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| **Wednesday, June 19, 2013130619-1****In this Issue:****News Media Reports on Start of Gate Latching on Metro Rail System****Expo Light Rail Line Phase 2 Construction Notice** |
| **News Media Reports on Start of Gate Latching on Metro Rail System**Media Relations staff participated in numerous media interviews early this morning on the start of gate latching at Metro Rail stations beginning with Union Station. Channels 2, 4, 5, 7, 9, KNX and KPCC radio and others also participated in interviews. Staff underscored that this effort was not just about curbing fare evasion but also about better managing and securing the expanding regional transit system that includes Metro, Metrolink and municipal bus operators. Ten carriers are on board with TAP today and within a year 25 transit carriers will be using TAP. Stories will run throughout the day.    **Expo Light Rail Line Phase 2 Construction Notice**Full Closure of Centinela Avenue for Bridge ConstructionAs part of the construction of Phase 2 of the Expo Light Rail Line, work crews will continue with the construction of the Centinela Avenue Bridge, including implementing a nighttime street closure in the City of Los Angeles. The work is being managed and performed by the Expo Phase 2 design-build contractor *Skanska-Rados Joint Venture (SRJV)*, and its subcontractors. Construction will take place on Centinela Avenue at the Expo right-of-way crossing. Work is scheduled to begin on Wednesday, June 26, 2013 through Friday, July 12, 2013 from 9:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m., Sunday through Thursday. To view the complete construction notice, please click [here](http://www.buildexpo.org/pdf_uploads/cons_elgkzru57e.pdf).  |
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