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| **Reminder: Metro Live Features Metro Board Chair and Metro Executive Director of Highway Projects Tomorrow, October 17, 2013**  Don’t forget! Tomorrow, Thursday, October 17, 2013 Metro Board Chair Diane DuBois and Metro Executive Director of Highways Doug Failing will answer roads and highways questions live on Metro Live on Santa Monica City TV 16 and LA County TV 36 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The show also will stream simultaneously on [citytv.org](http://www.smgov.net/departments/citytv/). The phone number to call in questions between 7:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Thursday is (310) 458-4950. Or email advance questions before 4:00 p.m. tomorrow to [livechat@metro.net](mailto:livechat@metro.net).  **Join Metro at the Taste of Soul This Saturday, October 19, 2013**  This Saturday, October 19, 2013, the Taste of Soul street festival will take place from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Crenshaw Boulevard, between Stocker Street and Rodeo Road. The festivities will include live entertainment, displays from local artists, and eclectic offerings from local food vendors. Metro will have its own booth at the Crenshaw/Rodeo intersection to provide information about the [Crenshaw/LAX light-rail line project](http://www.metro.net/projects/crenshaw_corridor/). Rail safety staff will be available to talk about how to be safe around trains and tracks. Representatives from Metro’s community partners, several labor unions and a  pre-apprenticeship training program will be available to provide information on how to enter trade unions to work on Metro capital projects that will soon start construction in the region. Additionally, information on careers at Metro, from bus operators to executive officers, will be available. Adjacent to Metro’s booth will be the Metro Experience, a mobile theatre where videos that reflect the Crenshaw and Inglewood communities will be shown. You can go Metro to the event, which is only a few blocks away from the Expo/ Crenshaw stop on the Expo Line. There will also be plenty of secure parking for bikes at the Baldwin Hills Crenshaw Plaza. For more information regarding the Taste of Soul, please click [here](http://www.tasteofsoulla.org/). For the full story as posted on The Source, please click [here](http://thesource.metro.net/2013/10/11/go-metro-to-taste-of-soul-saturday-oct-19/). For details on the route detours, please click [here](http://www.metro.net/service/advisories/). | |
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