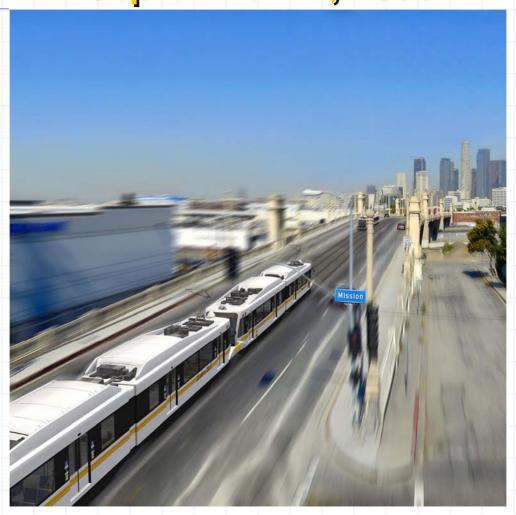
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Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension Tunneling Update

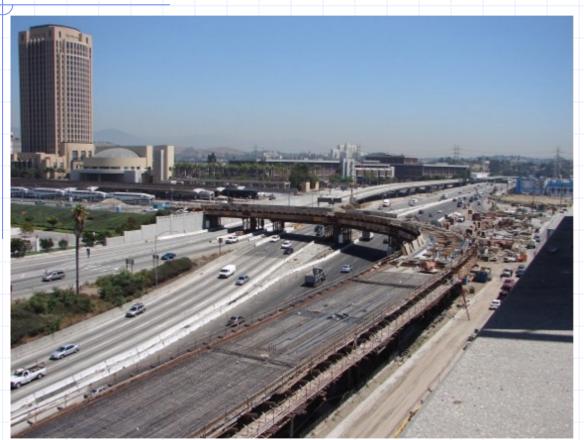


Second Earth Pressure Balance Machine reached Soto Station on August 24, 2006

- First reach of the two tunnel drives (Boyle to Soto) has been completed.
- Tunnel mining to date has resulted in no measurable ground settlement.
- Eastbound EPBM has mined 4,388 feet.
- Westbound EPBM has mined 3,080 feet.



Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension 101 Freeway Bridge Overcrossing



- Caltrans is preparing to pour the concrete deck.
- Caltrans
 contractor is on
 schedule to meet
 the turnover date
 to Metro by
 February 2007.

Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension Utilities Coordination



Utility relocation
 work along 1st
 Street between
 Alameda and
 Vignes Streets,
 which began in
 April 2006 is
 nearing
 completion.

Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension City of Los Angeles Coordination



- City has received FHWA approvals to advertise for construction bids.
- Girder
 strengthening
 and widening of
 the bridge by the
 City of LA is
 critical to
 maintain the
 Eastside Project
 Schedule.

Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension Indiana Station/Ramona Opportunity High School







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Indiana Station

The Indiana
 Station is being designed to be constructed on a portion of the school site that Metro will be acquiring from LAUSD.

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LAUSD Ramona Opportunity High School

- LAUSD has advertised to solicit construction bids for the new school which are due on October 5, 2006.
- The Close of Escrow on November 1, 2006, is contingent upon the receipt of LAUSD bids coming in within the total Project Budget for Ramona Opportunity High School.

Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension Ad-Hoc Sub Committee Update

- The Project Archaeologist Report was completed and submitted to the Ad-Hoc Sub Committee at it's August 2006 meeting.
- Metro continues to proceed with the development of the recommendations from the Ad-Hoc Sub Committee for the re-interment of the human remains and artifacts that were discovered at the LA County Crematorium Site.
- The next Ad-Hoc Sub Committee meeting will be held on September 28, 2006.

