

***CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
PROPOSITION A LOCAL RETURN FUND
PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN FUND
MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUND
TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT
ARTICLE 3 FUND***

***FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED
SEPTEMBER 30, 2017 AND 2016***



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FINANCIAL SECTION



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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Honorable Members of the City Council of the
City of El Segundo, California and the
Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Proposition A Local Return Fund (PALRF), Proposition C Local Return Fund (PCLRF), Measure R Local Return Fund (MRLRF), and Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund (TDAA3F) of the City of El Segundo, California (City) as of and for the years ended September 30, 2017, and 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.





Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F of the City of El Segundo, California, as of September 30, 2017, and 2016, and the respective changes in their financial position for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 2, the financial statements present only the PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F and do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of the City of El Segundo, California, as of September 30, 2017 and 2016, and the changes in financial position thereof for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of El Segundo, California's PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F Fund financial statements as a whole. The accompanying supplementary information as listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. The supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements.

The supplementary information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary information is fairly stated in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have issued our report dated December 6, 2017, on our consideration of the City of El Segundo's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Simpson & Simpson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Los Angeles, California
December 6, 2017

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION A LOCAL RETURN FUND

**BALANCE SHEETS
SEPTEMBER 30**

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and investments	\$ <u>637,955</u>	\$ <u>503,577</u>
Total assets	\$ <u><u>637,955</u></u>	\$ <u><u>503,577</u></u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 1,931	\$ 1,788
Accrued liabilities	<u>3,272</u>	<u>3,003</u>
Total liabilities	<u>5,203</u>	<u>4,791</u>
Fund Balance		
Restricted	<u>632,752</u>	<u>498,786</u>
Total fund balance	<u>632,752</u>	<u>498,786</u>
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$ <u><u>637,955</u></u>	\$ <u><u>503,577</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION A LOCAL RETURN FUND

**STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE**

For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
REVENUES		
Proposition A	\$ 312,254	\$ 304,874
Investment income	3,964	4,566
Project generated revenue (Note 7)	3,063	3,759
Miscellaneous revenue	<u>-</u>	<u>595</u>
Total revenues	<u>319,281</u>	<u>313,794</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Various projects	<u>185,315</u>	<u>218,702</u>
Total expenditures	<u>185,315</u>	<u>218,702</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures	133,966	95,092
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>498,786</u>	<u>403,694</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 632,752</u>	<u>\$ 498,786</u>

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CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION A LOCAL RETURN FUND

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES

ACTUAL AND METRO APPROVED PROJECT BUDGET

For the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2017

(With Comparative Actual Amount for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2016)

Project Code	Project Name	2017			2016 Actual
		Metro Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
110-01	Beach Shuttle	\$ 23,500	\$ 13,031	\$ 10,469	\$ 18,482
120-03	Dial-A-Ride	218,600	152,958	65,642	163,808
140-02	Recreation Trips	26,300	12,272	14,028	13,950
180-01	Equipment Replacement Fund	19,725	-	19,725	-
250-05	Mta Pass Buy Down	5,000	4,236	764	4,599
480-04	Prop A Administration	35,200	2,818	32,382	17,863
	Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 328,325</u>	<u>\$ 185,315</u>	<u>\$ 143,010</u>	<u>\$ 218,702</u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION A LOCAL RETURN FUND

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS**

September 30, 2017

<u>Date Acquired</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Balance 10/1/2016</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance 9/30/2017</u>
1997	Mini Bus (Unit #6476)	\$ 22,133	-	-	\$ 22,133
2003	Mini Bus (Unit #6481)	63,783	-	-	63,783
2011	Mini Bus (Unit #6480)	57,273	-	-	57,273
2011	Mini Bus (Unit #6486)	57,273	-	-	57,273
2016	2016 Champion Challenger *	90,920	-	-	90,920
	Total	\$ 291,382	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 291,382

* The 2016 Champion Challenger was placed into service during FY 16/17 after audit report was submitted.

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN FUND

BALANCE SHEETS

September 30

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and investments	\$ <u>607,906</u>	\$ <u>763,079</u>
Total assets	\$ <u><u>607,906</u></u>	\$ <u><u>763,079</u></u>
 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 4,723	\$ 10,545
Accrued liabilities	<u>1,433</u>	<u>943</u>
Total liabilities	<u>6,156</u>	<u>11,488</u>
 Fund Balance		
Restricted	<u>601,750</u>	<u>751,591</u>
Total fund balance	<u>601,750</u>	<u>751,591</u>
 Total liabilities and fund balance	\$ <u><u>607,906</u></u>	\$ <u><u>763,079</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN FUND

**STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE**

For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
REVENUES		
Proposition C	\$ 258,944	\$ 252,792
Investment income	<u>5,299</u>	<u>6,770</u>
Total revenues	<u>264,243</u>	<u>259,562</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Various projects	<u>414,084</u>	<u>77,045</u>
Total expenditures	<u>414,084</u>	<u>77,045</u>
(Deficiency) excess of revenues over expenditures	(149,841)	182,517
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>751,591</u>	<u>569,074</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 601,750</u>	<u>\$ 751,591</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN FUND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES
ACTUAL AND METRO APPROVED PROJECT BUDGET

For the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2017
(With Comparative Actual Amount for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2016)

Project Code	Project Name	2017			2016 Actual
		Metro Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
110-03	Beach Cities Transit (BCT)	\$ 40,000	\$ 31,335	\$ 8,665	\$ 31,984
110-04	Lunchtime Shuttle	68,500	32,862	35,638	45,022
180-01	Equipment Replacement Fund	4,600	-	4,600	-
440-03	Aterial Streets Rehabilitation Program	120,000	349,887	(229,887) *	-
480-07	Administration	11,200	-	11,200	39
	Total Expenditures	<u>\$ 244,300</u>	<u>\$ 414,084</u>	<u>\$ (169,784)</u>	<u>\$ 77,045</u>

* The total expenditures charged to the Arterial Streets Rehabilitation Program exceeded more than 25% of the budgeted expenditures; however, as this project is a capital project, it is not subject to the 25% budget limitation.

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN FUND

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS

September 30, 2017

<u>Date</u> <u>Acquired</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>10/1/2016</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>9/30/2017</u>
2003	Mini Bus (Unit #6482)	\$ <u>64,417</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>64,417</u>
	Total	\$ <u>64,417</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>64,417</u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUND
BALANCE SHEETS
September 30

	2017	2016
ASSETS		
Cash and investments	\$ <u>777,156</u>	\$ <u>801,025</u>
Total assets	\$ <u><u>777,156</u></u>	\$ <u><u>801,025</u></u>
 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>1,880</u>
Total liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>1,880</u>
 Fund Balance		
Restricted	<u>777,156</u>	<u>799,145</u>
Total fund balance	<u>777,156</u>	<u>799,145</u>
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$ <u><u>777,156</u></u>	\$ <u><u>801,025</u></u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUND

**STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE**

For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
REVENUES		
Measure R	\$ 193,868	\$ 190,016
Investment income	<u>5,796</u>	<u>7,128</u>
Total revenues	<u>199,664</u>	<u>197,144</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Project expenditures funded by MRLRF	<u>221,653</u>	<u>7,214</u>
Total expenditures	<u>221,653</u>	<u>7,214</u>
(Deficiency) excess of revenues over expenditures	(21,989)	189,930
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>799,145</u>	<u>609,215</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 777,156</u>	<u>\$ 799,145</u>

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CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUND

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES

ACTUAL AND METRO APPROVED PROJECT BUDGET

For the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2017

(With Comparative Actual Amount for the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2016)

Project Code	Project Name	2017			2016 Actual
		Metro Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
1.05	Imperial Highway Overlay	\$ 396,452	\$ 221,653	\$ 174,799	\$ 7,214
	Total Expenditures	\$ 396,452	\$ 221,653	\$ 174,799	\$ 7,214

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUND

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS

September 30, 2017

<u>Date</u> <u>Acquired</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>10/1/2016</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>9/30/2017</u>
None		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
	Total	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

**TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUND
(PURSUANT TO PUBLIC UTILITIES CODE SECTION 99234)**

BALANCE SHEETS

September 30

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and investment	\$ 60,528	\$ 60,115
Total assets	<u>\$ 60,528</u>	<u>\$ 60,115</u>
 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	\$ -	\$ -
Total liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
 Fund Balance		
Reserved	<u>60,528</u>	<u>60,115</u>
Total fund balance	<u>60,528</u>	<u>60,115</u>
 Total liabilities and fund balance	 <u>\$ 60,528</u>	 <u>\$ 60,115</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUND

**STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE**

For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
REVENUES		
Interest income	\$ 413	\$ 548
Total revenues	<u>413</u>	<u>548</u>
EXPENDITURES		
Construction/Maintenance	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Excess of revenues over expenditures	413	548
Fund balance at beginning of year	60,115	59,567
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 60,528</u>	<u>\$ 60,115</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUND
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT
ALLOCATION FOR SPECIFIC PROJECTS

For the Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2017

<u>Project Description</u>	<u>Program Year</u>	<u>Allocations</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Unexpended Allocations</u>	<u>Project Status</u>
Local allocations					
Concrete Repair Project	2016-17	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	On-going
	Total	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	-	
Unexpended interest earned during the year				413	
Fund balance at beginning of year				<u>60,115</u>	
Fund balance at end of year				<u>\$ 60,528</u>	

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30, 2017 and 2016

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Fund Accounting

The operations of the Proposition A Local Return Fund (PALRF) and Proposition C Local Return Funds (PCLRF), Measure R Local Return Fund (MRLRF), and Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund (TDAA3F) are accounted for in separate sets of self-balancing accounts that comprise their assets, liabilities, fund balance, revenues, and expenditures.

PALRF and PCLRF represent 25% and 20% respectively, of the ½ cent Proposition A and ½ cent Proposition C sales taxes which are distributed to the jurisdictions within Los Angeles County based on population and must be used exclusively for transportation related programs and projects.

MRLRF represents 15% of the ½ cent sales tax which is distributed to the jurisdictions within Los Angeles County based on a per capita basis and must be used exclusively for transportation purposes.

Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund (TDAA3F) is a Special Revenue Fund that accounts for the City’s share of the Transportation Development Act Article 3 allocations which are legally restricted for specific purposes.

Basis of Accounting and Measurement Focus

PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting whereby revenues are recognized when they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period and expenditures are generally recognized when the related fund liabilities are incurred.

Special Revenue funds are reported on a spending or “financial flow” measurement focus. This means that generally only current assets, current liabilities and deferred inflows and outflows of resources are included on their balance sheets. Statements of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances for Special Revenue Funds generally present increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses) in net current assets.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The budgeted amounts presented in this report for comparison to the actual amounts are presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30, 2017 and 2016

(continued)

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

Fair Value Measurement

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 72, Fair Value Measurement and Application, which became effective for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2016, the City categorizes its fair value measurement within the fair value hierarchy that is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the investment. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical investments; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. Accordingly, the City reports its investments at fair value and recognizes unrealized gain (loss) on investments.

Refer to the City's 2017 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for detailed disclosures regarding the City's investments policy and fair value measurements.

Fund Balance Reporting

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, establishes the fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds.

The PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F report the following fund balance classification as of September 30, 2017:

- Restricted – Amounts that are constrained for specific purposes, which are externally imposed by providers, such as creditors, or amounts constrained due to constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. The use of the Funds' remaining fund balances are restricted for projects approved by LACMTA.

Information regarding the fund balance reporting policy adopted by the City is described in Note 1 to the City's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

NOTE 2 – ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements reflect only the financial position and results of operations of the PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F and their compliance with the Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Program Guidelines, Measure R Local Return Program Guidelines, and Transportation Development Act Article 3 and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority Funding and Allocation Guidelines for Transportation Development Act Article 3 Bicycle and Pedestrian Funds.

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30, 2017 and 2016
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NOTE 3 – PROPOSITION A AND PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Program Guidelines, funds received pursuant to these guidelines may only be used for Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return approved programs.

NOTE 4 – MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with Measure R Local Return Program Guidelines, funds received pursuant to these guidelines may only be used for Measure R Local Return approved programs.

NOTE 5 – TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with Public Utilities Code Section 99234, funds received pursuant to this Code’s section may only be used for activities relating to pedestrians and bicycle facilities.

NOTE 6 – CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The PALRF, PCLRF, MRLRF, and TDAA3F cash balances were pooled with various other City funds for deposit and investment purposes. The share of each fund in the pooled cash account was separately maintained and interest income was apportioned to the participating funds based on the relationship of their average quarterly balances to the total of the pooled cash and investments.

NOTE 7- PROJECT GENERATED REVENUE- PALRF

	2017		2016
Bus pass sales proceeds	\$ 1,031	\$	1,311
Beach shuttle passenger fares	1,542		1,725
Dial-a-ride (DAR) fares	490		723
Total	\$ 3,063	\$	3,759

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
For the Fiscal Years Ended September 30, 2017 and 2016
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NOTE 8 TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUND REVENUE ALLOCATION

The revenue allocation for the years ended September 30, 2017 and 2016 consisted of the following:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
FY 2015/16 allocation	\$ -	\$ -
FY 2016/17 allocation	-	-
Total payment requested	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

NOTE 9 – TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT FUNDS RESERVED

In accordance with TDA Article 3 (SB821) Guidelines, funds not spent during the fiscal year have been placed on reserve in the Local Transportation Fund (LTF) account with the County Auditor-Controller to be drawn down whenever the funds become eligible for a specific project and an approved drawdown request is received by Metro. As of September 30, 2017, and 2016, the City has funds on reserve as follows:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>
FY 2015/16 allocation	\$ 10,780	\$ 10,780
FY 2016-17 allocation	11,277	-
Available reserve balance	<u>\$ 22,057</u>	<u>\$ 10,780</u>

NOTE 10 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The City has evaluated events or transactions that occurred subsequent to September 30, 2017 through December 6, 2017, the date the accompanying financial statements were available to be issued, for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements and determined no subsequent matters require disclosure or adjustment to the accompanying financial statements.



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**Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting
and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in
Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards***

To the Honorable Members of the City Council of
the City of El Segundo, California and the
Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transit Authority

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the Proposition A Local Return Fund (PALRF), Proposition C Local Return Fund (PCLRF), Measure R Local Return Fund (MRLRF), and Transportation Development Act Article 3 (TDAA3F) Fund of the City of El Segundo, California (City), as of and for the year ended September 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 6, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the City's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the City's local return funds and TDAA3F financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify any deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.





Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Simpson & Simpson". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Los Angeles, California
December 6, 2017

COMPLIANCE SECTION



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Independent Auditor's Report On Compliance

To the Honorable Members of the City Council of the
City of El Segundo, California and the
Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transit Authority

Report on Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the City of El Segundo, California (City) with the Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Guidelines, Measure R Local Return Guidelines, Transportation Development Act Article 3, and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority's Funding and Allocation Guidelines for the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Bicycle and Pedestrian Funds (Guidelines) for the year ended September 30, 2017.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for the City's compliance with those guidelines.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the City's compliance based on our audit. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and the Guidelines referred to in the preceding paragraph. Those standards and the Guidelines require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a local return program and the Transportation Development Act Article 3 occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the City's compliance with those requirements.

Opinion on Each Local Return Program and Transportation Development Act Article 3

In our opinion, the City of El Segundo complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that apply to Proposition A Local Return Fund, Proposition C Local Return Fund, Measure R Local Return Fund, and Transportation Development Act Article 3 (TDAA3F) Fund for the year ended September 30, 2017.



Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed instances of noncompliance, which are required to be reported in accordance with the Guidelines and which are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Recommendations as Finding No. 2017-001, and Finding No. 2017-002. Our opinion on each local return program is not modified with respect to this matter.

The City’s responses to the noncompliance findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Recommendations. The City’s responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

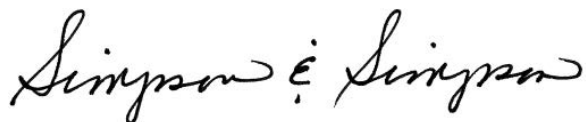
Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the City of El Segundo is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the Requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the City’s internal control over compliance with the Requirements that could have a direct and material effect on the Local Return programs and the TDAA3F to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Requirements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City’s internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance under the Requirements on a timely basis. A *material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance under the Requirements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with the Requirements that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Guidelines. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.



Los Angeles, California
December 6, 2017

**CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
COMPLIANCE MATRIX
Year Ended September 30, 2017**

Compliance Requirement	In Compliance		Questioned Costs	If no, provide details and management response.
	Yes	No		
A. Proposition A and Proposition C Local Return Funds				
1. Timely use of funds.	X		None	
2. Expenditures were approved before being incurred.	X		None	
3. Funds were used on approved projects only and expenditures were supported and allowable per Guidelines.	X		None	
4. Expenditures did not exceed 25% of Metro's approved budget.	X		None	
5. Administrative expenses were within the 20% cap.	X		None	
6. All on-going and carryover projects were reported in Form B.	X		None	
7. Annual Project Summary Report (Form B) was submitted on time.	X		None	
8. Annual Expenditure Report (Form C) was submitted on time.	X		None	
9. Cash or cash equivalents were maintained.	X		None	
10. Accounting procedures, record keeping and documentation were adequate.	X		None	
11. Revenues received including allocations, project generated revenues, and interest income were properly credited to the PALRF and PCLRF accounts.	X		None	

**CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
COMPLIANCE MATRIX
Year Ended September 30, 2017
(Continued)**

Compliance Requirement	In Compliance		Questioned Costs	If no, provide details and management response.	
	Yes	No			
B. Measure R Local Return Fund					
1.	Timely use of funds.	X		None	
2.	Expenditures were approved before being incurred.	X		None	
3.	Funds were used on approved projects only and expenditures were supported and allowable per Guidelines.	X		None	
4.	Funds were not substituted for property tax.	X		None	
5.	Administrative expenses were within the 20% cap.	X		None	
6.	Expenditure Plan (Form One) was submitted on time.	X		None	
7.	Expenditure Report (Form Two) was submitted on time.	X		None	
8.	Cash or cash equivalents were maintained.	X		None	
9.	Accounting procedures, record keeping and documentation were adequate.	X		None	
10.	Revenues received including allocations, project generated revenues, and interest income were properly credited to the Measure R account.	X		None	
11.	Funds were not used to supplant existing local revenues being used for transportation purpose.	X		None	

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO
COMPLIANCE MATRIX
Year Ended September 30, 2017
(Continued)

Compliance Requirement		In Compliance		Questioned Costs	If no, provide details and management response.
		Yes	No		
C. Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund					
1.	Timely use of funds.	X		None	See Finding No. 2017-001 and Finding No. 2017-002 on the Schedule of Findings and Recommendation.
2.	Expenditures were incurred for activities relating to pedestrian and bicycle facilities and amenities.	X		None	

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

September 30, 2017

TDAA3: Finding No. 2017-001

Finding	Entity
Compliance Requirement	<p>According to TDA Article 3 Guidelines, “Local agency may only draw down local return funds that will be fully spent or encumbered before the end of the fiscal year (September 30) must be returned to Metro to be placed on reserve for the city under the fiscal year in which they were originally allocated.”</p> <p>“TDA Article 3 local funds may be placed on reserve for up to three years, (i.e./ no longer than the fourth September 30 after they were made available by Metro Board Action). Agencies may accumulate three years’ worth of reserved TDA Article 3 funds before being required to obligate them or return them to the TDA Article 3 Fund.</p>
Condition	<p>During the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, the City had a remaining fund balance of \$60,528 of which \$34,594 was subject to lapse. These funds were claimed during fiscal year 2014-15 for bikeway design and installation project. However, the project has still not commenced as of September 30, 2017, and the funds, which were previously encumbered for this project, were subject to lapse if not expended by the end of fiscal year 2016-17. As the City did not encumber these funds as of September 30, 2017, the funds have lapsed. However, on December 11, 2017, the City received an extension from LACMTA to the spend the funds by September 30, 2018.</p>
Cause	<p>The City claimed funds in anticipation of expending them on these capital projects, but the funds were not expended during the fiscal year and subject to lapse.</p>
Effect	<p>\$34,594 of funds remaining in the fund balance at September 30, 2017, have lapsed.</p>
Recommendation	<p>We recommend that the City implement internal control procedures to track the TDA 3 Article reserve balance to ensure that all TDA 3 Article funds are claimed and expended within the required timeline per the guidelines.</p>
Management’s Response	<p>The City intends to spend the funds by September 30th, 2018. In the past the City accumulated funds from multiple years to spend them on larger projects. In the future, the City will not claim funds until the City is ready to expend them in the year claimed.</p>
Finding Corrected During the Audit	<p>On December 11, 2017, the City received an extension on the lapsed funds from the LACMTA program manager. Funds must be expended by September 30, 2018.</p>

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

September 30, 2017

TDAA3: Finding No. 2017-002

Finding	Entity
Compliance Requirement	According to TDA Article 3 Guidelines, "Local agency may only draw down local return funds that will be fully spent or encumbered before the end of the fiscal year (September 30) in which they were allocated.
Condition	During the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, the City had a remaining fund balance of \$60,528 of which \$25,934 was not expended during the fiscal year claimed. These funds were claimed during fiscal year 2014-15 for bikeway design and installation project. However, the project has still not commenced as of September 30, 2017, and the funds, which were previously encumbered for this project, were not re-encumbered as of the fiscal year end. As the City did not encumber these funds, or return the funds to LACMTA to be placed back on reserve, as per the guidelines, the City did not comply with timely use of funds requirements. However, on December 11, 2017, the City received an extension from LACMTA to the spend the funds by September 30, 2018.
Cause	The City claimed funds in anticipation of expending them on these capital projects, but the funds were not properly placed back on reserve with LACMTA, when the project did not commence as scheduled.
Effect	\$25,934 of funds remaining in the fund balance at September 30, 2017, were not returned to LACMTA to be placed on reserve as required by the guidelines.
Recommendation	We recommend that the City implement internal control procedures to track the TDA 3 Article reserve balance to ensure that all TDA 3 Article funds are claimed and expended within the required timeline per the guidelines.
Management's Response	In the future, the City will submit all unexpended funds to LACMTA to be placed on reserve. The City will not claim funds until the City is ready to expend them in the year claimed.
Finding Corrected During the Audit	On December 11, 2017, the City received an extension on the unexpended funds from the LACMTA program manager. Funds must be expended by September 30, 2018.

EXIT CONFERENCE

CITY OF EL SEGUNDO

PROPOSITION A, PROPOSITION C, MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUNDS, AND
TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUND
EXIT CONFERENCE
SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

An exit conference was held on December 14, 2017, with the City of El Segundo. Those in attendance were:

Simpson & Simpson Representative:

Muhammad Riaz, Staff Auditor

City's Representative:

Eva Gettler, Accounting Supervisor
David Davis, CPA, Finance Manager

Matters Discussed:

Results of the audit disclosed two instances of non-compliance

A copy of this report was forwarded to the following City representative(s) for their comments prior to the issuance of the final report:

Eva Gettler, Accounting Supervisor
David Davis, CPA, Finance Manager

Simpson & Simpson, LLP
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RE: CITY OF EL SEGUNDO ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE PROPOSITION A LOCAL RETURN FUND, PROPOSITION C LOCAL RETURN FUND, MEASURE R LOCAL RETURN FUND, AND TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 3 FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017 AND 2016

I have received the annual financial report of the Proposition A Local Return Fund, Proposition C Local Return Fund, Measure R Local Return Fund, and Transportation Development Act Article 3 Fund for the years ended September 30, 2017 and 2016 for the City of El Segundo and agree with the contents of the report except s indicated below:

(Attach additional pages if necessary)

Very truly yours,

Name

Title

Date