MTA, City of Glendale Dedicate Historic Depot, Transportation Center



By Jose Ubaldo (September 16) The MTA and the City of Glendale celebrated the restoration and rededication, Wednesday, of a historic train depot and the creation of the Glendale Transportation Center (GTC).

The ceremony crowned a ten-year project for the city and the MTA. The current depot, built in 1924, reflects the Spanish Colonial Revival architecture style.

Metro Art's Alan Nakagawa, left, and Director Maya Emsden, far right, flank artist Lynn Goodpasture and architect Adolfo Miralles at rededication of historic depot.

The rail facilities feature a new pavilion and a five-foot diameter ceramic clock. Created by artist Lynn Goodpasture, the clock features the "Oak of Peace" in Glendale where the idea of a peace treaty ending the California phase of the Mexican-American war was broached.

The pavilion was the work of architect Adolfo Miralles, who also designed the Hollywood/Vine Metro Red Line Station. Miralles, Goodpasture, MTA Art Director Maya Emsden and Senior Public Arts Officer Alan Nakagawa attended Wednesday's ceremony.

The Glendale Transportation Center provides facilities for several modes of mass transit. These include Metro Bus services, Metrolink, Amtrak, Greyhound and Glendale Beeline Bus Services.

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