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MEDIA ADVISORY

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FTA ADMINISTRATOR GORDON LINTON VISITS LOS ANGELES TO SEE L.A. NEIGHBORHOOD INITIATIVE PROJECTS

- WHAT:** FTA Administrator Gordon Linton will join Mayor Richard Riordan and MTA Chairman Larry Zarian at the North Hollywood Los Angeles Neighborhood Initiative (LANI) site Friday, February 9, and participate in a workshop for LANI Saturday, February 10. Mr. Linton also will visit students in the Transportation Careers Academy at Woodrow Wilson High School Friday.
- WHEN:** **Friday, February 9:**
1:15 p.m. at Woodrow Wilson High School;
2:30 p.m. at North Hollywood Arts District LANI site.
Saturday, February 10:
Nine a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at MTA headquarters.
- WHERE:** Woodrow Wilson High School, 4500 Multnomah Street, Los Angeles
North Hollywood LANI site, NW corner of Magnolia Boulevard and Lankershim Boulevard, site of the North Hollywood Transit Art Park.
Workshop is at MTA headquarters building, One Gateway Plaza, Los Angeles
- WHY:** LANI is an initiative to benefit economically disadvantaged, transit-dependent communities. This demonstration project is intended to revitalize transit corridors by creating public spaces, stimulating private investment, and promoting neighborhood businesses and jobs. Mr. Linton will visit three LANI sites on Friday, and conduct a workshop Saturday for representatives for all eight LANI areas.
- WHO:** **Gordon Linton, FTA administrator.** He will address the workshop Saturday at 9:30 a.m.
Los Angeles Mayor Richard Riordan and MTA Chair Larry Zarian. Both will accompany Mr. Linton during his visit to North Hollywood, and will participate in the workshop Saturday. Larry Zarian will speak at 9 a.m. and Mayor Riordan speaks at 9:25 a.m.
Joe Drew, MTA interim CEO. He will address the workshop at 9:10 a.m.
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