

MTA Executive Management Committee
July 18, 2013

MOTION RELATING TO ITEM 55
Supervisor Don Knabe

Renaming the Blue Line Terminus – “Downtown Long Beach Station”

The southerly terminus of the Blue Line Transit Corridor is located in the City of Long Beach on First Street, between Pine and Pacific Avenues in downtown Long Beach. The Metro Rail Station at that location is currently named “Transit Mall Station” which does not clearly or adequately reflect the identity of the destination and area context which is downtown Long Beach. The City of Long Beach has requested, and has received community support for the MTA to rename the Metro Rail station and facilities at this location in downtown Long Beach to “Downtown Long Beach Station.”

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT THE MTA BOARD:

Approve changing the name of the Transit Mall Station on the Metro Blue Line to “Downtown Long Beach Station.”