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**Update: (May 30, 2006) Mobility 21 Coalition meeting on June 2 to be rescheduled.
Cancelled> Next Mobility 21 Coalition Meeting June 2 in Monterey Park**

The Mobility 21 Coalition, a transportation lobbying group, will meet Friday, June 2, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Luminarias Restaurant in Monterey Park.

The meeting will focus on two key transportation issues: 1) the status of the Metro Gold Line Eastside Extension and 2) the Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality and Port Security Bond Act of 2006 that was recently passed by the California State Legislature and slated to be on the November statewide ballot. If passed, this constitutional amendment would restrict the California Legislature's ability to borrow Proposition 42 sales tax on gasoline funds for purposes other than transportation.

Invited speakers include: Congresswoman Lucille Roybal-Allard, California Assembly Speaker Fabian Nunez, Metro Board Member and Los Angeles County Supervisor Gloria Molina and Monterey Park Mayor Betty Tom Chu.

The Mobility 21 Coalition is a countywide organization led by Metro, the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce and the Automobile Club of Southern California. Since its creation in 2002, Mobility 21 has brought together key transportation stakeholders in Los Angeles County, including businesses, transportation providers, elected officials and community organizations with the goal of enhancing the network of bus, rail and highways.

For instructions on getting to the Mobility 21 Coalition meeting via Metro, consult the trip planner at www.metro.net or call 1-800-COMMUTE. Luminarias Restaurant is located at 3500 W. Ramona Blvd., Monterey Park 91754.

RSVP by May 31 by calling (213) 580-7579 or send an email to mobility21coalition@lachamber.org.

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