MEETING OF THE EAST BAY BUS RAPID TRANSIT POLICY STEERING COMMITTEE

Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District
General Offices
1600 Franklin Street
2nd Floor Board Room
Oakland, CA 94612

Thursday, May 12, 2016
2:00 p.m.

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AGENDA

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PSC Members:

AC Transit:
Vice President Elsa Ortiz, Chair
Director Greg Harper
Director Joel Young

Alameda County (Ex Officio):
Supervisor Nate Miley

City of Oakland:
Vice Mayor Rebecca Kaplan
Council Member Noel Gallo

City of San Leandro:
Mayor Pauline Cutter
Council Member Corina Lopez

Metropolitan Transportation Commission/Caltrans:
District Director Bijan Sartipi

1. Roll Call

2. Public Comment For Items Not on the Agenda (two minutes are allowed for each speaker)

3. Consider approving BRT Policy Steering Committee minutes of March 10, 2016.

4. Chair’s Report on pertinent actions of the AC Transit Board of Directors.

5. BRT Project Updates:
   a. Bid Package 3 update, projected construction schedule, and revenue service date.
   b. Information update on East Bay MUD utility relocations. [Requested by Councilmember Lopez - 3/10/16]
   c. Information report on real time message systems. [Requested by Vice Mayor Kaplan – 3/10/16]
   e. Information update on legislative and/or policy initiatives regarding enforcement of the bus only lane. [Requested by Vice Mayor Kaplan – 1/14/16]

6. Schedule date and time of next meeting.

7. Future Agenda Items/Review List of Pending Items.

8. Adjournment
Pending List of Future Agenda Items:

- Information on the projected cost to the end of the project not including contingency (similar to a document that is being provided to the Transbay Joint Powers Authority for the Transbay Transit Center Project.) [Requested by Director Harper – 3/10/16]
- Ongoing timeline/projected schedule of progress toward completion of construction. [Requested by Councilmember Gallo – 3/10/16]
- Discussion at the staff level and at the Policy Steering Committee of the trade-offs associated with the next level of engineering in the event there is not enough money in the budget to do everything that the cities want, i.e. mitigations, access issues, streetscape improvements, bulb-outs, etc. Decisions on trade-offs can be prioritized based on available funding. [Requested by Vice Mayor Kaplan]
- Plans for signage to avoid confusion in the construction areas, particularly in areas where stations have been constructed, but are not yet in use. [Requested by Vice Mayor Kaplan – 9/3/15, 3/10/16]

Long-Term Pending List

- A broader discussion of fare payment, including a plan that was discussed years ago for the expansion of Clipper card availability throughout the neighborhoods as well as outreach to major employers along the corridor to participate in the EasyPass Program with the roll out of the service. [Requested by Vice Mayor Kaplan – 9/3/15, 11/12/15]
- A report on a potential Clipper program and outreach to the local community and merchants along the corridor. [Requested by Vice Mayor Kaplan – 3/10/16]