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| **Thursday, March 20, 2014 140320-1**  **In this Issue:**  **Metro to Host Public Hearings for Metro ExpressLanes Program**  **Metro & Caltrans Conclude SR-138 Scoping Meetings**  **I-405 Sepulveda Pass Improvements Project Construction Notice** |
| **Metro to Host Public Hearings for Metro ExpressLanes Program**  Between Saturday, March 22, 2014 and Monday, April 7, 2014, we will hold seven public hearings to gather feedback from the public about the future of the Metro ExpressLanes Program, which marked its first year anniversary in February 2014. Content presented at each of the meetings will be identical. Comments will be received via mail or email by Monday, April 7, 2014. For a list of hearing dates and locations and how to submit comments, please click [here](http://media.metro.net/eblast/email_blast_expresslanes_feedback.htm).  **Metro & Caltrans Conclude SR-138 Scoping Meetings**  On Saturday, March 15, 2014 and Tuesday, March 18, 2014 in Antelope Acres and Neenach, respectively, over 250 stakeholders participated in two scoping meetings for the Northwest 138 Corridor (SR 138) Improvement EIR/EIS. These meetings were co-hosted by Metro and Caltrans, and drew both in-person and webcast participation. State Route 138 extends 36 miles from Interstate 5 to State Route 14, and is situated in the Antelope Valley in the northwest corner of Los Angeles County, just south of the Kern County border. This corridor currently functions as a bypass for people and goods movements, as well as providing critical mobility for the Antelope Valley economy. The webcast is available on our website, please click [here](http://www.metro.net/projects/nw138/). Updates can also be found on [Twitter](https://twitter.com/nw_138) and [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/nw138). The public comment period will close on Friday, April 18, 2014, and follow-up community meetings will occur in the Fall of 2014.  **I-405** **Sepulveda Pass Improvements Project Construction Notice**  Roadway Construction Northbound No. 2 Lane  The I-405 Sepulveda Pass Improvements contractor plans to reduce Sepulveda Boulevard to one northbound lane between Mountaingate Drive and Skirball Center Drive to conduct roadway construction on the northbound No. 2 lane. Work is scheduled on the night of Friday, March 21, 2014 from 9:00 p.m. to the morning of Saturday, March 22, 2014 at 6:00 a.m. To view the construction notice, please click [here](http://libraryarchives.metro.net/DB_Attachments/140320_I_405_Closures.pdf).  The webcast is available on our website at metro.net/nw138. Updates can also be found at twitter.com/nw\_138 and facebook.com/nw138.  [**http://libraryarchives.metro.net/DB\_Attachments/140320\_I\_405\_Closures.pdf**](http://libraryarchives.metro.net/DB_Attachments/140320_I_405_Closures.pdf) | |
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