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- **CEO Roger Snoble's Statement to Employees on Measure 'R' Approval by County Voters**

CEO Roger Snoble

Great news to report this morning following yesterday's election.

Measure "R", the half-cent sales tax to fund a myriad of public transportation projects across Los Angeles County, has been approved by the voters.

With 100 percent of precincts reporting, Measure "R" has the approval of 67.41 percent of voters, pushing it slightly over the two-thirds majority vote it needed to pass.

Congratulations to all of those who worked long and hard to see that this important measure appeared on the ballot for the voters to decide. Special kudos to Matt Raymond and his communications team, to Michael Turner and our government relations staff, and Carol Inge and the planning department for their outstanding work on the measure.

This is great news for Metro and in light of its passage; we will be going back to the Board in January with an updated financial plan that will address multiple transportation improvement projects that will be funded through this important half-cent sales tax.

The voters of Los Angeles County have put their trust in us to deliver these important transportation projects and by their vote, they are confident that we can deliver. We must not let them down.

Passage of Measure "R" will truly get Los Angeles County moving again.

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