	31	32	30	33
Imperial	NA	NA	NA	21	24	23

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**Transportation Demand Management (TDM)** - Low-cost ways to reduce demand by automobiles on transportation systems, such as programs to promote telecommuting, flextime and ridesharing.

Transportation Demand Management (TDM) can help unclog freeways and reduce commute times, thereby improving air quality. However, it means planning driving patterns to reduce the number of cars and trucks using the roads at any one time. This in the essence of TDM.