

Jan. 6, 2000

## MTA SETS THIRD ROUND OF COMMUNITY MEETINGS ON THE EIGHT TRANSIT OPTIONS FOR THE EASTSIDE TRANSIT CORRIDOR STUDY

WHAT:

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority and its team of consultants will hold their third round of community meetings for the Eastside Transit Corridor Study where they will present their eight transit alternatives and the findings that will be presented to the MTA Board of Directors. These range from busways, light rail and subway serving the communities of Boyle Heights, East Los Angeles, Montebello, Pico Rivera and Whittier. In this round of community meetings. MTA will discuss the comparison of the evaluation criteria such as project cost, environmental issues and riderships in respect to the eight transit alternatives. Spanish translation will be available at the meetings of Jan. 6, 10 and 13. Japanese translation will be available at the meeting of Jan. 11. A sign language interpreter can be made available by contacting Luz María Chávez at (323) 726-7734 extension 25, no later than five days prior to the meeting. The meetings will be at the following locations and dates:

WHEN:

Thursday, January 6, 2000

St. Mary's Parish Hall, 407 South Chicago Street Los Angeles Ca 90023, from: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Monday, January 10, 2000

Alibaba's Pizza/Arcade Restaurant, 4901 East Whittier Blvd.

Los Angeles, Ca 90023, from: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Tuesday, January 11, 2000

Japanese American Museum, 369 E. First Street Los Angeles, Ca 90023, from: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Thursday, January 13, 2000

Montebello Council Chambers, 1600 W. Beverly Blvd.

Montebello, Ca 90040, from: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

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