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Metro and Caltrans Host Workshops on Local Project Delivery

In partnership with Caltrans, Metro recently concluded three workshops for local City agencies throughout Los Angeles County. The workshops serve to assist agencies in successfully delivering transportation projects funded through State and Federal grants. This is the first set of meetings this year which has seen steady growth and participation from local agencies. Over 60 people attended representing 20 local cities/agencies.

The meetings were held in Santa Clarita, Gardena, and Pasadena and focused on FTIP obligation plans, Public Outreach for ATP applications, Local Streets and Roads – SB1, Complete Streets Considerations for Freight Vehicle Operations, and Right of Way and Utility Relocations. Speakers included Metro and Caltrans District 7 staff. Metro will hold its next set of meetings in April of 2020.



Procurement Postings

Service Contract - Uninterruptible Power Supply (RFP)

Metro will release a Request for Proposal (RFP) to procure a service contract for uninterruptible power supplies. The procurement process blackout period is expected to run from Tuesday, February 11, 2020 through Thursday, June 11, 2020.

The purpose for this RFP is to find contractors that can provide Metro with professional services through qualified professionals who possess the expertise as outlined in the SOW on an Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity basis.

Any inquiries concerning this procurement action during the blackout period must be directed to and may only be answered by Lorretta Norris, Sr. Contract Administrator at (213) 922-2632.

BI Technical Architect/Developer Support (RFP) - Small Business Prime

Metro will release a Request for Proposals (RFP) to procure Information Technology Infrastructure Engineering support. **This solicitation is open to Metro Certified Small Businesses only.** The procurement process blackout period is expected to run from Thursday, February 13, 2020 through Friday, May 22, 2020.

The purpose of this RFP is to identify and award a contract with a consulting firm that is capable of supplying specialized resources with experience in Business Intelligence Technology planning, designs, data management and program administration.

Any inquiries concerning this procurement action during the blackout period must be directed to and may only be answered by the Contract Administrator, Victor Zepeda, at zepedav@metro.net.

Construction Notices: Regional Connector, Orange Line, I-5

Regional Connector: Street Restoration closures at 1st/Alameda in DTLA

Street restoration at the 1st St and Alameda St intersection is now scheduled to start January 10, 2020. Plan ahead as lane reductions and road closures will be in place through the summer, as this work will be completed in two stages, each lasting approximately four months.

This effort marks the transition into the final phase of construction for the Regional Connector and brings it one step closer to testing and revenue operation. To learn more, click [here](#).

Purple Line Extension: Orange Grove Closure at Wilshire Blvd

Orange Grove Ave. south of Wilshire Blvd. and north of 8th St. will be closed for 8 months starting Friday, October 18. The existing sound walls will be extended west to surround the closure area, which is required to construct the Wilshire/Fairfax Station. Residents of Orange Grove Ave. will continue to have access.

Caltrans Interstate 5: All Construction Updates [here](#).

"I'll do whatever it takes to win games, whether it's sitting on a bench waving a towel, handing a cup of water to a teammate, or hitting the game-winning shot."

~ Kobe Bryant

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