



NEWS

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MEDIA ADVISORY

METRO GREEN, BLUE, AND RED LINES PARTICIPATE IN OPERATION LIFESAVER BORDER TO BORDER TRAIN

- WHAT:** MTA's rail lines will take part in a rail relay from San Ysidro to Oregon conducted by Operation Lifesaver. The event is part of Operation Lifesaver Week, and the purpose is to emphasize rail safety. The "Lantern of Safety" will be passed from the Metro Green Line to the Blue Line in a ceremony at the Wilmington/Imperial Station.
- WHEN:** **Monday, May 13, 3:30 p.m.**
- WHERE:** The Wilmington/Imperial Metro Rail Station (street level),
2000 East Imperial Highway, Los Angeles
- WHO:** Joe Drew, MTA Chief Executive Officer
Eric Jacobsen, California Operation Lifesaver State Coordinator
- WHY:** Rail safety is a high priority for the MTA. The agency has participated in Operation Lifesaver Week since 1994.
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