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Transportation Committee Meeting

Monday, June 6, 2011

9:30 a.m.

Beverly Hills City Hall

Conference Room A, 4th Floor

455 North Rexford Drive, Beverly Hills, CA 90210

MEETING AGENDA

I. Call to Order and Self Introductions

II. Westside Subway Extension Update

Jody Litvak, METRO Regional Communications, will provide an update on the Westside Subway Extension.

III. Expo Line Update

Gabriela Collins, Government/Community Relations Manager Westside Exposition Construction Authority is unable to attend the meeting but has provided the following update:

Expo Phase 1 Update

- Construction is approximately 90% complete, and we anticipate a partial opening to the La Cienega/Jefferson station this fall. Service to the Culver City station is anticipated for early 2012.
- Train testing activities began in April 2011 and will continue intermittently along the light rail alignment for several months.

Expo Phase 2 Update

- In March 2011, the design-build contract was awarded to Skanska/Rados, a Joint Venture. The \$542 million contract includes a Project Labor Agreement with local hiring provisions.
- Expo kicked-off the final design process in early May with community meetings in Santa Monica and West Los Angeles, and pre-construction activities, including soil sampling, surveying and potholing, will begin this month.

IV. Congestion Management Plan Update

Update on discussions that the METRO Congestion Mitigation Fee staff are having with cities regarding inclusion of an economic analysis as part of the Nexus study.

V. Call for Projects Update

Update on 2011 Call for Projects report on preliminary project recommendations for the Westside cities that are included in the June MTA Planning and Programming Agenda.

VI. Westside Cities Council of Governments Bicycling Planning Next Steps

Staff of the Transportation and Sustainability Committees continues to work on the COG's Westside Bicycle Coordination Plan. The first draft sub-regional map of existing and proposed bicycle infrastructure has been developed. The committee presented three areas for Board review at its May 19, 2011 meeting: Conceptual Framework, Potential Deliverables and For Further Study. The Board directed the ad hoc committee to proceed as outlined. A critical deliverable is a policy statement of mutual support for member jurisdictions' bicycle planning efforts that would assist in receiving regional cooperation points in grant applications. Principles included in the statement could include: 1) Close gaps in the bike network, and 2) Improve or add consistency to bike facilities. Committee input is sought on the content of the policy statement.

VII. Work Program Review

A revised 2010-2012 Work Program was approved at the November 18, 2010 COG Board Meeting and is included in the agenda materials. Review of the Work Program will be included on all future agendas.

VIII. Receive and File

Draft Meeting Notes from April 11, 2011 meeting.

IX. Announcements

X. Public Comment RE Items Not On the Agenda

XI. Adjournment

Next Meeting: August 8, 2011 at 9:30 AM, Beverly Hills City Hall

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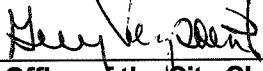
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