Metro San Gabriel Valley Schedules Community Meetings

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(Oct. 4, 2003) Metro San Gabriel Valley will hold a series of community meetings, beginning Oct. 8, to seek public input on how bus service can be improved in their communities.

"The public is being encouraged to attend one of three community meetings and provide MTA staff with their comments on how bus service should be improved to better fit their needs," said Jack Gabig, general manager, Metro San Gabriel Valley. "We also need their input as my staff develops connections for bus service to and from the Metro Gold Line next year."

Service improvements discussed at the meetings could include adding more frequent bus service or simply changing or adding a bus stop as demand warrants.

As an example, Metro San Gabriel Valley, working with community leaders in Rosemead, established a new bus stop on Garvey Avenue for MTA Line 70 to better serve a newly established Senior Housing Center.

The community meetings are scheduled in Pasadena, Oct. 8; in Highland Park, Oct. 9; and in El Monte, Oct. 10.

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