



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

The Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority Board of Directors will hold a public meeting on June 27, 2013 at 9:00 am in the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) Boardroom located at One Gateway Plaza, Los Angeles.

The Board is considering an amendment to the Measure R Traffic Relief and Rail Expansion Ordinance and Expenditure Plan (also referred to as Attachment A of the Ordinance). This Ordinance was approved by the voters in 2008 and imposed an additional 1/2 of one percent transactions and use tax to fund county transportation improvements over a 30-year period. The proposed amendments will allow projects scheduled for completion in the second and third decades of the Expenditure Plan to be accelerated by an average of 10 years. The Board is required to hold a public meeting on the proposed amendment prior to adoption.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE AND EXPENDITURE PLAN

Two amendments to the Measure R Ordinance are being proposed. The first amendment would add a new section to the Ordinance, Section 18 as noted below. This new section describes the financial conditions under which project acceleration can occur and states that the accelerated project sequence will follow the same order as the adopted 2009 Long Range Transportation Plan.

SECTION 18. MEASURE R PROJECT FINANCE ACCELERATION PLAN

If TIFIA loans and a TIFIA Master Credit Agreement of at least \$3.0 billion combined(1), America Fast Forward Tax Credit Bonds of at least \$1.0 billion, and Full Funding Grant Agreements (FFGAs) of at least \$1.9 billion combined are executed for one or more of the 12 transit projects, the amended “Funds Available Beginning” dates shown on lines 6, 9, 12, 13, and 16 of Attachment A shall take effect and Metro shall complete all 12 transit projects in the same sequence as the adopted 2009 Long Range Transportation Plan(2). However, if such loan agreements in the sum of at least \$4.0 billion or one or both of the FFGAs in the sum of at least \$1.9 billion are not executed, this amendment shall not take effect and the “Funds Available Beginning” dates shown on lines 6, 9, 12, 13, and 16 of Attachment A shall not change.

(1) Including prior transit TIFIA loans with Measure R pledged in repayment.

(2) Does not apply to non-Measure R funds.

The second proposed amendment would amend the Measure R Expenditure Plan (ATTACHMENT A). Unless amended, the Expenditure Plan approved by the voters does not allow the accelerated expenditure of Measure R funds on transit projects before the dates shown in the "Funds Available Beginning" column of the Expenditure Plan on page 2. The "Funds Available Beginning" dates for certain transit projects need to be amended to begin expending Measure R funds on those projects to complete their construction within the accelerated schedule. No changes to the Highway Capital project dates are required to permit acceleration efforts because Measure R flexibly described their "Funds Available Beginning" dates as "To Be Determined". Attached is a revised Expenditure Plan which presents the proposed amendments to the Transit Capital Subfund "Funds Available Beginning" dates needed to enable the proposed project acceleration. At the time the Board considers approval of this amendment, an accelerated project delivery schedule will also be presented for consideration.

Written comments on this matter will be accepted through June 27, 2013. All comments should be addressed to Board Administration, Metro, One Gateway Plaza, Mail Stop 99-3-1, Los Angeles, CA 90012-2952. Copies of the proposed Ordinance amendment and the Measure R Ordinance are available from Metro's Records Management Center at the LACMTA Plaza Level at (213) 922-2342 and at www.metro.net.

**One-Half Cent Sales Tax for Transportation
Outline of Expenditure Categories
Sunsets in 30-Years: Fiscal Year (FY) 2010 - 2039**
(millions)

**ATTACHMENT A
Proposed Amendment**

Subfund	Program	% of Sales Tax (net of administration)	First Year Amount	10-Year Amount	30-Year Amount
Transit Capital	New Rail and/or Bus Rapid Transit Capital Projects - project definition depends on final environmental review process	35%	\$ 241	\$ 2,930	\$ 13,790
Transit Capital	Metrolink Capital Improvement Projects within Los Angeles County (Operations, Maintenance, and Expansion)	3%	\$ 21	\$ 251	\$ 1,182
Transit Capital	Metro Rail Capital - System Improvements, Rail Yards, and Rail Cars	2%	\$ 14	\$ 167	\$ 788
Highway Capital	Carpool Lanes, Highways, Goods Movement, Grade Separations, and Soundwalls	20%	\$ 138	\$ 1,675	\$ 7,880
Operations	Rail Operations (New Transit Project Operations and Maintenance)	5%	\$ 34	\$ 419	\$ 1,970
Operations	Bus Operations (Countywide Bus Service Operations, Maintenance, and Expansion. Suspend a scheduled July 1, 2009 Metro fare increase for one year and freeze all Metro Student, Senior, Disabled, and Medicare fares through June 30, 2013 by instead using Metro's Formula Allocation Procedure share of this subfund.)	20%	\$ 138	\$ 1,675	\$ 7,880
Local Return	Major street resurfacing, rehabilitation and reconstruction; pothole repair; left turn signals; bikeways; pedestrian improvements; streetscapes; signal synchronization; and transit. (Local Return to the Incorporated Cities within Los Angeles County and to Los Angeles County for the Unincorporated Area of the County on a Per Capita Basis.)	15%	\$ 103	\$ 1,256	\$ 5,910
TOTAL PROGRAMS		100%	\$ 689	\$ 8,373	\$ 39,400
1.5% for Administration			\$ 11	\$ 127	\$ 600
GRAND TOTAL			\$ 700	\$ 8,500	\$ 40,000

One-Half Cent Sales Tax for Transportation: Expenditure Plan

30 Years, Fiscal Year (FY) 2010 - 2039

As Adopted by the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority Board of Directors July 24, 2008

(\$ in millions)

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Public Notice - Measure R Project Finance Acceleration Plan

for reference only - not priority order	Subfund	Potential Project in Alphabetical Order by Category (project definition depends on final environmental process)	Cost Estimate	New Sales Tax (Assembly Bill 2321)			Other Funds			Funds Available Beginning	Expected Completion	
				Minimum	Additional	Total	Federal Funding	State Funding	Local Funding (Rail is 3% except as noted)			
1		Transit Projects: New Rail and/or Bus Rapid Transit Capital Projects. Could include rail improvements or exclusive bus rapid transit improvements in designated corridors.										
2			Escalated \$									
3		Eastside Light Rail Access (Gold Line)	\$ 30	\$ 30	\$ -	\$ 30	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	FY 2010	FY 2013	
4		Exposition Boulevard Light Rail Transit	\$ 1,632 ^a	\$ 925	\$ -	\$ 925	\$ -	\$ 353	\$ 354	FY 2010-12	FY 2013-15	
5		Metro and Municipal Regional Clean Fuel Bus Capital Facilities and Rolling Stock (Metro's share to be used for clean fuel buses)	\$ 150	\$ 150	\$ -	\$ 150	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	FY 2010	FY 2039	
6		Regional Connector (links local rail lines)	\$ 1,320	\$ 160	\$ -	\$ 160	\$ 708	\$ 186	\$ 266 ^b	FY 2014-16 FY 2013-16	FY 2023-25	
7			Current 2008 \$									
8	Transit Capital Projects	Grenshaw Transit Corridor - project acceleration	\$ 1,470	\$ 235.5	\$ 971.5	\$ 1,207	To be determined		\$ 263 ^c	FY 2010-12	FY 2016-18	
9		Gold Line Eastside Extension	\$ 1,310	\$ -	\$ 1,271	\$ 1,271			\$ 39	FY 2022-24 FY 2013-24	FY 2033-35	
10		Gold Line Foothill Light Rail Transit Extension	\$ 758	\$ 735	\$ -	\$ 735			\$ 23	FY 2010-12	FY 2015-17	
11		Green Line Extension to Los Angeles International Airport	\$ 200	\$ -	\$ 200	\$ 200			TBD ^d	FY 2010-12	FY 2015-28 ^d	
12		Green Line Extension: Redondo Beach Station to South Bay Corridor	\$ 280	\$ -	\$ 272	\$ 272			\$ 8	FY 2028-30 FY 2013-30	FY 2033-35	
13		San Fernando Valley I-405 Corridor Connection (match to total project cost)	TBD	\$ -	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000			\$ 31	FY 2030-32 FY 2013-32	FY 2038-39	
14		San Fernando Valley North-South Rapidways (Canoga Corridor) - project acceleration	\$ 188	\$ 32 ^e	\$ 150	\$ 182			\$ 6	FY 2010-12	FY 2014-16	
15		San Fernando Valley East North-South Rapidways - project acceleration	\$ 70	\$ 68.5 ^e	\$ -	\$ 68.5			\$ 2	FY 2013-15	FY 2016-18	
16		West Santa Ana Branch Corridor (match to total project cost)	TBD	\$ -	\$ 240	\$ 240			\$ 7	FY 2015-17* FY 2013-17*	FY 2025-27*	
17		Westside Subway Extension - to be opened in segments	\$ 4,200 ^f	\$ 900	\$ 3,174	\$ 4,074			\$ 126	FY 2013-15	FY 2034-36	
18		Capital Project Contingency (Transit)-Escalation Allowance for lines 8-17 to be based on year of construction	\$ 7,331	\$ 173	\$ 3,103	\$ 3,276	\$ 2,200	\$ 1,015	\$ 840 ^g	FY 2010	FY 2039	
19		Total New Rail and/or Bus Rapid Transit Capital Projects	\$ 18,939 ^h	\$ 3,408.5	\$ 10,381.5	\$ 13,790	\$ 2,908	\$ 1,554	\$ 1,965	FY 2010	FY 2039	

for reference only - not priority order	Subfund	Potential Project in Alphabetical Order by Category (project definition depends on final environmental process)	Cost Estimate	New Sales Tax (Assembly Bill 2321)			Other Funds			Funds Available Beginning	Expected Completion
				Minimum	Additional	Total	Federal Funding	State Funding	Local Funding (Rail is 3% except as noted)		
20		Highway Projects: Capital Projects- Carpool Lanes, Highways, Goods Movement, Grade Separations, and Soundwalls									
21			Escalated \$								
22		Alameda Corridor East Grade Separations Phase II	\$ 1,123	\$ 200	\$ 200	\$ 400	\$ 200	\$ 336	\$ 187 ⁱ	As funds become available	
23		BNSF Grade Separations in Gateway Cities	\$ 35	\$ -	\$ 35	\$ 35	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	As funds become available	
24		Countywide Soundwall Construction (Metro regional list and Monterey Park/SR-60)	\$ 250	\$ 250	\$ -	\$ 250	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	FY 2010	FY 2039
25		High Desert Corridor (environmental)	\$ 33	\$ -	\$ 33	\$ 33	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	As funds become available	
26		Interstate 5 / St. Route 14 Capacity Enhancement	\$ 161	\$ 90.8	\$ -	90.8	\$ 15	\$ 41	\$ 14 ^j	FY 2010	FY 2013-15
27		Interstate 5 Capacity Enhancement from I-605 to Orange County Line	\$ 1,240	\$ 264.8	\$ -	\$ 264.8	\$ 78	\$ 834	\$ 63 ^j	FY 2010	FY 2016-17
28		I-5 Capacity Enhancement from SR-134 to SR-170	\$ 610	\$ 271.5	\$ -	\$ 271.5	\$ 50	\$ 264	\$ 24 ^j	FY 2010	FY 2013
29		I-5 Carmenita Road Interchange Improvement	\$ 389	\$ 138	\$ -	\$ 138	\$ 97	\$ 154	\$ - ^j	FY 2010	FY 2015
30			Current 2008 \$								
31	Highway Capital Projects	Highway Operational Improvements in Arroyo Verdugo subregion	\$ 170	\$ -	\$ 170	\$ 170	To be determined			As funds become available	
32		Highway Operational Improvements in Las Virgenes/Malibu subregion	\$ 175	\$ -	\$ 175	\$ 175					
33		Interstate 405, I-110, I-105, and SR-91 Ramp and Interchange Improvements (South Bay)	\$ 906	\$ -	\$ 906	\$ 906					
34		Interstate 5 North Capacity Enhancements from SR-14 to Kern County Line (Truck Lanes)	\$ 2,800	\$ -	\$ 410	\$ 410					
35		Interstate 605 Corridor "Hot Spot" Interchanges	\$ 2,410	\$ -	\$ 590	\$ 590					
36		Interstate 710 North Gap Closure (tunnel)	\$ 3,730	\$ -	\$ 780	\$ 780					
37		Interstate 710 South and/or Early Action Projects	\$ 5,460	\$ -	\$ 590	\$ 590					
38		State Route 138 Capacity Enhancements	\$ 270	\$ -	\$ 200	\$ 200					
39		Capital Project Contingency (Highway)-Escalation Allowance for lines 31-38 to be based on year of construction	\$ 2,575	\$ -	\$ 2,575.9	\$ 2,576					
40		Total Capital Projects Highway: Carpool Lanes, Highways, Goods Movements, Grade Separations, and Soundwalls	\$ 22,337	\$ 1,215.1	\$ 6,664.9	\$ 7,880	TBD	TBD	\$ 288	FY 2010	FY 2039

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				Minimum	Additional	Total Escalated	Federal Funding	State Funding	Local Funding (Rail is 3% except as noted)		
41	Ops	Bus Operations (Countywide Bus Service Operations, Maintenance, and Expansion. Suspend a scheduled July 1, 2009 Metro fare increase for one year and freeze all Metro Student, Senior, Disabled, and Medicare fares through June 30, 2013 by instead using Metro's Formula Allocation Procedure share of this subfund.)	20%	\$ -	\$ 7,880	\$ 7,880 ^k	Not Applicable		FY 2010	FY 2039	
42	Ops	Rail Operations (New Transit Project Operations and Maintenance)	5%	\$ -	\$ 1,970	\$ 1,970 ^k			FY 2010	FY 2039	
43	Local Return	Major street resurfacing, rehabilitation and reconstruction; pothole repair; left turn signals; bikeways; pedestrian improvements; streetscapes; signal synchronization; and transit.	15% ^l	\$ 250	\$ 5,660	\$ 5,910 ^k			FY 2010	FY 2039	
44	Tran. Cap.	Metro Rail Capital Projects - System Improvements, Rail Yards, and Rail Cars	2%	\$ -	\$ 788	\$ 788 ^k			FY 2010	FY 2039	
45	Tran. Cap.	Metrolink Capital Improvement Projects within Los Angeles County (Operations, Maintenance, and Expansion)	3%	\$ 70	\$ 1,112	\$ 1,182 ^k			FY 2010	FY 2039	
46		Subtotal Transit and Highway Capital Projects	\$ 41,276^m	\$ 4,623.6	\$ 17,046	\$ 21,670	\$ 2,908	\$ 1,554	\$ 2,253	FY 2010	FY 2039
47		Subtotal page 4		\$ 320.0	\$ 17,410	\$ 17,730	Not Applicable				
48		1.5% for Administration	N/A	\$ 10	\$ 590	\$ 600	Not Applicable			FY 2010	FY 2039
49		Total		\$ 4,953.6	\$ 35,046	\$ 40,000	\$ 2,908	\$ 1,554	\$ 2,253	FY 2010	FY 2039

Notes:

- a. The Exposition Blvd Light Rail Transit project includes the following funds: Prop 1B Transit Modernization funds (\$250 M), State Transportation Improvement Program funds (\$103 M), Metro Propositions A and C funds (\$354 M).
- b. Systemwide ridership forecasts indicate need for a Regional Connector downtown. This expenditure plan assumes that Metro Long Range Transportation Plan funds freed-up from the Exposition Phase II project by passage of this sales tax will be redirected to the Regional Connector project by the Metro Board.
- c. Local funding for the Crenshaw Transit Corridor assumes a 3% local contribution (\$44 M) and a Metro Long Range Transportation Plan contribution (\$219 M).
- d. Local funding target and project schedule to be determined due to potential LAX contribution. First segment is included in the Crenshaw project.
- e. The San Fernando Valley North-South Rapidways minimum of \$100 M is divided between the East and Canoga segments.
- f. Unescalated cost estimate to Westwood.
- g. Assumes a 3% local contribution to the Escalation Allowance (\$225 M) and a Metro Long Range Transportation Plan contribution for project scheduling risk (\$615 M).
- h. Total new rail and/or bus rapid transit capital projects cost estimate subject to change when cost estimates are developed for the San Fernando Valley I-405 Corridor Connection (line 13) and the West Santa Ana Branch Corridor (line 16).
- i. The precise amounts of Federal and local funding for the Alameda Corridor East Grade Separations Phase II project are subject to change.
- j. For projects funded from other sources on or before December 31, 2008, the funds freed-up by passage of this sales tax shall remain in the subregion in which the project is located for projects or programs of regional significance (per AB 2321).
- k. Amounts are estimates. Actual amounts will be based on percentage of actual sales tax receipts net of administration.
- l. Local Return to the incorporated cities within Los Angeles County and to Los Angeles County for the unincorporated area of the County on a per capita basis per annual California Department of Finance population data.
- m. The total project cost estimate for the transit and highway capital projects of \$41.2 B includes \$12.9 B in as yet unidentified federal, state, local, and public-private partnership funds for highway projects.

Legend: Ops = Operations; Tran. Cap. = Transit Capital; SR = State Route; I = Interstate

* The West Santa Ana Branch matching funds would be accelerated by utilizing Long Range Transportation Plan resources freed-up by the use of new sales tax funds on the Interstate 5 Capacity Enhancement from I-605 to Orange County Line project (line 27).