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MEDIA ADVISORY

MTA WORKSHOP ON METRO RED LINE EAST SIDE EXTENSION FOR COMMUNITY MEMBERS OF REVIEW ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHAT: Forty-two representatives of the East Side area, located between Little Tokyo, Montebello and the City of Commerce, will attend a workshop to acquaint them with issues regarding the East Side extension of the Metro Red Line. The 42 community leaders are members of the Review Advisory Committee which will enhance communication between the MTA and the community.

The purpose of the workshop is to help prepare committee members for their role as advisors. They will take part in discussions conducted by MTA executives and engineers to learn about the project from various perspectives, such as engineering, real estate, and construction. Elected officials of the community are also invited.

WHEN: **Saturday, Dec. 7, 1996, 9:30 a.m.- 2 p.m.**

WHERE: MTA Headquarters Building
Union Station Room, 3rd floor
One Gateway Plaza
Los Angeles, CA 90012

WHO: RAC members include residents, owners of businesses, and representatives of community organizations, located near the seven stations that make up the new extension of the Metro Red Line, from the Little Tokyo/Arts district to Whittier and Atlantic.

WHY: MTA is gearing up to start construction on the East Side extension of the Metro Red Line, and the RAC will be monitoring that work and evaluating the effectiveness of MTA's community outreach and mitigation programs.

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