

Los Angeles County
Metropolitan Transportation Authority

29 EMAC

44 OPS

Bus Operator Vacancies

November 16, 2006



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Bus Operator Outreach

Staff continues to attend job/community events

November 4th Job Fair attracted 140 applicants

Job Fair ads ran in all Los Angeles county foreign language papers and general circulation newspapers

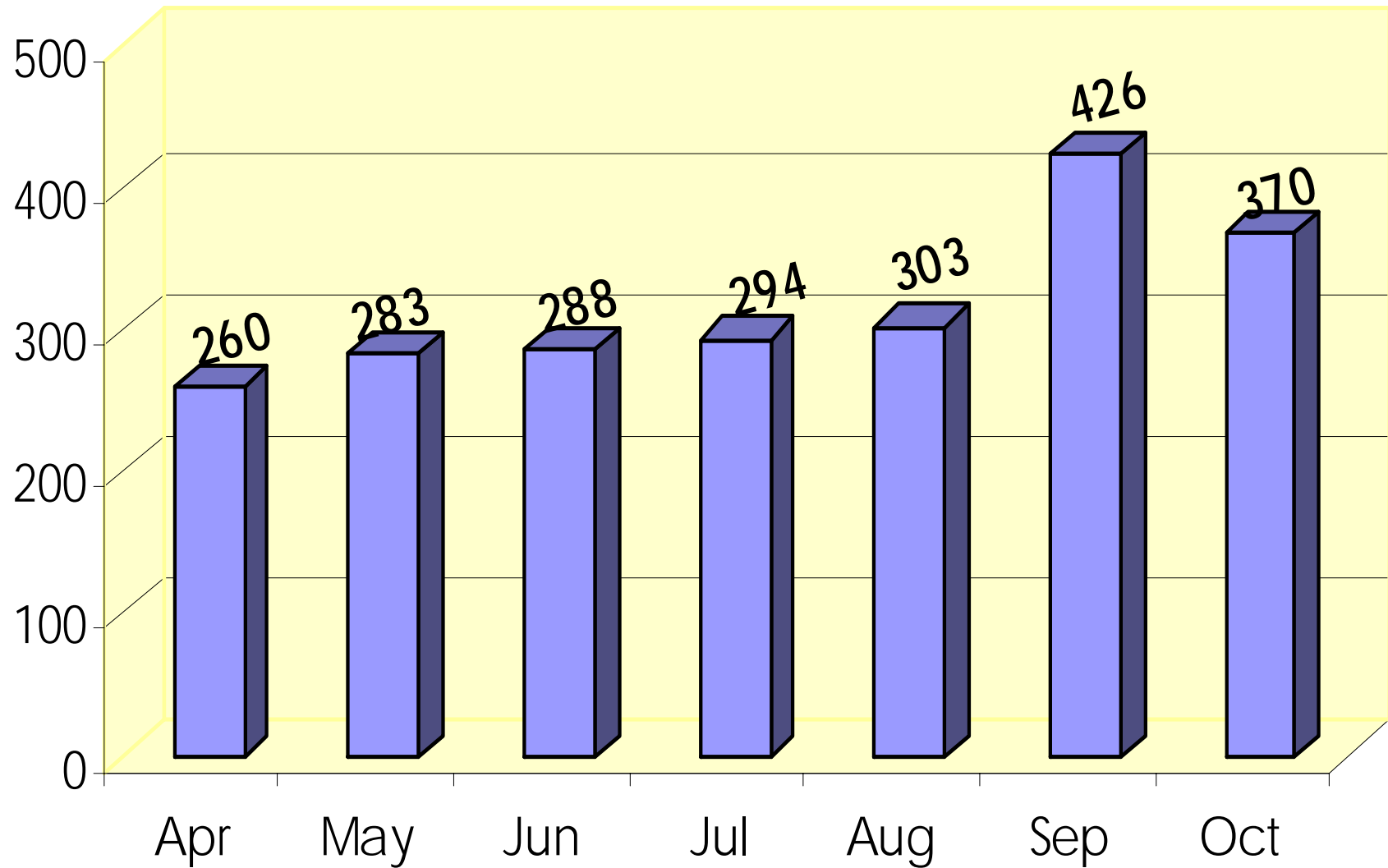
Employee referral program, received 25 to date

Staff continues to distribute information and applications to Worksource/EDD Offices



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Number of Bus Operator Applications Received April - October 2006



Bridge Program

Three Classes: August/September/October 2006

127 Completed Program

113 Hired

52 New Employee Orientation and Background Check in Progress

25 In Training at Operation Central Instruction (OCI)

21 Waiting for DMV Permit

8 Terminated at OCI

7 Delay or Disqualified



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Bus Operator Training & Vacancies

Operator training completion rates remain at 63%, most classes start at near capacity each week.

The average vacancies for November is 280, down from October's average of 294.

Next Steps

New Bridge class started at the Wilshire Worksource center and scheduled in the San Fernando Valley

Continue Employee Referral Program

Continue Metro Brief Ads

Continue to seek long term funding sources