



# Metro Briefing

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# If you've been . . .

. . . on a bus

. . . on a train

. . . in a carpool lane

. . . on a highway

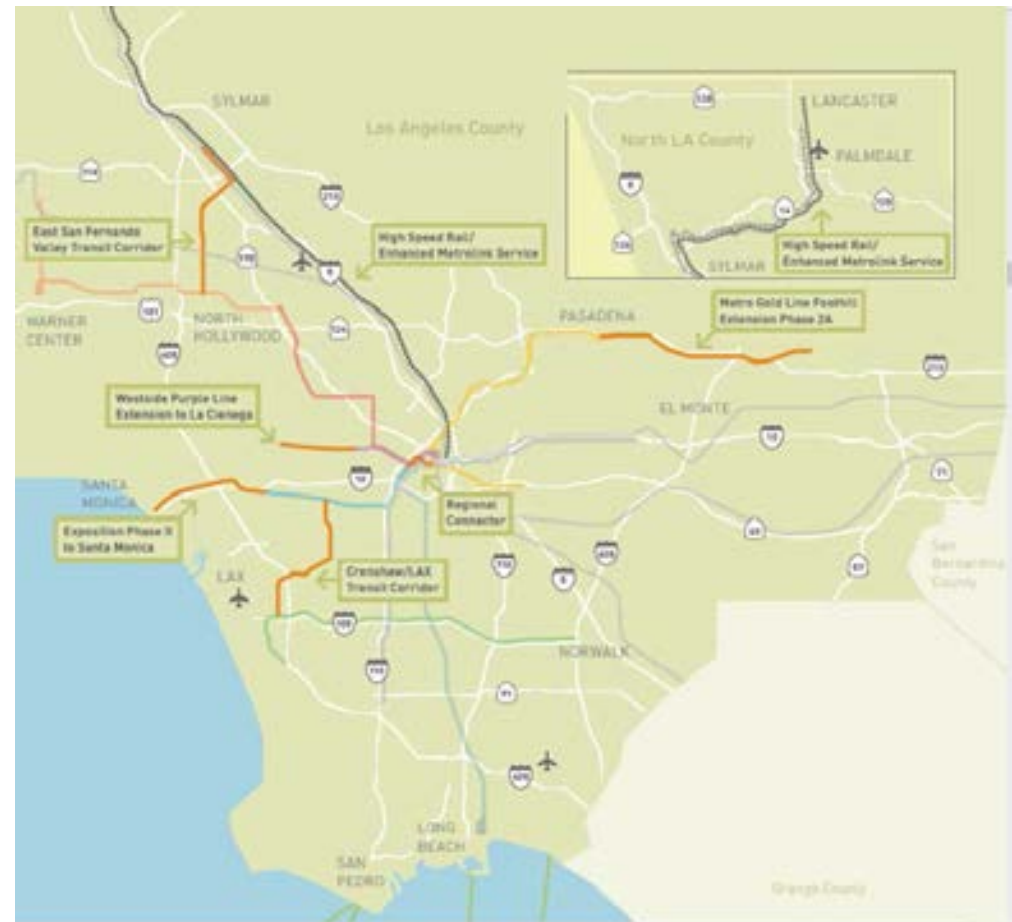
. . . on a bike

. . . at a stop light

then you are a Metro Customer

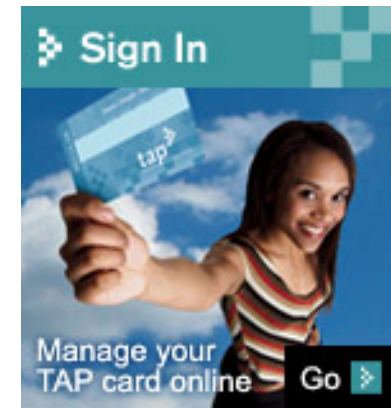
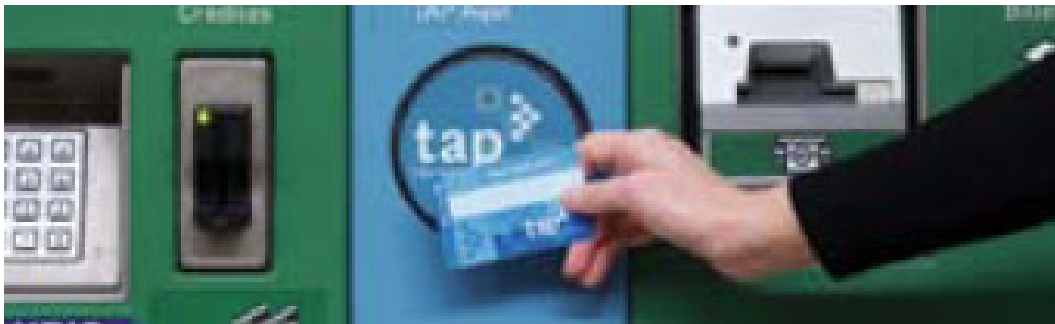
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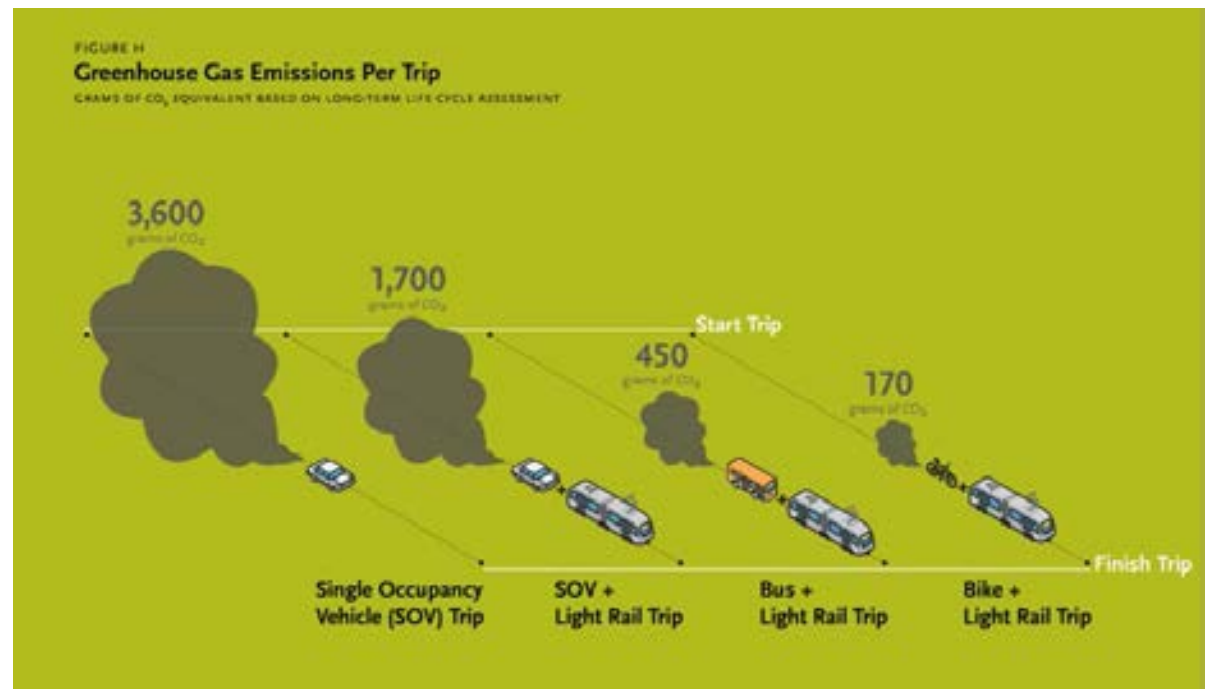
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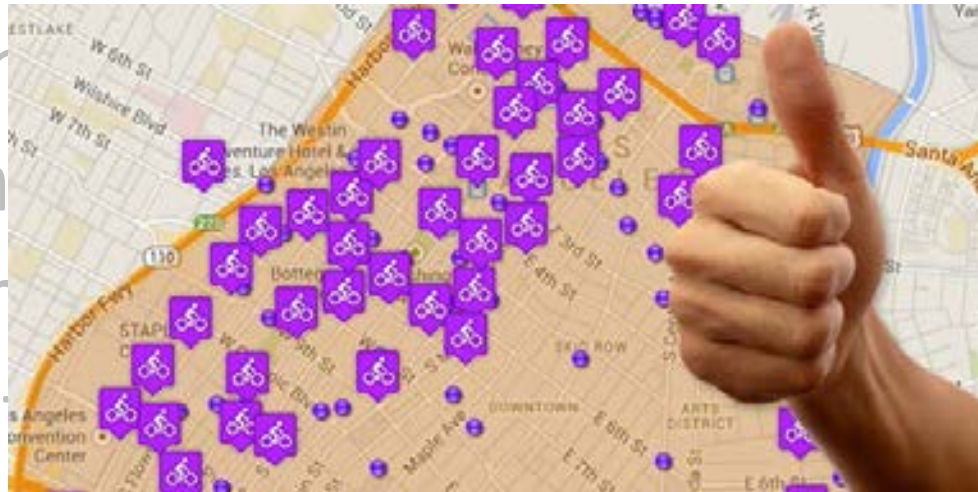
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- TAP cards make it easy to use
- We drive through traffic
- LA County has the largest network in the world
- LA County's highway system is improving and expanding
- **Metro's Bike Sharing is coming**





# Seven years ago...

## **... WE WERE IN A JAM**

- Continued congestion
- Aging infrastructure
- Key projects were being studied,
- Limited long term funding

## **... BUT WE WERE PRIMED FOR CHANGE**

- Growing rail and HOV network
- Prior support for local funding
- Measure R approved by voters in 2008

# Today, Measure R is transforming LA

- \$35 billion in funding over 30 years
- 12 transit & 16 highway projects in the works
- Record levels of Federal matching funds
- \$5.2 billion in local return to cities over the life of the measure
- 400,000 new jobs

# What's under construction:



## Purple Line Extension

- 9 mile extension to the Westwood/VA Hospital Station.
- Construction in three phases starting in 2014



## Expo Line Phase 2

- 6.6 mile extension to Santa Monica.
- Phase 2 operating in 2016



## Gold Line Foothill Extension

- Pasadena to Azusa segment operating in 2016.
- Funding being sought for Azusa to Montclair segment



## Regional Connector Transit Project

- 1.9 miles with three new stations: 1<sup>st</sup>/Central, 2<sup>nd</sup>/Broadway, 2<sup>nd</sup>/ Hope
- Downtown connections reduce transfers
- Operating in 2018



## Crenshaw/LAX Transit Project

- 8.5 miles along Crenshaw Blvd. from Green Line to Expo Line
- Construction completed in 2019

# What's in the works:



## Sepulveda Pass Transit Corridor

- Project will evaluate possible new transit and highway projects to connect the San Fernando Valley and the Westside



## South Bay Metro Green Line Extension

- Project examines options for extending rail service in the South Bay using existing Harbor Subdivision railroad right-of-way



## Airport Metro Connector

- The Metro Board approved adding a station on the Crenshaw/LAX Line to connect with LAWA's Automated People Mover



## West Santa Ana Transit Corridor

- Metro conducting a Technical Refinement Study for the LA County segment for corridor extending from Downtown LA to Orange County Line



## East San Fernando Valley Transit Corridor

- Project aims to improve N/S travel between the Orange Line Van Nuys Station and the Sylmar/San Fernando Metrolink Station with bus rapid transit or light rail transit



## Eastside Transit Corridor Phase 2

- Studies two light rail transit alternatives to extend Gold Line farther east. Two possible routes, along either the SR-60 freeway or Washington Blvd.

# Highway Projects



# The San Gabriel Valley will continue to benefit

- Projects are in the works for the San Gabriel Valley and the region as a result of Measure R:
  - Gold Line Foothill Extension from Pasadena to Azusa
  - Eastside Transit Corridor Phase 2
  - Regional Connector
  - Highway soundwall improvements
  - Heavy rail grade separation improvements

# Gold Line Foothill Extension – Pasadena to Azusa



# Gold Line Eastside Transit Corridor Phase 2





# More Can Be Done . . .

- We need to build on the success and opportunities of Measure R
- Federal and State Resources are limited
- We started a transportation revolution

. . . and the journey continues . . .

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