

Update: MTA Schedules Public Workshops on Long-Range Transportation Plan

Editor's Note: The MTA will conduct a public workshop in South Central LA at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 4, on the plaza level of First AME Church, 2270 S. Harvard Blvd.

(March 22) The MTA will hold public workshops in Long Beach, April 3, and in Pomona, April 9, to discuss its draft Long-Range Transportation Plan, a 25-year blueprint for transportation planning in Los Angeles County through the year 2025.

Anyone concerned about worsening traffic as the population of Los Angeles County grows is encouraged to attend. Those unable to attend the workshops, but who wish to comment on the draft plan, can send an e-mail to mtaplan@mta.net or write to MTA Countywide Planning & Development.

The Long Beach meeting will start at 6 p.m., April 3, in the Water Treatment Plant auditorium, 2950 Redondo Ave. The Pomona meeting will begin at 6 p.m. in the Pomona City Council Chambers, 505 S. Garey Ave.

Comments must be postmarked by Wednesday, April 11, 2001, to be considered by the MTA Board before adoption of the plan, probably in late April.

Following Board adoption, the Long-Range Transportation Plan will be forwarded to the Southern California Association of Governments for inclusion in its Southern California regional transportation plan in order that Los Angeles County transportation improvements can be eligible for state and federal funding.

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