

November 6, 2001

MEDIA ADVISORY/COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MEETINGS TO BE HELD IN SANTA CLARITA, ANTELOPE VALLEY MTA TO HOST COMMUNITY MEETINGS TO EXPLORE TRANSPORTATION SOLUTIONS FOR NORTH L.A. COUNTY

WHAT: MTA will host two community meetings in Santa Clarita and in Palmdale as part of its North Los Angeles County Study, which is aimed at developing feasible and cost-effective solutions to alleviate traffic congestion in the region. The study is focusing on transportation issues directly impacting residents, and will specifically look at options from the junction of the I-5 and Route 14 north to the Kern County line. The public is encouraged to attend the meetings to speak with MTA and study staff, and to learn how to become involved in future planning activities.

> The study will consider alternatives including construction of additional freeway lanes, special lanes for trucks and carpools, bus rapid transit, high speed rail transit, widening/realignment of SR-138, and possible links through the San Gabriel Mountains between the Antelope Valley and I-210.

WHEN/WHERE:

CITY OF SANTA CLARITA

CITY OF PALMDALE

College of the Canyons (Cafeteria) 26455 Rockwell Canyon Road Santa Clarita, CA 91355 Palmdale Youth Library (Warnack Activity Room) 38510 Sierra Highway Palmdale, CA 93550

Wednesday, November 14, 6-8 p.m.

Thursday, November 15, 6-8 p.m.

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