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## MTA INVITES EAST LOS ANGELES RESIDENTS TO HOME OWNERSHIP WORKSHOP

The MTA will sponsor a home ownership workshop Saturday, May 18, 1996, from 1p.m. to 4 p.m., at the Boyle Heights Senior Citizen Center, located at 2839 East 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

Workshop facilitators will discuss special loan programs, low down payment loans, qualifications to obtain credit and how to purchase foreclosures and other affordable housing.

The workshop will be conducted in English and Spanish.

The purpose of the workshop is to facilitate the transition from renters to homeowners for East Los Angeles' residents who will have to relocate as a result of Red Line construction.

"We want to support every step of the process where communities are impacted by Red Line construction," said Larry Zarian MTA chairman. "The workshop is a great opportunity for first time home buyers and to establish personal contact with the MTA."

For more information call at (213) 922-9039.

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