AGENDA SANTA CRUZ METRO BOARD OF DIRECTORS REGULAR MEETING OF DECEMBER 16, 2011 9:00 AM



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CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS 809 CENTER STREET SANTA CRUZ, CA

9:00 A.M.

NOTE: THE BOARD CHAIR MAY TAKE ITEMS OUT OF ORDER

SECTION I: OPEN SESSION

- 1.0 ROLL CALL
- 2.0 ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: AMY WEISS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SPANISH LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION DURING "ORAL COMMUNICATIONS" AND FOR ANY OTHER AGENDA ITEM FOR WHICH THESE SERVICES ARE NEEDED. TODAY'S MEETING IS BEING BROADCAST BY COMMUNITY TELEVISION OF SANTA CRUZ.

3.0 ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

This time is set aside for Directors and members of the general public to address any item not on the Agenda which is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. No action or discussion shall be taken on any item presented except that any Director may respond to statements made or questions asked, or may ask questions for clarification. All matters of an administrative nature will be referred to staff. All matters relating to Santa Cruz METRO will be noted in the minutes and may be scheduled for discussion at a future meeting or referred to staff for clarification and report. Any Director may place matters brought up under Oral and Written Communications on a future agenda. In accordance with District Resolution 69-2-1, speakers appearing at a Board meeting shall be limited to three minutes in his or her presentation. Any person addressing the Board may submit written statements, petitions or other documents to complement his or her presentation. When addressing the Board, the individual may, but is not required to, provide his/her name and address in an audible tone for the record.

- 4.0 LABOR ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATIONS
- 5.0 ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT EXISTING AGENDA ITEMS

CONSENT AGENDA

All items appearing on the Consent Agenda are recommended actions which are considered to be routine and will be acted upon as one consensus motion. All items removed will be considered after the consensus motion. The Board Chair will allow public input prior to the approval of the Consent Agenda.

6-1. CONSIDERATION OF TORT CLAIMS: REJECT THE CLAIM OF WILLIE THOMAS, CLAIM #11-0026; REJECT THE CLAIM OF CHAD ELLIS, CLAIM #11-0029; REJECT THE CLAIM OF RONALD GORDAN, CLAIM #11-0030

Submitted By: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

6-2. ACCEPT AND FILE PRELIMINARILY APPROVED CLAIMS FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2011

Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager

6-3. ACCEPT AND FILE PRELIMINARILY APPROVED CLAIMS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 2011

Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager

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6-4. MONTHLY BUDGET STATUS REPORTS FOR AUGUST 2011 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS

Presented by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager

6-5. MONTHLY BUDGET STATUS REPORTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2011 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS

Presented by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager

6-6. APPROVE MINUTES OF PREVIOUS BOARD MEETINGS

Presented by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator

6-7. ACCEPT AND FILE ACCESSIBLE SERVICES REPORT FOR MONTH OF OCTOBER 2011

Submitted by: John A. Daugherty, Accessible Services Coordinator

6-8. ACCEPT AND FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2011

Submitted by: April Warnock, Paratransit Superintendent

6-9. ACCEPT AND FILE RIDERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2011
Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager

6-10. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF ACTIVE GRANTS AND SUBMITTED GRANT PROPOSALS FOR DECEMBER 2011

Submitted by: Tom Hiltner, Grants/Legislative Analyst

6-11. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF FEDERAL AND STATE LEGISLATION AND CURRENT LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

Submitted by: Tove Beatty, Grants/Legislative Analyst

6-12. CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO SIGN A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT AND THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ONBOARD TRANSIT RIDERSHIP STUDY FUNDED BY CALTRANS

Submitted by: Tove Beatty, Grants/Legislative Analyst

- 6-13. ITEM DELETED
- 6-14. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTING A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO REQUEST A LETTER OF NO PREJUDICE (LONP) FROM CALTRANS, SUBMIT AN ALLOCATION REQUEST FOR THE BALANCE OF PTMISEA FUNDS, AND SIGN NECESSARY AGREEMENTS IN ORDER TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION OF THE METROBASE OPERATIONS FACILITY

Submitted by: Tom Hiltner, Grants/Legislative Anaylst

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6-15. CONSIDERATION OF DECLARING TWO (2) CHEVROLET VENTURES AS EXCESS FOR PURPOSES OF DISPOSAL OR AUCTION

Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager

6-16. CONSIDERATION OF OWNED AND LEASED PROPERTY INVENTORIES TO DETERMINE IF THERE IS ANY PROPERTY IN EXCESS OF SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT'S FORESEEABLE NEEDS

Submitted by: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

6-17. ACCEPT AND FILE VOTING RESULTS FROM APPOINTEES TO THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION FOR PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Submitted by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator

6-18. ACCEPT AND FILE THE AGENDA AND MINUTES FROM THE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Submitted by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator

REGULAR AGENDA

7.0 CONSIDERATION OF APPOINTMENTS THE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MAC)

Presented by: Leslie R. White, General Manager

8.0 CONSIDERATION OF AMENDING ARTICLE V, SECTION 5.1 OF THE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MAC) BYLAWS TO MODIFY THE FREQUENCY OF MAC MEETINGS TO NOT LESS THAN ONCE PER CALENDAR QUARTER

Presented by: Leslie R. White, General Manager

9.0 CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO EXECUTE A LETTER OF AGREEMENT WITH THE ASSOCIATION OF MONTEREY BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS (AMBAG) THAT RESTRICTS CALVANS, A VANPOOL OPERATOR BASED IN KINGS COUNTY, FROM COMPETING FOR FUNDS THAT METRO IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE

Presented by: Leslie R. White, General Manager

10.0 CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTING A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT RECORDS RETENTION SCHEDULE

Presented by: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel Department

11.0 CONSIDERATION OF CANCELLATION OF SELECTION OF CHART INC. AND SUBSTITUTE IN ITS PLACE PRENTEX ALLOY FABRICATORS AS THE CONTRACTOR FOR THE PURCHASE OF A 15,000 GALLON VERTICAL LNG FUEL STORAGE TANK IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$657,975

Presented by: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel Department

12.0 ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2012 AT 8:30 A.M. AT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF SANTA CRUZ METRO, 110 VERNON STREET, SANTA CRUZ

Presented by: Ellen Pirie, Chair

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13.0 REVIEW OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION: District Counsel

14.0 ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING CLOSED SESSION

SECTION II: CLOSED SESSION

1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION

(Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9)

a. Name of Case: Manny Garbez v. Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District

(Before the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board)

b. Name of Case: Chad Ellis v. Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District

Claim No. 11-0029

2. CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS

(Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8)

a. Property: Metro Center, Santa Cruz, CA

Negotiating parties: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel, SCMTD

Gary Cook, First Transportation

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Payment

3. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – POTENTIAL LITIGATION

(Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.5)

Number of Potential Cases: One

SECTION III: RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

15.0 REPORT OF CLOSED SESSION

16.0 ADJOURNMENT

ADJOURN TO THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2012 AT 8:30 A.M. AT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF SANTA CRUZ METRO, 110 VERNON STREET, SANTA CRUZ

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Copied to: Les Angela Ciro April Dave

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SANTA CHAMETRO SAMPA Cruz Ch 95062 ADMIN DEPARTMENT November 30, 2011

Atth: Santa Ciuz Meticolitan
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Dear Board & SC Metro District
Think you for the continued funding for our
Para Cruz JService in Santa Cruz Couty. While
these economic times are bleak for all it hisyoung, middle-age seriors-here & in the nationis a contact that Para Cruz ares forward
offering independence to us who are disabled.

the drivers who in their own individual way make out trips, sale + constatable [quite a challenge with the new tans!!] and are professional, kindle helpful, with rare exception!

Also, many thanks to the reservationistsMelody, Esme, Lape, Sandra, and dear Dechrin Lin
Neaven now I, and, sometimes Delia - for their
great patience and kindness and attention to detail
in scheduling our trips.

caring professionals here! Happy Holidays!

cc: Yor! Womack Sincerely

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It was so thoughtful of you.

DEAR BOARD MEMBERS, THAPK YOU FOR THE RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION THAT I RECEITTLY RECEIVED FROM THE TRANSIT DISTRICT. IT MEANS MORE TO ME THAN YOU MIGHT IMAGINE, THIS HAS BEEN A VERY CHALLENGING TIME AND I EARNESTLY CHYNOT THANK YOU ENOUGH FOR THE SUPPORT I HAVE RECEIVED. MGAIK, THANK YOU. SINCERENY, MARY E. MIK

RECEIVED 12-1-2011

December 6, 2011

Santa Cruz METRO Administrative Offices 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060 2011 DEC 7 PM 2 55

SANTA DEPARTMENT

To Whom It May Concern:

On the afternoon of December 5th I rode the bus from Santa Cruz to the Capitola Mall. I was very impressed by the professional and gracious manner of Driver 555. She handled a very crowded bus with a variety of passengers with great skill. It is not easy dealing with all of the contingencies within a limited space and time schedule. She was particularly good at making room for the elderly and for a physically challenged passenger in a wheel chair.

I am 72 and while not a regular daily rider I use your services often enough that I have experienced numerous drivers. For the most part they have all been adequate to the task. However when one stands out as exceptional I believe they need to be recognized.

Number 555's smile, friendly and decisive manner, and dedication to her job make her a stand out performer in the field of public transportation.

I look forward to riding with her again in one of my trips to Capitola. I know I will be treated with dignity and respect and my safety and that of the other passengers will be foremost on her mind.

Thank you for this opportunity to praise a driver worthy of commendation.

Regards,

Barbara Jongewaard

141 Oak Way

Santa Cruz, CA 95065

GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

RECOMMENDED ACTION

TO:		Board of Directors				
FROM	[:	District Counsel	District Counsel			
RE:			rived: 11/1/11 Claim #: 11-0026 rrence Report No.: SC 07-11-12			
		the above-referenced Claim, this is to recomm ng action:	mend that the Board of Directors take			
×	1.	Reject the claim entirely.				
	2.	Deny the application to file a late claim.				
	3.	Grant the application to file a late claim.				
	4.	Reject the claim as untimely filed.				
	5.	Reject the claim as insufficient.				
	6.	Allow the claim in full.				
	7.	Allow the claim in part, in the amount of \$_	and reject the balance.			
	By_	Margaret Gallagher DISTRICT COUNSEL	Date: _// _29 - //			
I, Anthony Tapiz, do hereby attest that the above Claim was duly presented to and the recommendations were approved by the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District's Board of Directors at the meeting of December 16, 2011.						
	By Date: Anthony Tapiz RECORDING SECRETARY					
MG/lg Attachm	nent(s))				



Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060	
CLAIM FOR DAMAGES	
(Pursuant to Section 910 et Seq., Government Code)	
Claim # 1-00 2-4 (To be completed by METRO staff)	
Please Print or Type:	
The name and post office address of the claimant:	
Claimant's Legal First Name: WillE	00 TO THE RESIDENCE TO
Claimant's Legal Last Name:	
Address to which notices are to be sent: 1661 Hikpale A	VENVE, SANTOSE CA 95124
Telephone (Home): 408-444 -4444	,
Telephone (Business/Cell):	
Section 111 of the Medicare, Medicaid and SCHIP Extension Act of 200 became effective January 1, 2009, requires that the Santa Cruz Metropoli information about Medicare beneficiaries who have other insurance cove for Medicare and Medicaid Services and other insurance plans to properly among plans so that (your) claims are paid promptly and correctly. We are questions so that we may comply with this law.	tan Transit District report specific rage. This reporting is to assist Centers y coordinate payment of benefits
Are you presently, or have you ever been, enrolled in Medicare Part A or	·B? Ye -r No
IF YES, please provide the following information:	
Medicare Claim Number:	
Date of Birth:	
Social Security Number:	<u> </u>
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Gender: M a or F a

Claimant Name: WILE Thomas

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

The date, place and other circumstances of the occurrence or transaction that gave rise to the claim asserted:
Date of Incident/Accident: 7-25-11
Time of Incident/Accident: 3-4 DAM PM
Location of Incident/Accident
Street/City: /h bhusy /

A general description of the indebtedness, obligation, injury, damage or loss incurred so far as it may be known at the at the time of presentation of the claim. Please state the known facts surrounding the loss and use additional paper if needed.

While A PASSENGER ON A METRO BUS, A LARGE, heavy
While A PASSENGER ON A METRO BUS, A LARGE, heavy BAG fell from the lubbage rack AND fell ON
MR. Thomas. It struck his 1664 KNEE. MRI
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Claimant Name: Wille Thomas

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

The name or nam known:	es of the METRO employee or employees	causing the injury, damage, or loss, if
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	ess than \$10,000, the amount ate of the presentation of the claim:	
If the amount exce	eds \$10,000, this claim would be: 🗖 Less than (Li	\$25,000 More than mited Civil Case \$25,000
Claimant:		Date:
Attorney or Representative:	Signature/Print Name The Quinn Law hom 166/ Hillspole Ave. SAW JOSE CA 95124	Date: 10-27-11
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GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

RECOMMENDED ACTION

TO:		Board of Directors
FROM	:	District Counsel
RE:		Claim of: Ellis, Chad Received: 11/22/2011 Claim #: 11-0029 Date of Incident: 11/14/2011 Occurrence Report No.: SC 11-11-09
_		the above-referenced Claim, this is to recommend that the Board of Directors take g action:
×	1.	Reject the claim entirely.
	2.	Deny the application to file a late claim.
	3.	Grant the application to file a late claim.
	4.	Reject the claim as untimely filed.
	5.	Reject the claim as insufficient.
	6.	Allow the claim in full.
	7.	Allow the claim in part, in the amount of \$ and reject the balance.
	By <u></u>	Margaret Gallagher DISTRICT COUNSEL
recomr	nenda	Tapiz, do hereby attest that the above Claim was duly presented to and the ations were approved by the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District's Board of the meeting of December 16, 2011.
	Ву_	Anthony Tapiz RECORDING SECRETARY
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Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES	
(Pursuant to Section 910 et Seq., Government Code)	
Claim # 11-00201 (To be completed by METRO staff)	
Please Print or Type:	
The name and post office address of the claimant:	
Claimant's Legal First Name:	
Claimant's Legal Last Name: Elis	
Address to which notices are to be sent:	
Telephone (Home):	
Telephone (Business/Cell):	

Section 111 of the Medicare, Medicaid and SCHIP Extension Act of 2007 (MMSEA), a new federal law that became effective January 1, 2009, requires that the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District report specific information about Medicare beneficiaries who have other insurance coverage. This reporting is to assist Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services and other insurance plans to properly coordinate payment of benefits among plans so that (your) claims are paid promptly and correctly. We are asking you to answer the following questions so that we may comply with this law.

Are you presently, or have you ever been, enrolled in Medicare Part A or B? Yes or No IF YES, please provide the following information:

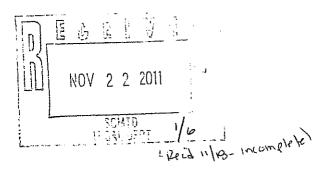
IF YES, please provide the following information:

Medicare Claim Number:

Date of Birth:

Social Security Number:

Gender: M □ or F □



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Claimant Name: Chad Ellis

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

The date, place and other circumstances of the occurrence or transaction that gave rise to the claim asserted:	
Date of Incident/Accident: 11-14-2011	
Time of Incident/Accident: 7:30 AM DPM	
Location of Incident/Accident Street/City: 1014 Ocean Street, Santa Cruz	
A general description of the indebtedness, obligation, injury, damage or loss incurred so far as it may known at the at the time of presentation of the claim. Please state the known facts surrounding the los and use additional paper if needed.	
Please see attached *	



Claimant Name: Chad Ellis

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

The name or names of the METRO employee or employees causing the injury, damage, or loss, if known:

Bus # 2338 Police Report # 115-0973	
Police Report # 115-09/73	33
Officer: Coffey - Bodge #	£ 176
Telephone 831-471-113	

If the claim totals less than \$10,000, the amount		
claimed as of the date of the presentation of the claim:	<u>S</u> _	unknown

If the amount exceeds \$10,000.00, this claim would be:

☐ Less than \$25,000 (Limited Civil Case) More than \$25,000

To include other costs and expenses related to this claim.

Claimant:

Signature/Print Name

Date: 11-14-2011

Attorney or Representative:

Signature/Print Name

Date: _____

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My 2003 Subaru was parked on Ocean Street in Santa Cruz. A Santa Cruz Metropolitan

Transit District bus smashed into my car and totaled it beyond repair. The bus also had some damage from the collision.

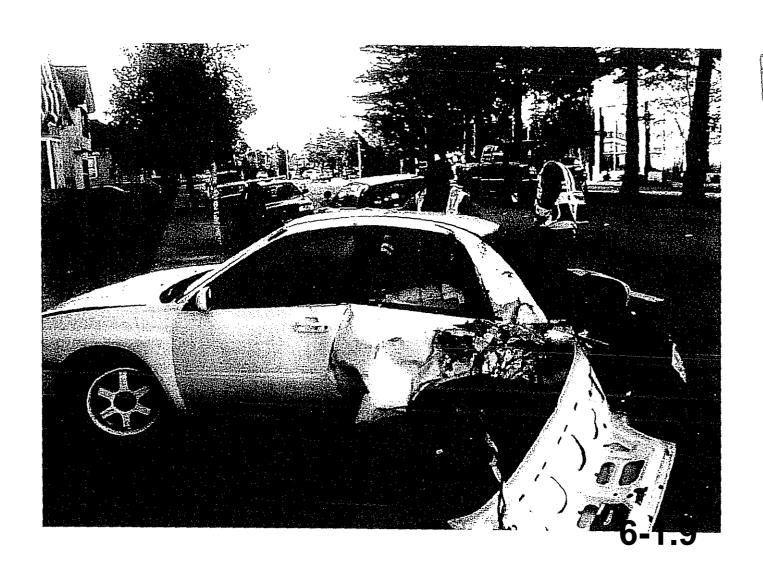
My 2003 Subaru was in excellent condition and had been completely maintained since I purchased it brand new in 2003. The routine maintenance and repair was kept up and this car was in impeccable condition. I had recently added new tires, and a new radiator was added just last week.

I need this car to travel to work and have had to rent a car to replace it.

My belongings were thrown from the car and ended up in the street.

This has been a very upsetting situation and I am shocked that the Santa Cruz Metropolitan

Transit District would hire a driver who would drive their bus



GOVERNMENT TORT CLAIM

RECOMMENDED ACTION

TO:		Board of Directors	
FROM	1 :	District Counsel	
RE:		Claim of: Gordon, Ronald Date of Incident: 11/14/11 Received: 11/21/11 Claim #: 11-0030 Occurrence Report No.: SC 11-11-11	
_		the above-referenced Claim, this is to recommend that the Board of Directors take ng action:	
x	1.	Reject the claim entirely.	
	2.	Deny the application to file a late claim.	
	3.	Grant the application to file a late claim.	
	4.	Reject the claim as untimely filed.	
	5.	Reject the claim as insufficient.	
	6.	Allow the claim in full.	
	7.	Allow the claim in part, in the amount of \$ and reject the balance.	
	Ву	Date: 12.06.11 Margaret Gallagher DISTRICT COUNSEL	
recom	menda	Tapiz, do hereby attest that the above Claim was duly presented to and the lations were approved by the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District's Board of the meeting of December 16, 2011.	
	By_	Anthony Tapiz RECORDING SECRETARY	
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Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street

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Santa Cruz, CA 95060	
CLAIM FOR DAMAGES	
(Pursuant to Section 910 et Seq., Government Code)	
Claim #(To be completed by METRO staff)	
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The name and post office address of the claimant:	
Claimant's Legal First Name: 1200ALD	
Claimant's Legal Last Name:	
Address to which notices are to be sent:	•
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Gender: M \(\sigma\) or F \(\sigma\)	1 (10) 113



Claimant Name: Nonfall Goildon

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

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Claimant Name: Taral

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

The name or names of the METRO employee or employees causing the injury, damage, or loss, if known:

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If the claim totals less than \$10,000, the amount claimed as of the date of the presentation of the claim:	\$ 2 estimates:	1193,38 g
If the amount exceeds \$10,000.00, this claim would be:	☐ Less than \$25,000 (Limited Civil Case)	☐ More than \$25,000

Claimant:	Signature/Print Name ROWALN G	Date: 11/21/11	-11
	Signature/Print Name \ \Low ALA (to 1-pon)	
Attorney or Representative:		Date:	
	Signature/Print Name		

I was stopped on eastbound Laurel at a red light, waiting to turn left onto northbound Mission. A Santa Cruz bus began a right turn from southbound Mission onto westbound Laurel. The driver began a wide, arcing turn and came in my direction. I was aware of his large bus and immediately became entirely focused on his forward progress.

He stopped part-way into his turn, looked directly out his window, looked directly down at my vehicle, and moved forward a bit and stopped. He again leaned forward to look out of his window, moved forward in his turn a bit more, and again stopped. At first, he seemed to be looking at my vehicle, but shortly it became quite evident that he was focused on the left front portion of my car. He leaned well forward on each of his looks down at my front left corner. After the accident I tried to remember if he looked more from his front or his side window, or if possibly he even leaned out the side window for a better view. His deliberate forward lean and careful scrutiny of my vehicle was the image frozen in my memory, but I could not recall which window he favored.

From very early in his turn, my attention was on the oncoming bus. Very shortly thereafter my focus became much more singular. I was only watching the driver as he was engaged in the looking, gradual moving, and stopping process. My foot remained frozen on the brake pedal and my eyes were equally frozen on the driver. Clearly, I had a peripheral view of the looming bus, but my direct focus was solely on the driver.

After the accident, I guessed that the series of leaning forward, looking, gradual movement and stopping had happened three or four times. Our 20-year-old son was in the front passenger seat, and Tyler's estimate was that there were four to five of these cycles. I asked Tyler if he recalled from which window the driver was looking and he didn't know. Tyler's focus had been on the bike rack on the front of the bus (the rack was extended he later told me) as the bus closed on us.

Again, I was directly focused on the face and forward and back leanings of the driver himself as the bus advanced. By all appearances, the driver was just as singular and focused in his attention. There was no evidence that anything other than my left front was taking his attention. After each incremental move he would stop, lean forward, look directly down at the left front of my car, advance the bus a short distance and repeat the cycle. Again, nothing other than my left front end and his meticulous, measured advance seemed to have any of the driver's attention.

When the bus struck me (presumably the contact was made by the bike rack which the driver later examined when he exited the bus), I beeped and then stayed on the horn as the bus continued forward with continuing contact to my fender.

The driver pulled to the right curb, exited on the sidewalk side, slowed apparently to engage in phone conversation (which I assumed was to report the wreck) and came to me from the rear of his bus. He showed me his driver's license (I believe he offered it before I even asked), and said something about someone arriving shortly.

Very soon thereafter, a uniformed member(a Ranger?) of the State Fish and Game Department (?)—(John??) arrived. He had a camera and I asked him to include a photo which showed the distance from my vehicle to the limit line (approximately 1 ½ yards short of the line.) I turned off my ignition after having

shifted to park and applying the emergency brake immediately after the wreck. My car had not been moved an inch from it's position when I first came to my stop at the light. I did turn the key subsequently to enable me to turn on my left turn signal. (Having never been in a situation like this previously, I didn't realize until later that I had emergency flashers which I should have activated.) When I was standing between my stopped car and the bus, I saw (perhaps due to the attention of the officer) a second white line beneath my vehicle as I walked toward the rear of my car. When he had completed his photos, I drove into the store lot on our right side at the corner.

The uniformed officer took down my driver's license, registration, and insurance information. The driver also asked for my license, and as I was reading the number to him he asked me to remove it from my wallet. My wallet is well into its second decade of use and is rather fragile, and I said I would tell him my driver's license number and show him my license so he could verify (as the officer had just done), but I didn't want to remove it from my not-very-forgiving plastic sleeve. He seemed OK with this when I reminded him that when he removed his license and showed it to the officer and me, the license dropped from his hands into the street or gutter.

After information was exchanged, I was asked to wait for the arrival of a Santa Cruz Metro official. The white line before the limit line that caught my attention as the pictures were being taken was quite conspicuous when the car was in the lot and the roadway was free from traffic. The white markings are severely worn down---the "Keep Clear" lettering is so worn that the only letters easily read are the "R", the "EE" and part of the "P". Additionally, five or so black, tarry-looking lines, each several inches wide, traverse the white line, further reducing the visibility of the white line. (I will drop off photos of this area in the morning.)

Until I saw this line during the taking of the pictures, I had no idea there were additional road markings in that area. I assume it is a normal and usual route for the driver, and he clearly must have known from his looking and (mentally) measuring and moving forward and stopping that I was in an area which I should have left free and clear for just such a bus-turning situation. But again, my attention was totally focused on the face and upper-body movements of the driver as he leaned forward and moved back. Not once did he signal or gesture to me to move. Not once did he express any concern about my position. Not once did he demonstrate an ounce of displeasure with my position in his arcing pathway.

I had zero idea at the time that I was stopped in an area which was marked "Keep Clear". I only knew that I was well short of the limit line and that a bus was carefully and meticulously making an arcing turn toward me.

If the driver had indicated to me by facial or hand gesture that I presented a problem or concern for him, I would have been happy to comply by moving anywhere I could safely reposition to give him more room. A kindly hand gesture would have been nice, but even an angry gesture would have been met with my immediate compliance. If I could have safely extracted myself from a situation which was presenting a problem for the driver, I would surely have done so. There was no hand gesture, no stern look, no sense of concern or consternation at all. It never occurred to me that I had encroached on a "Keep Clear" zone, and there was no indication whatsoever that the position of my vehicle presented a problem for him.

I was, in fact, very reassured by his careful leaning and looking, his incremental movements forward and his stopping as he repeated his carefully and deliberately-conducted process. He had a great front row seat to view my car. His total focus and attention was on my vehicle and then on the left-front corner of my car. The mental measurements and calculations he made as he advanced gave me full confidence in his judgment, his skills, and his abilities.

He gave every impression that he had embarked on a clear and safe path in his turn. His vantage point and his forward-leaning posture and elevated position left me very reassured about his forward progress.

I was quite startled (and more than a bit disbelieving) to hear the breaking and scratching sound as the rack made contact with my car. He must have been equally surprised. His careful (mental) calculations and slow and precise movements did not achieve the results he had anticipated.

Very shortly after Transit Supervisor Brent Fouse arrived, I told him I would be happy to meet with him, but had to first take Tyler to a review session on campus. When we met again at the corner shortly after 6:00, I told him the details. I also asked what the driver had told him. Mr. Fouse told me the driver said some of his attention was on the fire hydrant. That is at great variance with my observation, and I was absolutely, completely, and solely focused on the driver. The details I have given you are as complete and accurate as I can be. I told Mr. Fouse immediately that the fire hydrant explanation didn't match what I witnessed.

I have driven for nearly half a century. I have great admiration, respect, and empathy for anyone courageous enough to operate a bus or a big rig. As careful as I am, I would never consider driving something so large and so wide. I have an immaculate driving record. A Geico insured once veered across my lane in a very dangerous effort to park diagonally. My heroic efforts to avoid and warn her failed. If the big, bulky 4x4 wasn't challenge enough for her, I believe she must have been on the phone to have been so grossly negligent behind the wheel.

The only time I have ever been at fault in an accident was an attempt in front of our home to move my car two yards forward to allow more room for my wife to park. As soon as I put it in drive, my car roared forward, crashing into the neighbor's car which was several yards ahead. The cause? Failure of the idle control motor in the open position, causing uncontrolled acceleration. After several lunges in forward and reverse, I finally had the presence of mind to turn off the ignition. The resulting damage would have otherwise been much worse.

Other than having been rear-ended a couple times, this is the full extent of my accidents as a driver. I taught eight years of Driver's Education in high school, and I drive my talk. I am an extremely safe and attentive and careful driver, and my record attests to my skills and caution.

After completing this letter, I promise to forward the accompanying photos to the City department which paints and maintains road markings. I have been told by Brent Fouse, I believe, (among others) that this is one of the busiest intersections in town. Although the road markings can be read, one focused as I was on the crosswalk and light could easily overlook the "Keep Clear" area. I looked subsequently at other crosswalks in the intersection. The well-worn white line I overlooked appears to be by far the most poorly marked line at Laurel and Mission.

Surely you folks at Santa Cruz Metro have enormously more clout on these matters than do I. But this out-of-town Dad with a U.C. son will do his share to urge the City to redo the road markings. Tyler is among the many thousands who regularly ride your buses, and we must all do our part to assure conspicuous and easy-to-read signage for the safety and security of all. Your voice is far more powerful and effective than mine, but I have been known to be a persistent nagger-ask Tyler!! I spoke this afternoon with Rich Smith, Traffic Supervisor for the City, and have arranged to deliver him photos of the intersection in the morning. He listened patiently and with great interest and I assume the pavement will be repainted very soon. I will also urge him to check all such markings in the City. You are welcome to share this letter with him. (I assume this is privileged communication, and I would leave the sharing of it to your discretion.)

You folks and the driver would have much better sense than would I if he could have successfully negotiated his turn in the absence of the deployed bike rack. I have no idea how the extended rack alters the dimensions of the front of the bus, and have no idea how conspicuous the rack is to the driver. Would it be prudent to have a mechanism to remind a driver that the front end is a bit longer than usual? (Perhaps a blinking light at each end?) I can't offer an adequate solution---I'm no engineer. Again, ask Tyler! I know this is long, and I appreciate your patient reading. I have done my best to be honest, thorough, and accurate. Thank you.

Sincerely, Ron Gordon

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SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Angela Aitken, Finance Manager and Acting Assistant General Manager

SUBJECT: MONTHLY BUDGET STATUS REPORTS YEAR TO DATE AS OF

AUGUST 31, 2011 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS FOR

AUGUST 2011

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors accept and file the monthly budget status reports year to date as of August 31, 2011 and approve the budget transfers for August 2011

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Operating Revenues year to date as of August 31, 2011 were \$264K or 8 % over the amount of revenue expected for the same period year to date.
- **Consolidated Operating Expenses** year to date as of August 31, 2011 were \$466K or 7 % under budget.
- **Capital Budget** spending year to date through August 2011 was \$140K or 1 % of the Capital budget.

III. DISCUSSION

An analysis of Santa Cruz METRO's budget status is prepared monthly in order to apprise the Board of Directors of Santa Cruz METRO's actual revenues, expenses and capital in relation to the adopted operating and capital budgets for the fiscal year. The attached revenue, expense and capital reports represent the status of Santa Cruz METRO's FY12 operating and capital budgets versus actual expenditures year to date.

The fiscal year has elapsed 17%.

A. Operating Revenue

Operating Revenues year to date as of August 31, 2011 were \$264K or 8 % over the amount budgeted. Revenue variances are primarily due to lower than anticipated Passenger Fares and higher than anticipated Other Revenue (Advertising Income and Rent Income – SC Pacific Station) and Sales Tax Revenue.

- **Passenger Fares** are under budget due to a decrease in ridership. Total ridership was down 1.1 % vs. the same period last year.
- **Advertising Income** is over budget due to more advertising than expected year to date as of August 31, 2011.
- **Rent Income SC Pacific Station** is over budget due to additional rent revenue from Greyhound (\$2K/month).
- Sales Tax Revenue is over budget due to higher than anticipated receipts year to date through August 2011.

B. <u>Consolidated Operating Expenses</u>

Consolidated Operating Expenses year to date as of August 31, 2011 were \$466K or 7 % under budget. Personnel Expenses, Services, Mobile Materials & Supplies, Casualty & Liability, Purchased Transportation and Miscellaneous Expenses all contributed to the variance.

- **Total Personnel Expenses** are below budget due to vacant funded positions and extended leaves.
- The majority of the variance in **Services** is due to **Repair Equipment**, **Repair Rev** and **Non Rev Vehicle**, and **Haz Mat Disposal** expenses.
 - Repair Equipment is under budget due to inability to anticipate when repair costs will be incurred and straight lining of the budget.
 - Repair Rev Vehicle is over budget due to major engine repairs on bus # 2206 (approximately \$19K).
 - Repair Non Rev Vehicle is over budget due to repair and refinish costs due to accident damage.
 - Haz Mat Disposal is over budget due to solids waste in addition to oil and water Haz Mat liquid waste in August 2011.
- **Mobile Materials & Supplies** are under budget due to lower than anticipated prices of fuel, inability to anticipate when vehicle parts will be needed and the cyclical nature of tire and tube replacements, while the budget is straight lined.

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- Casualty & Liability is under budget due to less than anticipated settlement costs year to date, as well as reimbursements for repairs to revenue vehicles.
- **Purchased Transportation** is under budget due to lower than anticipated number of contracted rides for the month and year to date.
- Miscellaneous expenses are under budget due to cost cutting measures in all departments.

C. Capital Budget

Capital Budget spending year to date through August 2011 was \$140K or 1% of the Capital budget. Of this, \$11K or 2 % has been spent on the Bus Stop Improvements project, \$68K or 8 % has been spent on the Transit Management Information Technology project and \$67K or 58 % has been spent on the Replacement of Fleet & Facilities Maintenance Software.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Approval of the budget transfers will increase some line item expenses and decrease others. Overall, the changes are expense-neutral.

Attachment A: FY12 Operating Revenue & Expenses Year to Date as of 08/31/11

Attachment B: FY12 Capital Budget Reports for the month ending – 08/31/11

Attachment C: FY12 Budget Transfers for the month ending -08/31/11

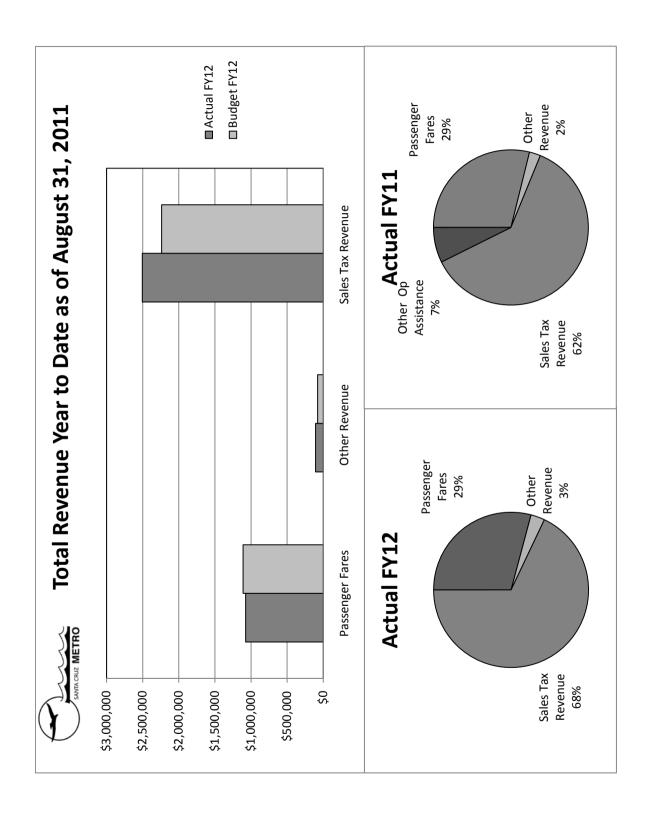
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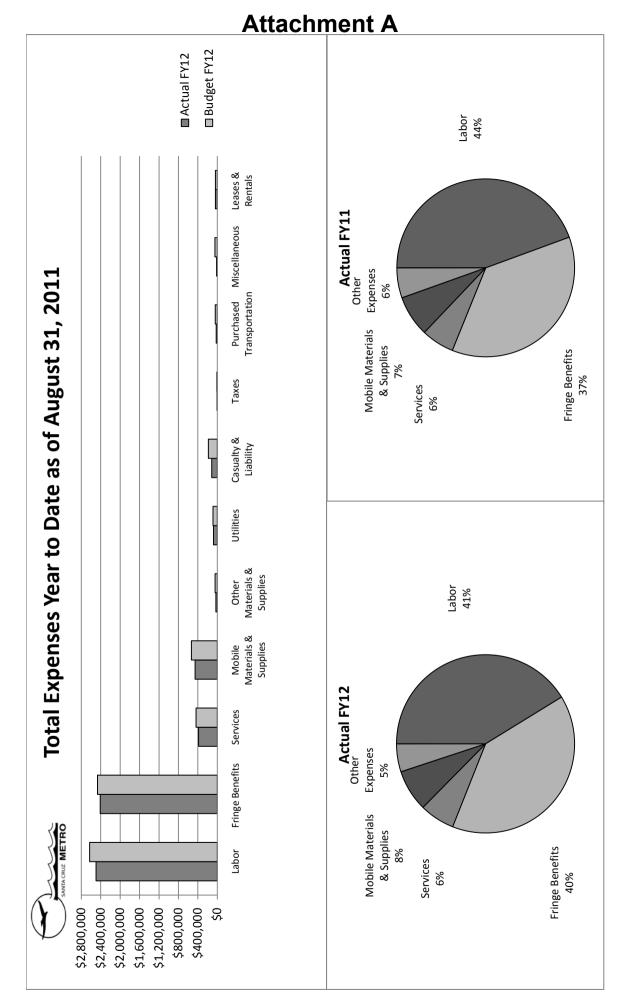
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Operating Revenue & Expenses Year to Date as of August 31, 2011

		Year t	Year to Date	au			YTD Year Ov	YTD Year Over Year Comparison	rison
Revenue:	Actual	Budget		\$ Var	% Var		FY11	\$ Var	% Var
Passenger Fares	\$ 1,075,239	9 \$ 1,109,484	\$	(34,245)	-3%	\$	1,062,288 \$	12,951	1%
Other Revenue	\$ 107,098	3 \$ 78,117	\$	28,981	37%	\$	\$6,081 \$	21,017	24%
Sales Tax Revenue	\$ 2,506,200	3 \$ 2,236,849	\$	269,351	12%	\$	2,262,400 \$	243,800	11%
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Total Revenue	\$ 3,688,537	7 \$ 3,424,450	❖	264,087	%8	∽	3,680,769 \$	7,768	%0
Expenses:									
Labor	\$ 2,497,607	7 \$ 2,629,329	⋄	(131,722)	-5%	\$	2,586,270 \$	(88,663)	-3%
Fringe Benefits	\$ 2,410,842	2 \$ 2,467,482	Ş	(56,640)	-2%	\$	2,139,246 \$	271,596	13%
Services	\$ 385,315	5 \$ 437,231	ş	(51,916)	-12%	\$	348,397 \$	36,918	11%
Mobile Materials & Supplies	\$ 457,176	\$	\$	(77,824)	-15%	\$	433,186 \$	23,990	%9
Other Materials & Supplies	\$ 30,673	3 \$ 44,232	\$	(13,559)	-31%	\$	28,087 \$	2,586	%6
Utilities	\$ 78,411	1 \$ 89,167	\$	(10,756)	-12%	❖	65,542 \$	12,869	20%
Casualty & Liability	\$ 113,993	3 \$ 182,550	\$	(68,557)	-38%	❖	103,258 \$	10,735	10%
Taxes	\$ 4,815	5 \$ 8,417	\$	(3,602)	-43%	❖	4,815 \$	1	%0
Purchased Transportation	\$ 23,933	\$	\$	(17,734)	-43%	❖	28,631 \$	(4,698)	-16%
Miscellaneous	\$ 17,228	3 \$ 48,333	\$	(31,105)	-64%	❖	24,492 \$	(7,264)	-30%
Leases & Rentals	\$ 38,136	5 \$ 40,368	\$	(2,232)	%9-	❖	63,213 \$	(25,077)	-40%
Total Expenses	\$ 6,058,127	7 \$ 6,523,775	❖	(465,648)	%L-	∽	5,825,137 \$	232,990	4%
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (2,369,590)	6				w	(2,144,368)		





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Percent of Year Elapsed -	17%			Year to Date	te				YTD Ye	, Ye a	YTD Year Over Year Comparison	Ç	nparison	
		Actual		Budget		\$ Var	% Var		FY12	ğ	FY11		\$ Var	% Var
Passenger Fares														
Passenger Fares	↔	612,566	↔	672,563 \$ (59,997)	↔	(59,997)	%6-	↔	612,566	υ	618,413	s	(5,847)	-1%
Paratransit Fares	↔	37,483	↔	38,493	ઝ	(1,010)	-3%	↔	37,483	s	37,227	s	256	1%
Special Transit Fares	s	144,991	ઝ	157,132	ઝ	(12,141)	-8%	ઝ	144,991	s	167,138	s	(22,147)	-13%
Highway 17 Fares	s	236,494	ઝ	140,234	ઝ	96,260	%69	ઝ	236,494	s	149,336	s	87,159	28%
Highway 17 Payments	s	43,705	s	101,062	ઝ	(57,357)	-21%	ઝ	43,705	s	90,175	s	(46,470)	-52%
Subtotal Passenger Revenue \$	\$	1,075,239	8	1,109,484	\$	\$ (34,245)	-3%	\$	1,075,239	s	1,062,288	\$	12,951	1%

Other Revenue														
Commissions	ઝ	954	٠,	933	s	20	2%	↔	954	↔	1,304	s	(351)	-27%
Advertising Income	s	57,091	۰,	33,333	s	23,758	71%	s	57,091	s	37,910	s	19,181	51%
Rent Income - SC Pacific Station	s	18,165	"	14,167	s	3,998	28%	s	18,165	s	14,494	s	3,671	25%
Rent Income - Watsonville TC	↔	7,395	"	6,667	s	728	11%	↔	7,395	↔	5,820	s	1,575	27%
Interest Income	↔	21,965	"	20,000	s	1,965	10%	s	21,965	s	25,993	s	(4,028)	-15%
Other Non-Transp Revenue	s	1,528 \$	"	3,017	s	(1,488)	-49%	s	1,528	s	229	s	696	173%
Subtotal Other Revenue \$	ઝ	107,098 \$		78,117	\$	28,982	37%	\$	107,098	\$	86,081	\$	21,017	24%
Sales Tax Revenue	↔	2,506,200 \$		2,236,849	\$	269,351	12%	↔	2,506,200	↔	2,262,400	↔	243,800	11%
Transp Dev Act (TDA) - Op Asst	↔	٠	"		S		%0	s		⇔	•	S		%0
Federal Op Assistance														
FTA Sec 5307 - Op Asst	(y)	1	"		s	ı	%0	↔	ı	↔	ı	s	ı	%0
FTA Sec 5311 - Rural Op Asst	\$	- \$		-	\$	-	%0	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	%0
Subtotal Federal Op Assistance \$	S	\$ -		-	\$	-	%0	\$	1	\$	1	\$	-	%0
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nce/Funding	s	•	s	•	s		%0	↔	•	s	ı	↔	,	%0
st	s	٠	s	,	s	,	%0	↔	1	s	270,000	8	(270,000)	-100%
Subtotal Other Op Assistance/Funding \$	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	%0	\$	-	\$	270,000	\$	(270,000)	-100%
STA - Op Assistance	↔		↔		\$		%0	⇔	•	↔		↔		%0
STIC - Op Assistance	↔	•	s		↔		%0	↔	•	↔		↔		%0
Fuel Tax Credit	↔		↔		↔		%0	↔	•	↔	•	↔		%0
Transfers (to)/ from Reserves	⇔		s		s		%0	↔	•	↔		↔		%0
Total Revenue	€ \$	3,688,537	↔	3,424,450	\$ 264	264,087	8%	s	3,688,537	\$	3,680,769	\$	7,768	%0
Total Operating Expenses	\$	6,058,127						8	6,058,127	\$	5,825,137			
Variance	\$	(2,369,590)						8	(2,369,590)	€	(2,144,368)	I.		



FY12 Consolidated Operating Expenses Year to Date as of August 31, 2011

SANTA CRUZ METRO	Q			Year to Date	Ð				YTD	Yea	YTD Year Over Year Comparison	Com	parison	
		Actual		Budget		\$ Var	% Var		FY12	Actual	FY11		\$ Var	% Var
Labor														
501011 Bus Operator Pay	s	1,148,051	s	1,276,240		\$ (128,188)	-10%	s	1,148,051	6	1,232,152	↔	(84,101)	-1%
501013 Bus Operator Overtime	s	284,253	s	253,169	s		12%	s	284,253	s	224,374	↔	59,880	27%
501021 Other Salaries	s	995,985	s	1,041,890	s	(45,904)	-4%	s	995,985	s	1,079,654	s	(83,668)	%8-
501023 Other Overtime	↔	69,317	↔	58,032	↔	11,286	19%	↔	69,317	↔	50,091	↔	19,226	38%
Total Labor -	\$	2,497,607	ઝ	2,629,329	ઝ	(131,722)	-2%	\$	2,497,607 \$ 2,629,329 \$ (131,722) -5% \$ 2,497,607 \$ 2,586,270 \$ (88,663)	\$	2,586,270	\$	(88,663)	-3%

nge Benefits														
502011 Medicare/Soc. Sec.	s	37,047	↔	40,879	↔	(3,832)	%6-	s	37,047	↔	38,043	8	(966)	-3%
502021 Retirement	ઝ	437,115	↔	483,533	ઝ	(46,418)	-10%	↔	437,115	8	367,945	ઝ	69,170	19%
502031 Medical Insurance	s	1,050,667	↔	1,117,916	6	(67,249)	%9-	↔	1,050,667	↔	902,683	6	147,985	16%
502041 Dental Insurance	ઝ	75,095	↔	78,602	ઝ	(3,508)	-4%	↔	75,095	8	71,641	ઝ	3,453	2%
502045 Vision Insurance	s	21,521	↔	21,634	↔	(113)	-1%	↔	21,521	↔	22,037	↔	(517)	-5%
502051 Life Insurance	s	6,718	6	7,427	S	(402)	-10%	↔	6,718	s	7,477	S	(759)	-10%
502060 State Disability	s	34,071	↔	31,541	↔	2,530	%8	↔	34,071	↔	32,701	↔	1,370	4%
502061 Disability Insurance	s	19,876	↔	38,050	6	(18,174)	-48%	↔	19,876	↔	34,957	6	(15,081)	-43%
502071 State Unemp. Ins	s	162	6	12,970	s	(12,808)	%66-	↔	162	s	635	S	(473)	-75%
502081 Worker's Comp Ins	s	212,895	↔	150,000	6	62,895	42%	↔	212,895	↔	168,617	6	44,278	%97
502083 Worker's Comp IBNR	ઝ	1	↔	1	ઝ	ı	%0	↔	1	8	•	ઝ	1	%0
502101 Holiday Pay	↔	14,679	↔	49,713	↔	(35,034)	-20%	↔	14,679	↔	16,185	↔	(1,506)	%6-
502103 Floating Holiday	ઝ	5,153	↔	11,884	ઝ	(6,731)	-21%	↔	5,153	8	3,372	ઝ	1,781	23%
502109 Sick Leave	ઝ	95,825	↔	144,291	ઝ	(48,467)	-34%	s	95,825	s	89,811	ઝ	6,014	%2
502111 Annual Leave	ઝ	356,599	↔	244,773	ઝ	111,825	46%	s	356,599	s	344,222	ઝ	12,377	4%
502121 Other Paid Absence	ઝ	30,914	↔	19,995	ઝ	10,919	22%	s	30,914	s	25,073	ઝ	5,841	23%
502251 Physical Exams	↔	1,425	↔	2,352	↔	(927)	-39%	↔	1,425	()	525	↔	006	171%
502253 Driver Lic Renewal	s	245	↔	778	↔	(533)	%69-	↔	245	()	323	\$	(78)	-24%
502999 Other Fringe Benefits	↔	10,837	↔	11,145	s	(308)	-3%	↔	10,837	↔	12,999	s	(2,163)	-17%
Total Fringe Benefits -	s	2,410,842	s	2,467,482	s	(56,640)	-2%	s	2,410,842	ઝ	2,139,246	ઝ	271,596	13%

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Services													
503011 Acctg & Audit Fees	↔	15,400 \$	22,50		(7,100)	-32%	↔	15,400	s	22,000	6	(0,000)	-30%
503012 Admin & Bank Fees	↔	18,060 \$	15,834		2,226	14%	↔	18,060	s	4,453	s	13,607	306%
503031 Prof & Tech Fees	↔	20,280 \$	37,035		(16,755)	-45%	↔	20,280	s	20,499	s	(219)	-1%
503032 Legislative Services	↔	15,000 \$	15,000			%0	↔	15,000	s	15,000	s		%0
503033 Legal Services	↔	↔	9,167		(9,167)	-100%	↔	•	s	863	s	(863)	-100%
503034 Pre-Employ Exams	↔	370 \$	1,253		(883)	%0/-	↔	370	s	424	s	(54)	-13%
503041 Temp Help	↔	47,676 \$	47,000		929	1%	↔	47,676	s	31,032	s	16,644	54%
503161 Custodial Services	()	8,854 \$	12,08		(3,230)	-27%	↔	8,854	s	10,402	s	(1,548)	-15%
503162 Uniform & Laundry	↔		3,75		(616)	-16%	↔	3,134	s	2,663	s	471	18%
503171 Security Services	↔		66,500		(8,071)	-12%	↔	58,429	s	61,577	s	(3,148)	-5%
503221 Classified/Legal Ads	↔	1,555 \$	3,724	↔	(2,169)	-58%	↔	1,555	s	1,915	s	(360)	-19%
503222 Legal Advertising	↔		•		727	100%	↔	727	s	1	S	727	100%
503225 Graphic Services	↔	⊹	•	↔	1	%0	↔	•	s		s	,	%0
503351 Repair - Bldg & Impr	↔	5,000 \$	16,667		(11,666)	-20%	↔	5,000	s	4,424	s	9/5	13%
503352 Repair - Equipment	↔	69,216 \$	102,552		(33,336)	-33%	↔	69,216	s	55,983	s	13,233	24%
503353 Repair - Rev Vehicle	↔	100,907 \$	71,667		29,240	41%	↔	100,907	s	112,967	s	(12,060)	-11%
503354 Repair - Non Rev Vehic	↔	10,025 \$	4,167		5,858	141%	↔	10,025	s	153	s	9,871	6438%
503363 Haz Mat Disposal	↔	10,682 \$	8,333		2,349	28%	⇔	10,682	↔	4,042	↔	6,641	164%
Total Services -	U .	385 315 \$	437 231	σ	(51 916)	-12%	U	385 315	¥	3/8 307	¥	36 018	110%

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Mobile Materials & Supplies														
504011 Fuels & Lube Non Rev \ \$	€	10,187	8	11,667	s	(1,480)	-13%	s	10,187	8	10,294	8	(108)	-1%
504012 Fuels & Lube Rev Veh	s	330,394	s	375,833	S	(45,439)	-12%	s	330,394	↔	305,930	s	24,464	%8
504021 Tires & Tubes	s	23,221	s	41,667	s	(18,446)	-44%	s	23,221	↔	28,848	6	(5,627)	-20%
504161 Other Mobile Supplies	s	•	s	•	s		%0	s	•	↔	•	()		%0
504191 Rev Vehicle Parts	↔	93,374	₩	105,833	s	(12,460)	-12%	↔	93,374	\$	88,113	↔	5,260	%9
Total Mobile Materials & Supplies - \$	s	457,176	s	\$35,000 \$	s	(77,824) -15%	-15%	s	457,176	s	433,186	s	23,990	%9



Consolidated Operating Expenses Year to Date as of August 31, 2011

SANTA CRUZ METRO	0	Year to Date	ē		TΥ ΔΑ	YTD Year Over Year Comparison محتورها	ar Com	parison	
	Actual	Budget	\$ Var	% Var	<u>FY12</u>	<u>FY11</u>		\$ Var	% Var
Other Materials & Supplies									
504205 Freight Out	\$ 315	\$ 417	\$ (102)	2) -24%	\$ 315	\$	254 \$	61	24%
504211 Postage & Mailing	\$ 2,334	\$ 2,639	\$ (302)		\$ 2,334	\$ 4,099	\$ 66	(1,764)	-43%
504214 Promotional Items	· \$		- •	%0	· \$				%0
504215 Printing	\$ 386	\$ 6,940			\$ 386	\$ 5,573		(5,187)	-93%
504217 Photo Supply/Processin	e \$			7) -100%	\$		_	13	-132%
504311 Office Supplies	\$ 11,952	_		7) -1%	_	\$ 10,460		1,492	14%
504315 Safety Supplies	\$ 2,076		\$ (1,307)	7) -39%	\$ 2,076	↔		1,324	176%
504317 Cleaning Supplies	\$ 5,035	\$ 6,350		5) -21%				778	18%
504409 Repair/Maint Supplies	\$ 5,557	\$ 6,667	\$ (1,110)	0) -17%		s		3,416	160%
504421 Non-Inventory Parts	\$ 2,456	\$ 3,167			\$ 2,456	s		2,155	715%
504511 Small Tools	\$ 259	\$ 1,450				₩	114 \$	145	128%
504515 Employee Tool Rplcmt	\$ 300	\$ 200	\$ (200)	0) -40%	\$ 300		147 \$	152	104%
Total Other Materials & Supplies -	\$ 30,673	\$ 44,232	\$ (13,559)	9) -31%	\$ 30,673	\$ 28,087	37 \$	2,586	%6
Utilities									
505011 Gas & Electric	\$ 42,477	39,000		%6 2	\$ 42,477	\$ 33,147		9,330	28%
505021 Water & Garbage	\$ 21,670	\$ 25,000	· \$	'	\$ 21,670	- 6	36	801	4%
505031 Telecommunications			\$	4) -43%		- ↔		2,737	24%
Total Utilities -	\$ 78,411	\$ 89,167	\$ (10,756)	6) -12%	\$ 78,411	\$ 65,542	12 \$	12,868	20%
Casualty & Liability									
506011 Insurance - Property			↔			ઝ		(3,755)	-24%
506015 Insurance - PL & PD	\$ 79,157	\$ 87,550		'	\$ 79,157			960'9	8%
506021 Insurance - Other	' \$		↔			↔			%0
506123 Settlement Costs		\$ 75,833	↔		\$ 36,695	↔	29 8	2,766	%8
506127 Repairs - Dist Prop	\$ (14,049)	· \$	\$ (14,049)	9) 100%	\$ (14,049)	_		5,629	-29%
Total Casualty & Liability -	\$ 113,993	\$ 182,550	\$ (68,557)	7) -38%	\$ 113,993	\$ 103,258	\$ 89	10,735	10%
Taxes									
507051 Fuel Tax	1,9		↔		1,9	\$ 1,9		•	%0
507201 Licenses & permits		\$ 2,750	\$		\$ 25	s	25 \$		%0
507999 Other Taxes	\$ 2,878			5) -14%	\$ 2,878			1	%0
Total Taxes -	\$ 4,815	\$ 8,417	\$ (3,602)	2) -43%	\$ 4,815	\$ 4,815	15 \$	1	%0
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SANTA CRUZ METRO

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Consolidated Operating Expenses
Year to Date as of August 31, 2011

Year to Date

YTD Year Over Year Comparison

		<u>Actual</u>		Budget		<u>\$ Var</u>	% Var		Ac <u>FY12</u>	Actual	<u>FY11</u>	. છ ા	\$ Var	% Var
Purchased Transportation														
503406 Contr/Paratrans	⇔	23,933	↔	41,667	₩	(17,734)	-43%	↔	23,933	↔	28,631	↔	(4,698)	-16%
Total Purchased Transportation -	s	23,933	s	41,667	s	(17,734)	-43%	\$	23,933	ઝ	28,631	\$	(4,698)	-16%
Miscellaneous														
509011 Dues & Subscriptions	↔	10,737	s	12,524	s	(1,787)	-14%	⇔	10,737	↔	11,510	↔	(774)	%2-
509085 Advertising - Rev Produ	↔	ı	s	ı	s		%0	↔	1	s	1	S		%0
509101 Emp Incentive Prog	↔	1	↔	5,922	↔	(5,922)	-100%	s	•	s	8	↔	(81)	-100%
509121 Employee Training	↔	4,718	s	11,038	s	(6,320)	-21%	s	4,718	↔	2,340	↔	2,378	102%
509123 Travel	↔	543	↔	15,574	s	(15,031)	%26-	s	543	↔	9,210	↔	(8,667)	-94%
509125 Local Meeting Exp	↔	291	↔	1,133	s	(843)	-74%	s	291	↔	404	↔	(113)	-28%
509127 Board Director Fees	↔	200	↔	2,100	s	(1,600)	%9/-	s	200	s	950	↔	(420)	-47%
509150 Contributions	↔	,	s	42	s	(42)	-100%	↔	1	↔	,	S		%0
509197 Sales Tax Expense	υ	•	s	ı	s		%0	↔	1	s	1	↔	1	%0
509198 Cash Over/Short	⇔	439	↔	1	↔	439	100%	s	439	↔	(3)	↔	442	-13615%
Total Misc -	s	17,228	s	48,333	s	(31,105)	-64%	s	17,228	s	24,492	s	(7,264)	-30%
Leases & Rentals														
512011 Facility Rentals	↔	35,286	s	37,250	S	(1,964)	-5%	↔	35,286	↔	61,788		(26,502)	-43%
512061 Equipment Rentals	↔	2,850	↔	3,118	s	(268)	%6-	↔	2,850	↔	1,424	↔	1,426	100%
Total Leases & Rentals -	s	38,136	s	40,368	s	(2,233)	%9-	s	38,136	ઝ	63,213	\$	(25,077)	-40%
Total Non-Personnel Expenses -	ઝ	1,149,678	s	1,426,964	s	(277, 286)	-19%	ક	1,149,678	ક્ર	1,099,621	\$	50,057	2%

^{**} does not include depreciation

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CAPITAL BUDGET

For the month ending - August 31, 2011

SANTA CRUZ METRO		YTD Actual	FY12 Budget		Remaining Budget	% Spent YTD	
Grant-Funded Projects							
State of Good Repair (FTA, RES. RET. EARN.)	છ	<i>⇔</i> '	5,820,000	\$ 000	5,820,000	%0	
2nd CNG Tank (STIC, MBUAPCD, RES. RET. EARN.)	↔	1	\$ 1,561,070	\$ 040	1,561,070	%0	
MetroBase Maintenance Facility (PTMISEA, SAKATA) *	₩	\$ (000)		\$ 000	406,000	-2%	
Purchase 27 ParaCruz Vehicles (FTA-ARRA)	↔	1	\$ 975,000	\$ 000	975,000	%0	
Transit Mgmt. Info. Technology (FTA-ARRA)	₩	\$ 928'49	845,000	\$ 000	777,164	8%	
Bus Stop Improvements (STIP)	↔	11,055 \$	500,000	\$ 000	488,945	2%	
425 Front Street Purchase (FTA, STA)	₩	1	\$ 40,	40,000 \$	40,000	%0	
Land Mobile Radio Project - (LMR) (STATE-1B)	↔	1	\$ 790,000	\$ 000	790,000	%0	
Video Surveillance Project - (CCTV) (STATE-1B)	↔	1	\$ 150,000	\$ 000	150,000	%0	
Emergency Generator Relocation (OHS-1B)	↔	1	\$ 20,	20,000 \$	20,000	%0	
Subtotal Grant Funded Projects	₽	72,891 \$	11,101,070	\$ 020	11,028,179	1%	
IT Projects							
HR Software Upgrade (STA)	છ	324	\$ 125,000	\$ 000	124,676	%0	
Replace Fleet & Facilities Maintenance Software (STA)	↔	66,799	\$ 115,000	\$ 000	48,201	28%	
Automated Purchasing System Software (STA)	↔	1	\$ 40,	40,000 \$	40,000	%0	
Subtotal IT Projects	↔	67,123 \$	280,000	\$ 000	212,877	24%	
Facilities Repair & Improvements							
Operations Bldg. Repairs (RES. RET. EARN.)	ક્ક	1	\$ 200,000	\$ 000	200,000	%0	
MetroCenter Repairs (RES. RET. EARN.)	↔	1	\$ 200,000	\$ 000	200,000	%0	
MTC Lane Four Shelter Replacement (STA)	↔	1	\$ 75,	75,000 \$	75,000	%0	
Repair, Reseal, Restripe (Sinkholes) - Ops (STA)	↔	1	\$ 10,	10,000 \$	10,000	%0	
Subtotal Facilities Repairs & Improvements Projects	s	1	\$ 485,000	\$ 000	485,000	%0	

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FY12	CAPITAL BUDGET	For the month ending - August 31, 2011	
(Y		SANTA CRUZ METRO

SANTA CRUZ METRO	YTD Actual	FY12	FY12 Budget	Remaining Budget	ldget	% Spent YTD	
CAPITAL FUNDING							
Federal Capital Grants	\$ 67,836	2	7,793,662	\$ 7,725,826	826	1%	
Other Fed - Sakata / Lawsuit proceeds	· \$	s	25,000	\$ 25,	25,000	%0	
State - PTMISEA (1B)	(000)	s	375,000	\$ 381,000	000	-2%	
State - Security Bond Funds (1B)	· ·	s	960,000	\$ 960,000	000	%0	
State Transit Assistance (STA) Carryover-Prior Yrs	\$ 67,123	s	442,000	\$ 374,877	877	15%	
State - MBUAPCD **	· •	s	200,000	\$ 200,000	000	%0	
State - STIP **	\$ 11,055	s	500,000	\$ 488,945	945	2%	
Local - Reserved Retained Earnings	· •	\$	2,507,873	\$ 2,507,873	873	%0	
Local Operating Match	•	↔	134,535	\$ 134,	134,535	%0	
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDING	\$ 140,014	\$ 12	12,938,070	\$ 12,798,056	920	1%	

^{*} Credit of \$6,000 represents final settlement check received from DMC Construction

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FY 12 BUDGET LINE ITEM TRANSFERS

For the month ending - August 31, 2011

		ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT TITLE	A۱	MOUNT
TRANSFER #	# FY12-10				
	TRANSFER FROM:	503162-3200	Uniforms & Laundry	\$	(215)
	TRANSFER TO:	504215-3200	Printing	\$	215
	REASON:	To cover printing co	osts for Operation's forms.		
TRANSFER #	# FY12-19				
	TRANSFER FROM:	501021-1200	Other Salaries	\$	(9,700)
	TRANSFER TO:	503041-1200	Temp Help	\$	9,700
	REASON:	To cover temp help (purchasing agent).	expenses due to a vacant position in	Finan	ce

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Angela Aitken, Finance Manager and Acting Assistant General Manager

SUBJECT: MONTHLY BUDGET STATUS REPORTS YEAR TO DATE AS OF

SEPTEMBER 30, 2011 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS FOR

SEPTEMBER 2011

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors accept and file the monthly budget status reports year to date as of September 30, 2011 and approve the budget transfers for September 2011

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- **Operating Revenues** year to date as of September 30, 2011 were \$289K or 4 % over the amount of revenue expected for the same period year to date.
- Consolidated Operating Expenses year to date as of September 30, 2011 were \$676K or 7 % under budget.
- Capital Budget spending year to date through September 2011 was \$314K or 2 % of the Capital budget.

III. DISCUSSION

An analysis of Santa Cruz METRO's budget status is prepared monthly in order to apprise the Board of Directors of Santa Cruz METRO's actual revenues, expenses and capital in relation to the adopted operating and capital budgets for the fiscal year. The attached revenue, expense and capital reports represent the status of Santa Cruz METRO's FY12 operating and capital budgets versus actual expenditures year to date.

The fiscal year has elapsed 25%.

A. Operating Revenue

Operating Revenues year to date as of September 30, 2011 were \$289K or 4 % over the amount budgeted. Revenue variances are primarily due to lower than anticipated Passenger Fares and higher than anticipated Other Revenue (Advertising Income and Rent Income – SC Pacific Station) and Sales Tax Revenue.

- **Passenger Revenue** is under budget due to a decrease in ridership. Total ridership was down 1.09% vs. the same period last year.
- **Advertising Income** is over budget due to more advertising than expected year to date as of September 30, 2011.
- **Rent Income SC Pacific Station** is over budget due to additional rent revenue from Greyhound (\$2K/month).
- Sales Tax Revenue is over budget due to higher than anticipated receipts year to date through September 2011. The 7 % growth in Sales Tax year over year, as of September 2011, primarily reflects continuing improvement in consumer spending.

B. <u>Consolidated Operating Expenses</u>

Consolidated Operating Expenses year to date as of September 30, 2011 were \$676K or 7 % under budget. Personnel Expenses, Services, Mobile Materials & Supplies, Casualty & Liability, and Miscellaneous Expenses all contributed to the variance.

- **Total Personnel Expenses** are below budget due to vacant funded positions and extended leaves.
- The majority of the variance in **Services** is due to **Prof & Tech Fees, Repair Equipment**, and **Repair Rev Vehicle** costs.
 - Prof & Tech Fees are under budget due to straight lining of the budget throughout the fiscal year and actual activity, primarily labor negotiations and recruitments, which will happen later in the year.
 - Repair Equipment and Repair Rev Vehicle are under budget due to inability to anticipate when repair costs will be incurred and straight lining of the budget.
- **Mobile Materials & Supplies** are under budget due to lower than anticipated prices of fuel, inability to anticipate when vehicle parts will be needed and the cyclical nature of tire and tube replacements, while the budget is straight lined.

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- Casualty & Liability is under budget due to less than anticipated settlement costs year to date, as well as reimbursements for repairs to revenue vehicles.
- Miscellaneous expenses are under budget due to cost cutting measures in all departments.

C. Capital Budget

Capital Budget spending year to date through September 2011 was \$314 or 2% of the Capital budget. Of this, \$11K or 2 % has been spent on the Bus Stop Improvements project, \$241K or 29 % has been spent on the Transit Management Information Technology project and \$67K or 58 % has been spent on the Replacement of Fleet & Facilities Maintenance Software.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Approval of the budget transfers will increase some line item expenses and decrease others. Overall, the changes are expense-neutral.

Attachment A: FY12 Operating Revenue & Expenses Year to Date as of 09/30/11

Attachment B: FY12 Capital Budget Reports for the month ending – 09/30/11

Attachment C: FY12 Budget Transfers for the month ending -09/30/11

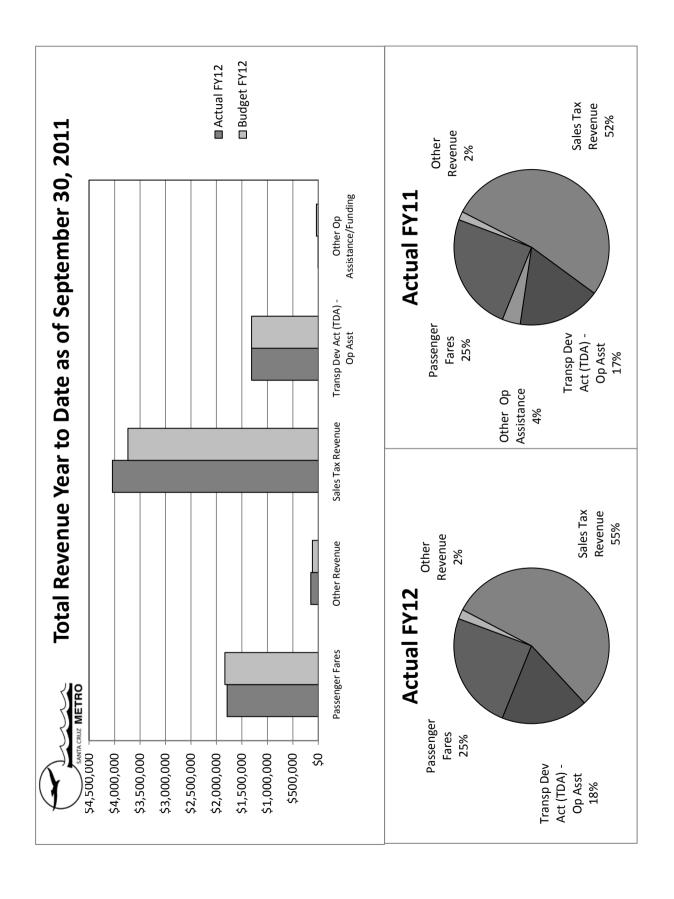
Prepared by: Kristina Mihaylova, Financial Analyst

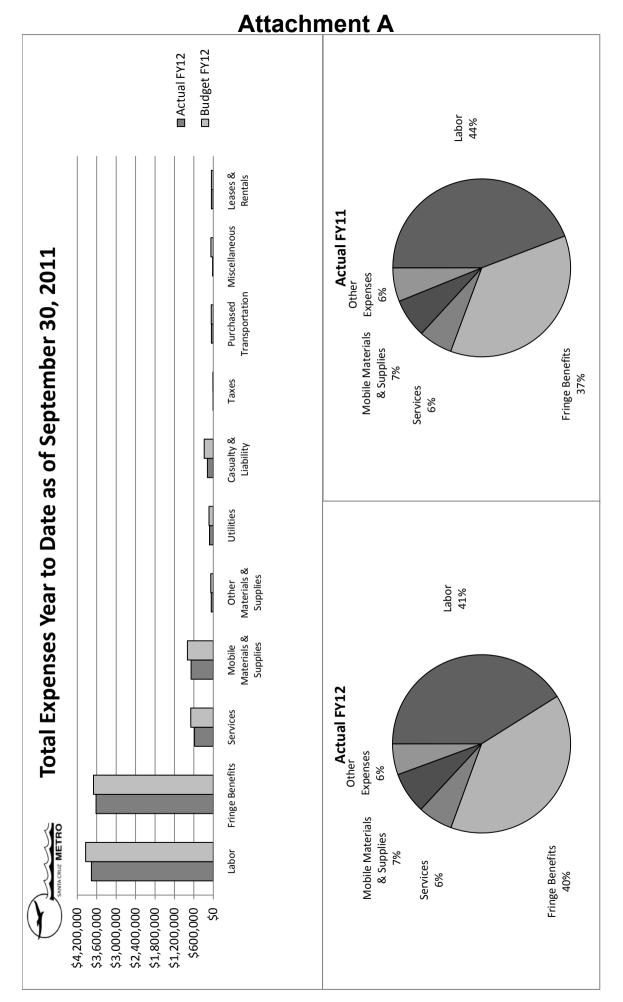
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			Yea	Year to Date	a			YTD Year Ow	YTD Year Over Year Comparison	ison
Revenue:		Actual	Budget		\$ Var	% Var		FY11	\$ Var	% Var
Passenger Fares	φ.	1,789,482	\$ 1,834,710	\$ 0.	(45,228)	-5%	↔	1,773,846 \$	15,636	1%
Other Revenue	\$	145,985	\$ 117,175	5 \$	28,810	25%	\$	126,694 \$	19,291	15%
Sales Tax Revenue	❖	4,041,832	\$ 3,738,737	\$ 7	303,095	%8	❖	3,781,444 \$	260,388	2%
Transp Dev Act (TDA) - Op Asst	\$	1,311,241	\$ 1,311,241	.1 \$	ı	%0	\$	1,243,620 \$	67,621	2%
Federal Op Assistance	❖	1	\$	Ş	1	%0	\$	\$	1	%0
Other Op Assistance/Funding	\$	2,043	· \$	Ş	2,043	100%	\$	270,000 \$	(267,957)	%66-
STA - Op Assistance	\$	1	\$	Ş	ı	%0	\$	\$	1	%0
STIC - Op Assistance	\$	•	· \$	\$	ı	%0	\$	\$ -	ı	%0
Fuel Tax Credit	\$	1	\$	Ş	ı	%0	\$	\$	1	%0
Transfers (to)/ from Reserves	❖		\$	❖		%0	\$	⋄		%0
Total Revenue	₩	7,290,583	\$ 7,001,863	Α	288,720	4%	₩	7,195,603 \$	94,980	1%
Expenses:										
Labor	\$	3,766,691	\$ 3,944,844	4. \$	(178,153)	-5%	❖	3,894,216 \$	(127,525)	-3%
Fringe Benefits	❖	3,622,616	\$ 3,701,223	33	(78,607)	-2%	φ.	3,214,169 \$	408,447	13%
Services	❖	578,554	\$ 697,201	1 \$	(118,647)	-17%	\$	542,023 \$	36,531	2%
Mobile Materials & Supplies	❖	686,652	\$ 802,500	\$ 0	(115,848)	-14%	❖	620,624 \$	66,028	11%
Other Materials & Supplies	\$	63,271	\$ 76,336	\$ 9	(13,065)	-17%	\$	59,745 \$	3,526	%9
Utilities	\$	118,088	\$ 133,750	\$ 0	(15,662)	-12%	\$	\$ 620,001	15,009	15%
Casualty & Liability	\$	184,029	\$ 281,825	.5 \$	(94,796)	-35%	\$	\$ 626,881	(4,950)	-3%
Taxes	\$	7,239	\$ 12,625	.5 \$	(2,386)	-43%	\$	\$ 968'1	(157)	-2%
Purchased Transportation	\$	57,999	\$ 62,500	\$ 0	(4,501)	-1%	\$	46,881 \$	11,118	24%
Miscellaneous	\$	25,860	\$ 71,849	ج	(45,989)	-64%	\$	37,621 \$	(11,761)	-31%
Leases & Rentals	❖	57,844	\$ 60,373	ς, γ	(2,529)	-4%	❖	\$ 509'56	(37,761)	-39%
Total Expenses	\$	9,168,841	\$ 9,845,025	5	(676,184)	-1%	\$	8,810,338 \$	358,503	4%
Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(1,878,258)					ᡐ	(1,614,735)		





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SANTA CRUZ METRO Percent of Year Elapsed - 25%

Year to Date as of September 30, 2011 **Operating Revenue**

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				Year to Date	te				YTD Ye Actual	Yea ual	YTD Year Over Year Comparison Actual	Com	parison	
		Actual		Budget		\$ Var	% Var		FY12		FY11	()	\$ Var	% Var
Passenger Fares														
Passenger Fares	↔	921,011	↔	1,020,863	s	(99,852)	-10%	↔	921,011	↔	938,887	₩	(17,876)	-5%
Paratransit Fares	s	82,652	s	60,902	s	21,750	36%	s	82,652	s	58,899	s	23,753	40%
Special Transit Fares	s	362,680	s	391,367	s	(28,687)	%2-	s	362,680	s	416,290	s	(53,610)	-13%
Highway 17 Fares	s	363,170	s	215,174		147,996	%69	s	363,170	s	229,139	· •	134,030	28%
Highway 17 Payments	s	59,970	s	146,404	s	(86,434)	-59%	s	59,970	s	130,631	s	(70,661)	-54%
Subtotal Passenger Revenue	ઝ	1,789,482	\$	1,834,710	\$	(45,228)	-2%	\$	1,789,482	\$	1,773,846	\$	15,636	1%
Other Revenue														
Commissions	s	954	s	1,400	s	(446)	-32%	s	954	s	1,304	s	(351)	-27%
Advertising Income	s	72,770	s	50,000	s	22,770	46%	s	72,770	s	54,714	s	18,056	33%
Rent Income - SC Pacific Station	s	27,273	s	21,250	8	6,023	28%	s	27,273	s	21,468	s	5,805	27%
Rent Income - Watsonville TC	s	11,093	s	10,000	s	1,093	11%	s	11,093	s	8,731	s	2,362	27%
Interest Income	s	32,055	s	30,000	s	2,055	%2	ઝ	32,055	s	39,763	s	(7,708)	-19%
Other Non-Transp Revenue	s	1,840	↔	4,525	s	(2,685)	%69-	ઝ	1,840	s	713	s	1,126	158%
Subtotal Other Revenue	ઝ	145,985	છ	117,175	s	28,810	25%	s	145,985	s	126,694	\$	19,291	15%
Sales Tax Revenue	↔	4,041,832	↔	3,738,737	↔	303,094	8%	↔	4,041,832	↔	3,781,444	€	260,388	%2
Transp Dev Act (TDA) - Op Asst	↔	1,311,241	↔	1,311,241	s	0	%0	↔	1,311,241	S	1,243,620	\$	67,622	2%
Federal Op Assistance														
FTA Sec 5307 - Op Asst	↔	ı	↔	ı	s		%0	↔	ı	↔		₩		%0
FTA Sec 5311 - Rural Op Asst	s	•	ઝ	•	s	,	%0	ઝ	•	s	•	s	,	%0
Subtotal Federal Op Assistance	ઝ	1	ક	1	s		%0	ક	1	s		s		%0
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Operating Revenue

Year to Date as of September 30, 2011

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Budget

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Year to Date

SANTA CRUZ **METRO**Percent of Year Elapsed - 25%

Other Op Assistance/Funding														
AMBAG Funding	s		s		s		%0	s	٠	s	٠	s	·	%0
Other Op Assistance/Funding	s	2,043	s		s	2,043	100%	s	2,043	s	•		2,043	100%
FTA Sec 5309 - ARRA Op Asst	s		s		s	,	%0	s	•	s	270,000	s	(270,000)	-100%
Subtotal Other Op Assistance/Funding \$	8	2,043	s	1	s	2,043	100%	ઝ	2,043	ઝ	270,000	ઝ	(267,957)	%66-
STA - Op Assistance	↔	•	\$		↔		%0	↔	•	↔		↔		%0
STIC - Op Assistance	↔		S	٠	s		%0	s	٠	⇔		s		%0
Fuel Tax Credit	↔		\$		↔		%0	↔	•	↔		↔		%0
Transfers (to)/ from Reserves	↔		s		↔		%0	↔		↔		↔		%0
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Total Operating Expenses	↔	9,168,841						↔	9,168,841	\$	8,810,338			
Variance	s	\$ (1,878,259)						s	(1,878,259)	8	\$ (1,614,735)			

Consolidated Operating Expenses Year to Date as of September 30, 2011

SANTA CRUZ METRO	Õ		•	Year to Date	an.				YTD	Year	YTD Year Over Year Comparison	Con	parison	
		Actual	•	Budget		\$ Var	% Var		Actual FY12	ng n	FY11		\$ Var	% Var
Labor														
501011 Bus Operator Pay	⇔	1,717,452	s	1,914,359	s	(196,907)	-10%	s	1,717,452	s	1,853,039	↔	(135,587)	%2-
501013 Bus Operator Overtime	s	425,949	s	379,753	s	46,196	12%	s	425,949	s	344,049	s	81,900	24%
501021 Other Salaries	s	1,513,854	s	1,563,684	s	(49,831)	-3%	s	1,513,854	s	1,620,873	s	(107,019)	%/-
501023 Other Overtime	↔	109,436	↔	87,047	s	22,389	79%	↔	109,436	↔	76,255	↔	33,182	44%
Total Labor -	s	3,766,691	s	3,944,844	છ	(178,153)	-2%	છ	3,766,691 \$ 3,944,844 \$ (178,153) -5% \$ 3,766,691 \$ 3,894,216 \$ (127,525)	s	3,894,216	↔	(127,525)	-3%

Fringe Benefits														
502011 Medicare/Soc. Sec.	8	55,555	s	61,319	↔	(5,764)	%6-	↔	55,522	s	57,460	↔	(1,905)	-3%
502021 Retirement	ઝ	654,011	↔	725,299	s	(71,288)	-10%	s	654,011	↔	552,598	↔	101,412	18%
502031 Medical Insurance	s	1,570,054	υ	1,676,874	↔	(106,820)	%9-	↔	1,570,054	υ	1,357,465	υ	212,589	16%
502041 Dental Insurance	s	110,955	S	117,903	↔	(6,948)	%9-	↔	110,955	S	108,758	S	2,196	2%
502045 Vision Insurance	s	31,574	s	32,450	ઝ	(876)	-3%	↔	31,574	s	33,228	↔	(1,653)	-2%
502051 Life Insurance	s	9,837	S	11,141	↔	(1,303)	-12%	s	9,837	S	10,956	S	(1,118)	-10%
502060 State Disability	s	50,615	s	47,312	ઝ	3,303	%/	s	50,615	s	48,743	s	1,872	4%
502061 Disability Insurance	s	29,596	υ	57,075	↔	(27,479)	-48%	s	29,596	υ	52,330	υ	(22,735)	-43%
502071 State Unemp. Ins	ઝ	408	s	19,454	ઝ	(19,046)	%86-	s	408	s	602	ઝ	(193)	-32%
502081 Worker's Comp Ins	s	373,450	υ	225,000	↔	148,451	%99	s	373,450	υ	242,119	υ	131,331	24%
502083 Worker's Comp IBNR	ઝ	1	↔	1	s	1	%0	s	1	↔	1	↔	1	%0
502101 Holiday Pay	↔	43,701	↔	74,569	s	(30,867)	-41%	↔	43,701	↔	48,213	↔	(4,512)	%6-
502103 Floating Holiday	ઝ	7,605	↔	17,825	s	(10,220)	-21%	s	7,605	↔	5,227	↔	2,379	46%
502109 Sick Leave	ઝ	141,997	s	216,437	S	(74,440)	-34%	s	141,997	s	137,443	ઝ	4,554	3%
502111 Annual Leave	ઝ	484,103	s	367,160	s	116,944	32%	s	484,103	s	502,750	ઝ	(18,646)	-4%
502121 Other Paid Absence	ઝ	40,628	s	29,992	S	10,636	32%	s	40,628	s	35,290	ઝ	5,338	15%
502251 Physical Exams	↔	1,931	↔	3,528	s	(1,597)	-45%	↔	1,931	↔	1,275	↔	929	51%
502253 Driver Lic Renewal	s	382	s	1,167	s	(785)	%29-	s	382	s	280	ઝ	(198)	-34%
502999 Other Fringe Benefits	↔	16,212	↔	16,718	↔	(206)	-3%	↔	16,212	↔	19,133	↔	(2,921)	-15%
Total Fringe Benefits -	8	3,622,616	s	3,701,223	ઝ	(78,607)	-2%	ઝ	3,622,616	s	3,214,169	ઝ	408,447	13%

Attachment A

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Total Personnel Expenses -	

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Consolidated Operating Expenses Year to Date as of September 30, 2011

SANTA CRUZ METRO	10			Year to Date	•				YTD	Year	YTD Year Over Year Comparison	ompar	ison	
	∢I	ctual	·	Budget		\$ Var	% Var		Actual FY12	la Ca	FY11	\$ Var	<u>ar</u>	% Var
Services														
503011 Acctg & Audit Fees	⇔	17,900	S	24,500	6	(6,600)	-27%	↔	17,900	s	22,000	ω	4,100)	-19%
503012 Admin & Bank Fees	s	70,161	s	69,001	s	1,160	2%	↔	70,161	s	50,495	~	19,667	36%
503031 Prof & Tech Fees	s	32,013	s	61,707	s	(29,693)	-48%	↔	32,013	s			(8,179)	-20%
503032 Legislative Services	s	22,500	s	22,500	s		%0	s	22,500	s				%0
503033 Legal Services	s		s	13,750	s	(13,750)	-100%	↔	1	s	863	⇔	(893)	-100%
503034 Pre-Employ Exams	s	402	s	1,880	s	(1,478)	-79%	↔	402	s	463		(61)	-13%
503041 Temp Help	s	65,934	s	66,200	s	(266)	%0	s	65,934	s	43,555		2,379	51%
503161 Custodial Services	s	13,581	s	18,125	s	(4,544)	-25%	↔	13,581	↔	15,903		(2,322)	-15%
503162 Uniform & Laundry	s	4,840	s	5,625	s	(785)	-14%	↔	4,840	s	4,305		535	12%
503171 Security Services	s	85,146	s	99,750	s	(14,604)	-15%	s	85,146	s	92,345		7,199)	%8-
503221 Classified/Legal Ads	s	4,250	s	5,586	s	(1,336)	-24%	↔	4,250	s	2,484		1,765	71%
503222 Legal Advertising	s		s	1	s	•	%0	↔	1	↔	'			%0
503225 Graphic Services	s		s	ı	s		%0	↔	ı	s	1			%0
503351 Repair - Bldg & Impr	s	11,891	s	25,000	↔	(13,109)	-52%	↔	11,891	↔	7,776		4,115	23%
503352 Repair - Equipment	s	105,508	s	154,328	s	(48,819)	-32%	s	105,508	υ	85,422		0,087	24%
503353 Repair - Rev Vehicle	s	117,310	s	107,500	↔	9,810	%6	↔	117,310	↔	141,970	_	4,660)	-17%
503354 Repair - Non Rev Vehic	↔	13,557	s	6,250	s	7,307	117%	↔	13,557	↔	153		13,404	3742%
503363 Haz Mat Disposal	↔	13,560	↔	12,500	⇔	1,060	%8	s)	13,560	s	11,597		1,964	17%
Total Services -	s	578,554	s	694,201	S	(115,647)	-17%	s	578,554	છ	542,023	8	36,531	%/

Attachment A

Mobile Materials & Supplies														
504011 Fuels & Lube Non Rev \ \$	s	15,985	44	17,500	↔	(1,515)	%6-	s	15,985	↔	15,550	↔	435	3%
504012 Fuels & Lube Rev Veh	↔	496,893	44	563,750	s	(66,857)	-12%	s	496,893	s	441,630	s	55,263	13%
504021 Tires & Tubes	↔	36,651	44	62,500	↔	(25,849)	-41%	s	36,651	s	39,486	υ	(2,835)	-7%
504161 Other Mobile Supplies	s	1	44	,	s	ı	%0	s	1	s	•	s		%0
504191 Rev Vehicle Parts	s	137,123	44	158,750	↔	(21,627)	-14%	↔	137,123	↔	123,957	↔	13,166	11%
Total Mobile Materials & Supplies - \$	S	686,652		802,500	s	802.500 \$ (115.849) -14%	-14%	s	686.652	s	620.624 \$	s	66.028	11%

Attachment A

Consolidated Operating Expenses Year to Date as of September 30, 2011

SANTA CRUZ METRO	ဝ္က		×	Year to Date	Ф				YTD Yes	Year (YTD Year Over Year Comparison	ompa	ırison	
	Actual	ا س ا	اه	Budget		\$ Var	% Var		FY12		FY11	S	\$ Var	% Var
Other Materials & Supplies														
504205 Freight Out	s	517	↔	625	6	(108)	-17%	s	517	↔	440	↔	9/	17%
504211 Postage & Mailing	↔	5,915	s	5,458	s	457	%8	s	5,915	s	5,656	s	260	2%
504214 Promotional Items	s	,	s		s		%0	↔	ı	s	ı	s		%0
504215 Printing	↔	10,678	⇔	19,399	s	(8,721)	-45%	s	10,678	⇔	15,535	\$	(4,857)	-31%
504217 Photo Supply/Processin	\$	က	s	975	6	(972)	-100%	↔	က	s	(10)	s	. 2	-132%
504311 Office Supplies	8	5,566	s	17,604	s	(2,038)	-12%	s	15,566	s		s	(1,412)	%8-
504315 Safety Supplies	↔	2,230	⇔	5,075	s	(2,845)	%9 5-	s	2,230	⇔	2,207	\$	55	1%
504317 Cleaning Supplies	\$	10,714	↔	9,525	s	1,189	12%	s	10,714	s		s	581	%9
504409 Repair/Maint Supplies	÷	14,510	s	10,000	6	4,510	45%	↔	14,510	s		s	6,692	%98
504421 Non-Inventory Parts	↔	2,456	s	4,750	s	(2,294)	-48%	s	2,456	s		s	1,850	305%
504511 Small Tools	s	259	s	2,175	s	(1,916)	-88%	↔	259	s	179	s	80	45%
504515 Employee Tool Rplcmt	↔	423	↔	750	↔	(327)	-44%	↔	423	↔	201	↔	222	110%
Total Other Materials & Supplies -	\$	63,271	\$	76,336	ઝ	(13,065)	-17%	\$	63,271	8	59,745	8	3,526	%9
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505011 Gas & Electric	o o	03,000	,	28,200	^ •	5,105		^ •	03,000	,	52,118	,	7,047	%77
505021 Water & Garbage		31,849	:	37,500	€	(5,651)		€	31,849	:	30,983	:	865	3%
505031 Telecommunications	⇔	22,574	s	37,750	()	(15,176)	-40%	s	22,574	⇔	19,979	↔	2,596	13%
Total Utilities -	\$ 118	118,088	\$	133,750	s	(15,662)	-12%	\$	118,088	\$	103,079	\$	15,008	15%
Casualty & Liability														
506011 Insurance - Property	\$	22,720	s	28,750	s	(6,030)	-21%	s	22,720	s	23,917	s	(1,197)	-2%
506015 Insurance - PL & PD	`	118,799	s	131,325	s	(12,526)	-10%	s	118,799	s	109,592	s	9,207	%8
506021 Insurance - Other		1	↔	•	s	•	%0	s	ı	s	ı			%0
506123 Settlement Costs		57,287	↔	113,750	↔	(56,463)	-20%	↔	57,287	s	75,336	` \$	(18,048)	-24%
506127 Repairs - Dist Prop	\$	(14,777)	↔	8,000	↔	(22,777)	-285%	↔	(14,777)	↔	(19,866)	s	5,089	-26%
Total Casualty & Liability -	\$ 18	184,029	⇔	281,825	S	(97,796)	-35%	S	184,029	⇔	188,979	⇔	(4,950)	-3%
Taxes														
507051 Fuel Tax	65	3.251	€5	3.500	65	(249)	%2-	65	3.251	65		65	(141)	4%
507201 Licenses & permits		1,110	· 6 9	4,125	ω .	(3.015)	-73%	₩	1,110	· 69	1,126	· 69	(16)	-1%
507999 Other Taxes	₩.	2,878	₩	5,000	↔	(2,122)	-42%	↔	2,878	↔		↔		%0
Total Taxes -	\$	7,239	\$	12,625	ઝ	(5,386)	-43%	\$	7,239	\$	7,396	\$	(157)	-2%

BOD ConsExp FY12

4%

358,503

8,810,338

9,168,841

9,842,025 \$ (673,184)

9,168,841

TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE - \$

1,701,953

1,779,535 \$

2,195,959 \$ (416,424) -19%

Total Non-Personnel Expenses - \$ 1,779,535 \$

Attachment A

SANTA CRUZ METRO

FY1Z Consolidated Operating Expenses Year to Date as of September 30, 2011

% Var

YTD Year Over Year Comparison

Actual

FY12

% Var

\$ Var

Budget

Actual

Year to Date

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503406 Contr/Paratrans	↔	57,999	↔	62,500	↔	(4,501)	%2-	↔	57,999	↔	46,881	↔	11,117	24%
Total Purchased Transportation -	s	57,999	s	62,500	s	(4,501)	%2-	↔	57,999	s	46,881	ઝ	11,117	24%
Miscellaneous														
509011 Dues & Subscriptions	↔	15,981	s	18,286	↔	(2,305)	-13%	↔	15,981	s	17,009	↔	(1,028)	%9-
509085 Advertising - Rev Produ	s	1	s	1	s		%0	s	1	s	1	s	·	%0
509101 Emp Incentive Prog	s	1	s	8,883	\$	(8,883)	-100%	s	•	↔	2,422	S	(2,422)	-100%
509121 Employee Training	s	6,687	S	16,557	s	(6,869)	%09-	s	6,687	s	4,299	ઝ	2,388	%99
509123 Travel	s	1,439	s	23,361	↔	(21,922)	-94%		1,439	↔	11,916	↔	(10,477)	-88%
509125 Local Meeting Exp	s	520	S	1,550	s	(1,030)	%99-		520	s	601	ઝ	(81)	-13%
509127 Board Director Fees	s	850	s	3,150	s	(2,300)	-73%	s	850	↔	1,400	ઝ	(220)	-39%
509150 Contributions	s	1	S	62	s	(62)	-100%		1	s	1	ઝ	ı	%0
509197 Sales Tax Expense	s	1	s	ı	s		%0	s	ı	↔	ı	ઝ		%0
509198 Cash Over/Short	↔	383	↔		↔	383	100%	↔	383	↔	(27)	↔	409	-1528%
Total Misc -	↔	25,860	↔	71,849	s	(45,989)	-64%	↔	25,860	↔	37,621	↔	(11,760)	-31%
Leases & Rentals														
512011 Facility Rentals	⇔	53,412	8	55,875	s	(2,463)	-4%	↔	53,412	↔	93,073	8	(39,661)	-43%
512061 Equipment Rentals	↔	4,432	\$	4,498	↔	(99)	-1%	↔	4,432	↔	2,532	↔	1,899	%52
Total Leases & Rentals -	s	57,844	s	60,373	s	(2,529)	-4%	ઝ	57,844	છ	95,605	ઝ	(37,761)	-39%

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FY12	CAPITAL BUDGET	ior the month ending - September 30, 2011	
(· ·		SANTA CRUZ METRO

SANTA CRUZ METRO	YTD Actual	ctual	FY12 Budget	Re	Remaining Budget	% Spent YTD	
Grant-Funded Projects							
State of Good Repair (FTA, RES. RET. EARN.)	↔	1	\$ 5,820,000	\$ 00	5,820,000	%0	
2nd CNG Tank (STIC, MBUAPCD, RES. RET. EARN.)	↔	29	\$ 1,561,070	\$ 02	1,561,041	%0	
MetroBase Maintenance Facility (PTMISEA, SAKATA) *	↔	(5,315)	\$ 400,000	\$ 00	405,315	-1%	
Purchase 27 ParaCruz Vehicles (FTA-ARRA)	↔	1	\$ 975,000	\$ 00	975,000	%0	
Transit Mgmt. Info. Technology (FTA-ARRA)	\$	241,326	\$ 845,000	\$ 00	603,674	78%	
Bus Stop Improvements (STIP)	↔	11,055	\$ 500,000	\$ 00	488,945	2%	
425 Front Street Purchase (FTA, STA)	\$	'	\$ 40,000	\$ 00	40,000	%0	
Land Mobile Radio Project - (LMR) (STATE-1B)	↔	1	\$ 790,000	\$ 00	790,000	%0	
Video Surveillance Project - (CCTV) (STATE-1B)	ઝ	•	\$ 150,000	\$ 00	150,000	%0	
Emergency Generator Relocation (OHS-1B)	↔	•	\$ 20,000	\$ 00	20,000	%0	
Subtotal Grant Funded Projects	↔	247,095	\$ 11,101,070	\$ 02	10,853,975	2%	
IT Projects							
HR Software Upgrade (STA)	\$	255	\$ 125,000	\$ 00	124,445	%0	
Replace Fleet & Facilities Maintenance Software (STA)	↔	66,799	\$ 115,000	\$ 00	48,201	28%	
Automated Purchasing System Software (STA)	↔	•	\$ 40,000	\$ 00	40,000	%0	

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Subtotal IT Projects

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Operations Bldg. Repairs (RES. REI. EARN.)	:	.	200,000	∙	200,000	%0
MetroCenter Repairs (RES. RET. EARN.)	↔	\$	200,000	\$	200,000	%0
MTC Lane Four Shelter Replacement (STA)	↔	\$	75,000	s	75,000	%0
Repair, Reseal, Restripe (Sinkholes) - Ops (STA)	₩	⇔ '	10,000	₩	10,000	%0
Subtotal Facilities Repairs & Improvements Projects	↔	₩ -	485,000	₩	485,000	%0
))	+	20,00	→	20,00	

FY12	CAPITAL BUDGET	ior the month ending - September 30, 2011	
(· ·		COTAM CHAS STANS

SANTA CRUZ MELKO	VTD Actual		EV12 Budget	D.	Remaining Budget	% Spent VTD
Revenue Vehicle Replacement		-1				
Replace WiFi on Highway 17 buses	\$	€	000'09	↔	000'09	%0
Subtotal Revenue Vehicle Replacements	\$	↔	60,000	↔	60,000	%0
Non-Revenue Vehicle Replacement NONE	· ↔	₩.	•	↔	•	%0
Subtotal Non-Revenue Vehicle Replacements	\$	↔	1	s		%0
Maint Equipment Automatic Refrigerant Recovery Recycling & Re-Charging Unit \$. ↔	↔	4,000	↔	4,000	%0
Subtotal Non-Revenue Vehicle Replacements	\$	€	4,000	s	4,000	%0
Office Equipment Fire Safe Filing Cabinets (STA)	€9	₩.	8,000	↔	8,000	%0
Subtotal Office Equipment	\$	↔	8,000	↔	8,000	%0
<u>Misc</u> Use of Reserves to balance Operating Budget in FY12	, €	↔	1,000,000	↔	1,000,000	%0
Subtotal Misc.	\$	↔	1,000,000	s	1,000,000	%0
TOTAL CAPITAL PROJECTS	\$ 314,449	₩	12,938,070	s	12,623,621	2%

FY12	CAPITAL BUDGET	or the month ending - September 30, 2011	
(· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		SANTA CRUZ METRO

SANTA CRUZ METKO	YTD Actual	ш,	FY12 Budget	Remaini	Remaining Budget	% Spent YTD	
CAPITAL FUNDING							
Federal Capital Grants	\$ 241,326	s	7,793,662	\$ 7,	7,552,336	3%	
Other Fed - Sakata / Lawsuit proceeds	· \$	s	25,000	s	25,000	%0	
State - PTMISEA (1B)	\$ (5,315)	s	375,000	↔	380,315	-1%	
State - Security Bond Funds (1B)	۔ ↔	8	960,000	S	960,000	%0	
State Transit Assistance (STA) Carryover-Prior Yrs	\$ 67,354	s	442,000	s	374,646	15%	
State - MBUAPCD **	\$ 29	s	200,000	s	199,971	%0	
State - STIP **	\$ 11,055	s	500,000	↔	488,945	2%	
Local - Reserved Retained Earnings	· •	s	2,507,873	\$ 2,	2,507,873	%0	
Local Operating Match	•	()	134,535	&	134,535	%0	
TOTAL CAPITAL FUNDING	\$ 314,449	s	12,938,070 \$ 12,623,621	\$ 12,	,623,621	2%	

^{*} Credit balance of \$5,315 is due to settlement check received from DMC Construction in August 2011

Attachment C

FY 12 BUDGET LINE ITEM TRANSFERS

For the month ending - September 30, 2011

		ACCOUNT #	ACCOUNT TITLE	A	MOUNT
TRANSFER ;	# FY12-13				
	TRANSFER FROM:	503031-3200	Prof & Tech Fees	\$	(596)
	TRANSFER TO:	504215-3200	Printing	\$	596
	REASON:	To cover printing co	osts for Operation's forms.		
TRANSFER #	# FY12-14				
	TRANSFER FROM:	505031-3200	Telecommunications	\$	(8,000)
	TRANSFER TO:	506127-3200	Repairs - District Property	\$	8,000
	REASON:	To cover cost of ins	stalling a new dispatch counter.		
TRANSFER #	# FY12-20				
	TRANSFER FROM:	501021-1200	Other Salaries	\$	(6,600)
	TRANSFER TO:	503041-1200	Temp Help	\$	6,600
	REASON:	To cover temp help (purchasing agent).	expenses due to a vacant position in	Finar	nce
TRANSFER #	# FY12-21				
	TRANSFER FROM:	501021-1300	Other Salaries	\$	(17,300)
	TRANSFER TO:	503041-1300	Temp Help	\$	17,300
	REASON:	To cover temp help in personnel (CSR's	expenses in Customer Service due to	sho	rtage



Minutes- Board of Directors

August 26, 2011

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District was held on Friday, August 26, 2011 at the Watsonville City Council Chambers, located at 809 Center Street in Santa Cruz. California.

Chair Pirie called the meeting to order at 9:11 a.m.

SECTION 1: OPEN SESSION

1. **ROLL CALL:**

DIRECTORS PRESENT

DIRECTORS ABSENT

Margarita Alejo Hilary Bryant Dene Bustichi Daniel Dodge Ron Graves Donald Hagen John Leopold Ellen Pirie Lynn Robinson Mark Stone

Ex-Officio Donna Blitzer Michelle Hinkle

STAFF PRESENT

Angela Aitken, Acting AGM/Finance Manager David Moreau, Asst Paratransit Superintendent Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

Leslie R. White, General Manager

EMPLOYEES & MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO VOLUNTARILY INDICATED THEY WERE PRESENT

Lynn Knudsen, Santa Cruz Follies Paul Smith

2. ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: SPANISH LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION

Amy Weiss announced that she was available for Spanish language interpretation.

ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS 3-1.

Written:

a. SPIN Re: Lucky 8 Award Celebration

Oral:

None.

4. LABOR ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATIONS

None.

5. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT EXISTING AGENDA ITEMS
Leslie R. White noted that item #11 had been deleted.

CONSENT AGENDA

- 6-1. ACCEPT AND FILE PRELIMINARILY APPROVED CLAIMS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2011
 - Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager
- 6-2. MONTHLY BUDGET STATUS REPORTS FOR MAY 2011 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS
 Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager
- 6-3. CONSIDERATION OF TORT CLAIMS: REJECT THE CLAIMS OF PEDRO VALDEZ, CLAIM #11-0015; ERIKA GUIDO, CLAIM #11-0016; LOGAN BEAN, CLAIM #11-0018 Submitted by: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel
- 6-4. ACCEPT AND FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2011
 Submitted by: April Warnock, Paratransit Superintendent
- 6-5. ACCEPT AND FILE RIDERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR MAY 2011
 Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager
- 6-6. ACCEPT AND FILE RIDERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR JUNE 2011
 Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager
- 6-7. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF ACTIVE GRANTS AND SUBMITTED GRANT PROPOSALS FOR JULY 2011
 Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager
- 6-8. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF FEDERAL AND STATE LEGISLATION AND CURRENT LEGISLATIVE ISSUES
 Submitted by: Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager
- 6-9. APPROVE REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF MARCH 2011 Submitted by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator
- 6-10. APPROVE REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF APRIL 2011 Submitted by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator
- 6-11. APPROVE REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF MAY 2011
 Submitted by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator
- 6-12. APPROVE REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF JUNE 2011
- 6-13. NOTIFICATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION

- 6-14. CONSIDERATION OF DECLARING ONE (1) CLARK TUG, ONE (1) CHEVROLET VENTURE, AND MISCELLANEOUS FLEET TOOLING AS EXCESS FOR PURPOSES OF DISPOSAL OR AUCTION
- 6-15. CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN EXTENSION AMENDMENT TO THE CONTRACT FOR TRANSIT SERVICES WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT SANTA CRUZ (UCSC) BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, 2011
- 6-16. CONSIDERATION OF AMENDING CONTRACT FOR TIRE CAROUSEL SYSTEM WITH BUSINESS SYSTEMS, INC. TO ADD CALIFORNIA SALES TAX
- 6-17. ACCEPT AND FILE ACCESSIBLE SERVICES REPORT FOR MONTH OF JUNE 2011

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR GRAVES SECOND: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD

Chair Pirie moved item 6-11 to the Regular Agenda as item 10.1

Approve the Consent Agenda as amended.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Hinkle being absent.

REGULAR AGENDA

7. PRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEE LONGEVITY AWARDS

The Board of Directors presented a Certificate of Appreciation and Ten-year Service Pin to Margarito Hernandez, Vehicle Service Worker II; and Certificates of Appreciation for 15 years of service to Les Beck, Bus Operator, Sharon Toline, Bus Operator, and Chris Jones, Transit Supervisor.

8. PUBLIC HEARING: CONSIDERATION OF AMENDING SANTA CRUZ METRO'S FARE ORDINANCE 84-2-1 WITH SUBSEQUENT RESOLUTION AND REGULATION TO INCLUDE INCREASED FARES, NEW BUS PASSES, AND SMART CARD FARE MEDIA

Angela Aitken said that the Fare Ordinance was in need of revision and that today's hearing was the final public hearing on the matter.

Erich Friedrich presented that proposed amendments to the Fare Ordinance.

Director Hagen asked that outreach regarding the changes be conducted in Spanish as well, and stressed how important service is to the community. Director Leopold noted that riders were willing to pay more in order to preserve service. Director Dodge asked about the discounted day pass. Erich Friedrich said that it was a fare for persons with disabilities and seniors, and that it occurs often.

CHAIR PIRIE OPENED THE PUBLIC HEARING - 9:27 A.M.

CHAIR PIRIE CLOSED THE PUBLIC HEARING - 9:28 A.M.

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No comments received.

There was no discussion.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR BRYANT

Amend Santa Cruz METRO's Fare Ordinance 84-2-1 with subsequent resolution and regulation to include increased fares, new bus passes, and smart card fare media.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Hinkle being absent.

9. CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS OF APPRECIATION FOR THE FOLLOWING METRO RETIREES: MICHAEL BOYD, CAROLYN HAMM, ELOISE KELLY, SUZANNE LUNA, DIANE MEYER, HARRY PRICE, DEBRA PRINCE, JOSE RODRIGUEZ, AND JOHN TAYLOR

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR DODGE

Approve Resolutions of Appreciation for Michael Boyd, Carolyn Hamm, Eloise Kelly, Suzanne Luna, Diane Meyer, Harry Price, Debra Prince, Jose Rodriguez and John Taylor.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Hinkle being absent.

10. CONSIDERATION OF A REQUEST TO PROVIDE BUS SERVICE TO THE SANTA CRUZ FOLLIES ON SEPTEMBER 16, 2011 AT AN ESTIMATED COST OF APPROXIMATELY \$800

Discussion:

There was a discussion about the benefits of the Follies. Directors Leopold, Robinson, Dodge, Bryant and Bonnie Morr all made statements in favor of the event.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR DODGE

Approve request to provide bus service to the Santa Cruz Follies on September 16, 2011 at an estimated cost of approximately \$800

Motion passed unanimously with Director Hinkle being absent.

10.1 APPROVE REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES OF MAY 2011

John Daugherty indicated that the minutes of May 13 and May 27 were incorrect and asked that all the speaker's names be included in the record. There was a discussion about including the names of all speakers at the Board of Directors meetings. The Board agreed that only the names on the sign-in sheet would be recorded.

There was a discussion about the recorded vote on May 13, 2011 regarding Poetry in Motion. Chair Pirie directed staff to check the vote and re-submit the minutes of May 13, 2011 at a future meeting.

NO ACTION TAKEN

- 11. ITEM #11 WAS REMOVED FROM THE AGENDA
- 12. ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, AUGUST 12, 2011 AT 8:30 A.M. AT THE SANTA CRUZ METRO ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES LOCATED AT 110 VERNON STREET, SANTA CRUZ
- 13. REVIEW OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION: District Counsel Margaret Gallagher stated that the Board of Directors would have a conference with District Counsel regarding the existing claim of Erika Guido v. Santa Cruz METRO; and real property negotiations regarding Café Lena.
- 14. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING CLOSED SESSION Bonnie Morr, UTU,

SECTION II: CLOSED SESSION

 CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION (Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9)

Name of Case: Claim of Erika Guido

2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATIONS (Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.8)

Name of Case: Café Lena

Negotiating parties: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel, SCMTD

Farinosh Salilli, Café Lena

Under Negotiation: Price and Terms of Payment

SECTION III: RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

15. REPORT OF CLOSED SESSION

Margaret Gallagher stated that there was no reportable action taken in Closed Session.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Chair Pirie adjourned the meeting at 11:06 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY TAPIZ
Administrative Services Coordinator



Minutes-Board of Directors

September 9, 2011

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District met on Friday, September 9, 2011 at the District's Administrative Office located at 110 Vernon Street in Santa Cruz, California.

Vice Chair Robinson called the meeting to order at 8:40 a.m.

SECTION 1: OPEN SESSION

1. ROLL CALL:

DIRECTORS PRESENT

Margarita Alejo
Hilary Bryant
Daniel Dodge
Ron Graves
Michelle Hinkle
John Leopold
Lynn Robinson
Ex-Officio Donna Blitzer

DIRECTORS ABSENT

Dene Bustichi Donald Hagen Ellen Pirie Mark Stone

STAFF PRESENT

Pat Aviles, Asst Human Resources Manager Frank Cheng, IT & MB Project Manager Bob Cotter, Maintenance Manager Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

Debbie Kinslow, Asst Finance Manager Robyn Slater, Human Resources Manager Leslie R. White, General Manager

EMPLOYEES AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO VOLUNTARILY INDICATED THEY WERE PRESENT

Eyedin Zonobi, SJSU George Dondero, SCCRTC Otto Melara, SJSU

3. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

WRITTEN:

None.

ORAL:

Eyedin Zonobi, Manager of Transportation Solutions at San Jose State University, requested that SJSU continue to receive a Highway 17 Express 10-ride flexible pass.

4. LABOR ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATIONS

Bonnie Morr, UTU, said that the current level of service was inadequate.

5. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT EXISTING AGENDA ITEMS

Leslie R. White noted that there were additional documents in support of item #5-1 and item #8.

CONSENT AGENDA

- 5-1. CONSIDERATION OF CONTRACT RENEWAL WITH MANAGED HEALTH NETWORK, INC. FOR EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM SERVICES
- 5-2. CONSIDERATION OF ONE-YEAR RENEWAL OF CONTRACT WITH VEHICLE MAINTENANCE PROGRAM, INC. FOR BUS AIR, FUEL AND OIL FILTERS
- 5-3. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH CATTO'S GRAPHICS, INC. FOR PRINTING OF BUS STOP STICKERS FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$10,000
- 5-4. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH GEO. H. WILSON, INC. FOR ON-CALL AS NEEDED PLUMBING SERVICES FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000
- 5-5. RENEWAL OF PROPERTY INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR FY12 WITH TRAVELERS PROPERTY CASUALTY CO. OF AMERICA AND QBE INSURANCE CORPORATION
- 5-6. CONSIDERATION OF CONTRACT RENEWAL WITH MIDWEST MOTOR SUPPLY DBA KIMBALL MIDWEST FOR FASTENERS, ELECTRICAL TERMINALS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000
- 5-7. CONSIDERATION OF CONTRACT RENEWAL WITH NELLA OIL COMPANY, LLC DBA OLYMPIAN FOR OFF-SITE REFUELING OF NON-REVENUE VEHICLES FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$70,000
- 5-8. ACCEPT AND FILE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA FOR SEPTEMBER 2011
- 5-9. CONSIDERATION OF TORT CLAIMS: REJECT THE CLAIM OF GREGORY SPANDEL, CLAIM #11-0019

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ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: GRAVES

Approve Consent Agenda.

Motion passed unanimously with Directors Bustichi, Hagen, Pirie and Stone being absent.

REGULAR AGENDA

6. CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN AMENDMENT TO THE LEASE AGREEMENT WITH LIDIA MENDEZ, DBA TAQUERIA LIDIA AT THE WATSONVILLE TRANSIT CENTER TO MOVE HER BUSINESS TO THE INSIDE TERMINAL SPACE FROM THE OUTSIDE KIOSK SPACE

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR DODGE SECOND: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD

Approve staff recommendation to allow Lidia Mendez, dba Taqueria Lidia at the Watsonville Transit Center to move her business to the inside terminal space from the outside kiosk space.

Motion passed unanimously with Directors Bustichi, Hagen, Pirie and Stone being absent.

7. CONSIDER APPROVAL OF CLASS SPECIFICATION CHANGE FROM BENEFITS COORDINATOR TO BENEFITS ADMINISTRATOR, AND ADJUSTED WAGE SCHEDULE

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR BRYANT

Approve class specification change from Benefits Coordinator to Benefits Administrator, and adjusted wage schedule.

Motion passed unanimously with Directors Bustichi, Hagen, Pirie and Stone being absent.

8. CONSIDERATION OF PROVIDING GUIDANCE TO THE METRO REPRESENTATIVES ON THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION REGARDING THE PROGRAMMING OF FUNDS FROM THE STATE TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (STIP) FOR THE TIER II SEGMENT OF THE HIGHWAY 1 IMPROVEMENT PROJECT

Presented by: Leslie R. White, General Manager

DIRECTOR DODGE LEFT THE ROOM

There was a discussion about guidance regarding the State Transit Improvement Program (STIP) for METRO's representatives on the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (SCCRTC).

NO ACTION TAKEN.

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9. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH RAYMUNDO ENGINEERING COMPANY, INC. FOR ARCHITECT AND ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR SECOND LNG TANK AND EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION AT 1200B RIVER STREET, SANTA CRUZ FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$41,520

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR GRAVES

Authorize award of contract with Raymundo Engineering Company, Inc. for Architect and Engineering Services for second LNG tank and Equipment Installation at 1200B River Street, Santa Cruz for an amount not to exceed \$41,520.

Motion passed unanimously with Directors Bustichi, Dodge, Hagen, Pirie and Stone being absent.

10. ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 23, 2011 AT 9:00 A.M. AT THE SCOTTS VALLEY CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 1 CIVIC CENTER DRIVE, IN SCOTTS VALLEY.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Vice Chair Robinson adjourned the meeting at 10:18 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY TAPIZ
Administrative Services Coordinator



Minutes-Board of Directors

October 14, 2011

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District met on Friday, October 14, 2011 at the District's Administrative Office located at 110 Vernon Street in Santa Cruz, California.

Vice Chair Robinson called the meeting to order at 8:33 a.m.

SECTION 1: OPEN SESSION

1. ROLL CALL:

DIRECTORS PRESENT

Margarita Alejo Hilary Bryant Dene Bustichi Ron Graves Donald Hagen Michelle Hinkle John Leopold Ellen Pirie Lynn Robinson

DIRECTORS ABSENT

Daniel Dodge Ex-Officio Donna Blitzer

STAFF PRESENT

Mark Stone

Tove Beatty, Grants Analyst
Lorraine Bayer, Accountant II
Debbie Kinslow, Asst Finance Manager
Bob Cotter, Maintenance Manager
Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel
Mary Ferrick, Fixed Route Superintendent
John Daugherty, Accessible Svcs Coord.

Angela Aitken, Acting AGM/Finance Mgr.
Tom Hiltner, Grants Analyst
Robyn Slater, Human Resources Manager
Leslie R. White, General Manager
Ciro Aguirre, Operations Manager
April Warnock, Paratransit Superintendent
Dave Moreau, Asst Paratransit Superintendent

EMPLOYEES AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO VOLUNTARILY INDICATED THEY WERE PRESENT

Will Regan, VMU
Brent Fouse, PSA
Bonnie Morr, UTU
Eduardo Montesino, UTU
Lisa Akeson, UCSC

Ryan Harms, UCSC

3. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

WRITTEN:

a. WANDIS WILCOX RE: AIR CONDITIONING ON BUSES

b. SIERRA CLUB-SANTA CRUZ RE: SERVICE TO BIG BASIN

c. PEDRO VALDEZ RE: TORT CLAIM

ORAL:

None.

4. LABOR ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATIONS

None.

5. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT EXISTING AGENDA ITEMS

Margaret Gallagher noted that there were additional documents in support of item #9.0.

CONSENT AGENDA

- 5-1. TORT CLAIMS: REJECT THE CLAIM OF ERNEST HARDY, CLAIM #11-0023
 Submitted by: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel
- 5-2. NOTICE OF ACTIONS TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION REGARDING SETTLEMENT WITH COMMERCE WEST INSURANCE (SUBROGATING FOR VINCE TABULA AND ERIKA GUIDO); THE CASE OF JOSEPH BLAIR V. SANTA CRUZ METRO; THE CASE OF MARIO DE LA GARZA V. SANTA CRUZ METRO; THE CASE OF GOODWILL INDUSTRIES OF MONTEREY AND SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTIES, ET AL V. SANTA CRUZ METRO; SIDE AGREEMENT WITH UNITED TRANSPORTATION UNION (UTU) LOCAL 23; SIDE AGREEMENT WITH SERVICE EMPLOYEES INTERNATIONAL UNION (SEIU) LOCAL 521

Submitted by: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

5-3. ACCEPT AND FILE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA FOR OCTOBER 2011, ACCEPT AND FILE WITHDRAWAL OF MAC REQUEST TO MOVE LOCATION OF FIRST BOARD MEETING OF THE MONTH

Submitted by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator

- 5-4. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTING A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO REQUEST A LETTER OF NO PREJUDICE (LONP) AND SIGN NECESSARY AGREEMENTS WITH THE CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION (CTC) AND CALTRANS IN ORDER TO PROCEED WITH THE PURCHASE OF 11 NEW FIXED-ROUTE CNG-FUELED BUSES WITH STATE AND LOCAL PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM MATCHING FUNDS SECURED, IF NEEDED, PRIOR TO CTC ALLOCATION
- 5-5. ACCEPT AND FILE ACCESSIBLE SERVICES REPORT FOR JULY 2011 This item was moved to the next Agenda.

- 5-6. ACCEPT AND FILE METROBASE STATUS REPORT
- 5-7. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH NATIONWIDE BIRD CONTROL, INC. FOR BIRD ABATEMENT SERVICES
- 5-8. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH STATE ELECTRIC GENERATOR FOR REMOVAL OF AN EXISTING ROOF-TOP GENERATOR AND INSTALLATION OF TWO TRANSFER SWITCHES AND A SANTA CRUZ METRO SUPPLIED GENERATOR FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$17,412.05

 Director Leopold said it was nice that the generator was being re-used.
- 5-9. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT WITH AIRTEC SERVICE FOR HEATING VENTILATION AND AIR CONDITIONING MAINTENANCE SERVICE
- 5-10. CONSIDERATION OF CONTRACT RENEWAL FOR EMPLOYEE DENTAL INSURANCE WITH DELTA DENTAL THROUGH THE CALIFORNIA STATE ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES EXCESS INSURANCE AUTHORITY (CSAC-EIA)
- 5-11. CONSIDERATION OF 2012 BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING SCHEDULE Chair Pirie noted that the listing for January 21 should actually be January 27.
- 5-12. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF FEDERAL AND STATE LEGISLATION AND CURRENT LEGISLATIVE ISSUES
- 5-13. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF ACTIVE GRANTS AND SUBMITTED GRANT PROPOSALS FOR JULY 2011
- 5-14. ACCEPT AND FILE MINUTES REFLECTING VOTING RESULTS FROM APPOINTEES TO THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION FOR PREVIOUS MEETINGS

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR PIRIE SECOND: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD

Approve Consent Agenda as amended.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Dodge being absent.

REGULAR AGENDA

6. ACCEPT AND FILE REPORT ON THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE RESPONSE TO COMMENTS ON THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU GEOGRAPHY DIVISION'S PROPOSED URBAN AREA CRITERIA

Leslie R. White commended Tove Beatty, Erich Friedrich, and Claire Fliesling for their work on the US Census response, and noted that METRO staff exposed flaws in the methodology used by the US Census/Department of Commerce.

6-6.12

7. CONSIDERATION OF NOMINATIONS OF MEMBERS TO THE SANTA CRUZ CIVIC IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION FOR ONE-YEAR TERMS

Angela Aitken reported that nominations are needed for the Santa Cruz Civic Improvement Corporation.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR BRYANT SECOND: DIRECTOR

Approve re-nomination of current members of SCCIC.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Dodge being absent.

8. CONSIDERATION OF STAFF REPORT REGARDING METRO/SCCRTC MERGER

There was a discussion about the options for a merger between METRO and the SCCRTC.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR PIRIE SECOND: DIRECTOR HAGEN

Defer discussion of METRO/SCCRTC MERGER.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Dodge being absent.

9. CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO EXECUTE A LICENSE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT SANTA CRUZ (UCSC) FOR THE USE OF METRO BUS STOPS FOR THE "NIGHT OWL" SERVICE

Leslie R. White reported that UCSC needed to agree to indemnification in order to use METRO bus stops for their Night Owl service. Bonnie Morr, UTU, raised concerns over the use of so many bus stops. Larry Pageler, UCSC, said that because the University is concerned over the safety of riders, Community Service Officers will be riding along. Bonnie Morr, UTU, said that the agreement should be limited. Leslie R. White noted that the agreement terms are for one year, and that any service additions would be considered if necessary. Will Regan, VMU, asked if any additional costs would result from the agreement. Leslie R. White stated that the issue could be revisited if any incidental costs arose.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR BUSTICHI

Authorize the General Manager to execute a License and Indemnity Agreement with the University of California at Santa Cruz (UCSC) for the use of METRO bus stops for the "Night Owl" service.

Motion passed unanimously.

10. CONSIDERATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (DOT) FINAL RULE EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 19, 2011 REGARDING AMENDMENTS TO THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT (ADA) REGULATIONS FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF WHEELCHAIRS ON SANTA CRUZ METRO'S FIXED ROUTE AND PARATRANSIT SERVICES

Leslie R. White reported that the federal Department of Transportation was implementing changes to the rules governing the transportation of riders in mobile devices and suggested a committee be formed to examine the issue. Margaret Gallagher said that there are concerns with the exceptions allowed by the proposed new rules, and she agreed that a committee should be formed. There was a discussion about the impact of the proposed rules.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR BUSTICHI

Authorize the formation of a committee to study the impact of the proposed DOT rule changes, including the METRO Operations Manager, the METRO Accessible Services Coordinator, and a representative from UTU Local 21.

Motion passed unanimously.

- 11. ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING WILL BE ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2011 AT 9:00 A.M. AT THE SANTA CRUZ CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 809 CENTER STREET, SANTA CRUZ
- 12. REVIEW OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION
- 13. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING CLOSED SESSION

SECTION II: CLOSED SESSION

1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – EXISTING LITIGATION (Pursuant to Government Code Section 54956.9)

Name of Case: Linda Burke v. Santa Cruz Metro

(Before the Workers' Compensation Appeals Board)

2. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL – POTENTIAL LITIGATION (Pursuant to Government Code Section 54957.5)

Number of Potential Cases: One

SECTION III: RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

- 14. REPORT OF CLOSED SESSION
- 15. ADJOURNMENT

ADJOURN TO THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2011 AT 9:00 A.M.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Vice Chair Robinson adjourned the meeting at 9:35 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY TAPIZ
Administrative Services Coordinator





Minutes- Board of Directors

October 28, 2011

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District met on Friday, October 28, 2011 at the Santa Cruz City Chambers, located at 809 Center Street in Santa Cruz, California.

Chair Pirie called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

SECTION 1: OPEN SESSION

1. ROLL CALL:

DIRECTORS PRESENT

Margarita Alejo

Hilary Bryant

Dene Bustichi

Daniel Dodge

Ron Graves

Donald Hagen

Michelle Hinkle

John Leopold

Ellen Pirie

Lynn Robinson

Ex-Officio Donna Blitzer

Mark Stone

DIRECTORS ABSENT

STAFF PRESENT

Pat Aviles, Asst Human Resources Manager Frank Cheng, IT & MB Project Manager Bob Cotter, Maintenance Manager Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel Debbie Kinslow, Asst Finance Manager Robyn Slater, Human Resources Manager Leslie R. White, General Manager

EMPLOYEES AND MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WHO VOLUNTARILY INDICATED THEY WERE PRESENT

Will Regan, VMU/SEIU

2. ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: SPANISH LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION

Amy Weiss announced that she was available for Spanish language interpretation.

3. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

WRITTEN:

A. Bill Delaney RE: Routing of Buses on 41st Ave. Northbound

ORAL:

None.

4. LABOR ORGANIZATION COMMUNICATIONS

None.

5. ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT EXISTING AGENDA ITEMS

None..

CONSENT AGENDA

- 6-1. ACCEPT AND FILE PRELIMINARILY APPROVED CLAIMS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 2011
- 6-2. CONSIDERATION OF TORT CLAIMS: REJECT THE CLAIM OF JOYCE SMITH, CLAIM #11-0025, REJECT THE CLAIM OF AAA (SUBROGATING FOR CYNTHIA SAMMET, CLAIM #11-0024
- 6-3. ACCEPT AND FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2011
- 6-4. ACCEPT AND FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2011
- 6-5. ACCEPT AND FILE RIDERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR JULY 2011
- 6-6. ACCEPT AND FILE RIDERSHIP AND PERFORMANCE REPORT FOR AUGUST 2011
- 6-7. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF ACTIVE GRANTS AND SUBMITTED GRANT PROPOSALS FOR OCTOBER 2011
- 6-8. ACCEPT AND FILE STATUS REPORT OF FEDERAL AND STATE LEGISLATION AND CURRENT LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

- 6-9. CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT AMENDMENT WITH GIRO, INC. TO THE HASTUS LICENSE AND AGREEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$197,890 FOR APPROVED CUSTOMIZATIONS, ONSITE GO-LIVE SUPPORT VISITS, REMOTE SUPPORT SESSIONS, AND ANNUAL MAINTENANCE COVERING ALL OF 2012, AND PART OF 2013
- 6-10. CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT AMENDMENT WITH TRAPEZE SOFTWARE GROUP, INC. FOR SUPPORT MAINTENANCE OF TRAPEZE PASS, PASS-CERT, PASS IVR (CALLBACKS), IVR (CANCEL/CONFIRM), AND VOICE GENIE MODULES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$18,448.00 WITH EXPIRATION DATE OF JUNE 30, 2012
- 6-11. NOTIFICATION OF ACTIONS TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION
- 6-12. ACCEPT AND FILE ACCESSIBLE SERVICES REPORT FOR MONTH OF JULY 2011
- 6-13. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD OF CONTRACT with AAA FENCE COMPANY, INC. TO PROVIDE AND INSTALL WROUGHT IRON FENCING AT THE 425 FRONT STREET LOT FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$22,669
- 6-14. ACCEPT AND FILE ACCESSIBLE SERVICES REPORT FOR MONTH OF AUGUST 2011

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR GRAVES SECOND: DIRECTOR ROBINSON

Approve Consent Agenda as presented.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Stone being absent.

REGULAR AGENDA

7. PRESENTATION OF EMPLOYEE LONGEVITY AWARDS

Chair Ellen Pirie presented Certificates of Appreciation and Ten-Year Pins to Robyn D. Slater, Human Resources Manager and Efrain U. Hernandez, Vehicle Service Worker II for ten years of service; and a Certificate of appreciation to Maria P. Hernandez, Customer Service Representative for fifteen years of service

8. CONSIDERATION OF A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION AND REMEMBRANCE FOR THE SERVICES OF DELORIS LAUTNER AS A RESERVATIONIST FOR THE SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR GRAVES

Approve Resolution of Appreciation and Remembrance for the services of Deloris Lautner as a Reservationist for the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Stone being absent.

9. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTING ANOTHER RESOLUTION AT THE REQUEST OF CALTRANS AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO REQUEST A LETTER OF NO PREJUDICE (LONP) AND SIGN NECESSARY AGREEMENTS WITH THE CALIFORNIA TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION (CTC) AND CALTRANS IN ORDER TO PROCEED WITH THE PURCHASE OF 11 NEW FIXED-ROUTE CNG-FUELED BUSES WITH LOCAL SALES TAX MATCHING FUNDS, IF NECESSARY, PRIOR TO CTC ALLOCATION OF STATE AND LOCAL PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (SLPP) FUNDING

Tove Beatty, Grants/ Legislative Analyst, reported that the Resolution was no longer needed. Director Leopold thanked Staff for their efforts, said that although working with Caltrans may be difficult, the funds are important to METRO.

NO ACTION TAKEN.

10. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD TO CONTRACT FOR PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF INFRARED I.S. NATURAL GAS SENSORS AND LEL REMOTE CALIBRATION ADAPTOR KITS WITH COATS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$64,750

Robert Cotter, Maintenance Manager, reported that the gas sensors at the Fleet Maintenance Building required retrofitting. Vice Chair Robinson new sensors were needed. Mr. Cotter said that the new sensors are controlled remotely, so the added effort and risk of renting a scissors lift is eliminated. Leslie R. White said that the first sensors installed were now obsolete. There was a discussion about the lack of bids received.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR BUSTICHI SECOND: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD

Authorize the General Manager to sign a contract for purchase and installation of infrared I.S. Natural Gas Sensors and LEL Remote Calibration Adaptor Kits with Coats Construction Company for an amount not to exceed \$64,750.00.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Stone being absent.

11. CONSIDERATION OF AWARD TO CONTRACT FOR RENOVATION OF PACIFIC STATION LANE 4 AWNING WITH COATS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$96,705

Robert Cotter, Maintenance Manager, said that the Pacific Station Lane 4 awning has deteriorated and is in need of replacement. There was a discussion about Sole Bid Analysis. Director Leopold asked if the RFP had been posted in the Builder's Exchange. Mr. Cotter said that it had. There was a discussion about outreach to local contractors and about the general lack of interest in bidding on government jobs. Director Bustichi asked if the project could be put back out to bid. Leslie R. White said that there was a deadline for using the funds, but that the point was well-taken. John Daugherty asked if the Grant funds could possibly be used for bus stop improvements.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR BUSTICHI SECOND: DIRECTOR HAGEN

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Authorize the General Manager to sign a contract for Renovation of the Pacific Station Lane 4 awning with Coats Construction Company for an amount not to exceed \$96,705.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Stone being absent.

12. MONTHLY BUDGET STATUS REPORTS FOR JUNE 2011 AND APPROVAL OF BUDGET TRANSFERS

Angela Aitken, Acting Asst. General Manager & Finance Manager, presented the staff report. Director Leopold said he understood the need to be conservative in budgeting, but to not be overly conservative in the future. Ms. Aitken said that the last year had been very volatile and that the best decisions were made with the best information available. Leslie R. White said that METRO would return to a 5-year Budget plan. Director Dodge said he was confused by the doom and gloom, and said that projections need to be on-target. Director Dodge said that he was concerned that the public was losing faith.

There was a discussion about the nature of federal Transit funding. Bonnie Morr, UTU, requested that the Board look at past financial reports when considering current finances.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR HAGEN SECOND: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD

Accept and file the fiscal year end monthly Budget Status Reports for June 30, 2011, and approve the June 2011 Budget Transfers.

Motion passed with Director Dodge voting no and Director Stone being absent.

CHAIR PIRIE ANNOUNCED THAT THE SANTA CRUZ CIVIC IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION WOULD NOT BE HOLDING IT'S ANNUAL MEETING UNTIL NOVEMBER 18, 2011.

13. CONSIDERATION OF INTERIM SERVICE INCREASES TO ADDRESS OVERLOADS AND SERVICE DELAYS EXPERIENCED SINCE IMPLEMENTATION OF SERVICE REDUCTION ON SEPTEMBER 15, 2011

Ciro Aguirre, Operations Manager, presented his staff report on service delays and interim service increases. There was a discussion about the staffing needs for maintaining current and future levels of service.

DIRECTOR BUSITCHI LEFT THE ROOM

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR HAGEN SECOND: DIRECTOR ROBINSON

Accept and file staff report on interim service increases to address overloads and service delays experienced since implementation of service reduction on September 15, 2011.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Stone being absent.

DIRECTOR BUSITCHI RETURNED.

14. CONSIDERATION OF RESTORING FIXED ROUTE AND PARATRANSIT SERVICE POSITIONS NECESSARY TO MEET PASSENGER VOLUMES

Leslie R. White, General Manager, presented his staff report on the restoration of Fixed Route and Paratransit positions. There was a conversation about the positions to be restored and the need to correct service shortcomings. Director Leopold said that it was important to restore service levels, even if it meant putting off the hiring of management staff. Director Bryant asked if there were concerns of not having enough applicants. Mr. White said there were no concerns.

Eduardo Montesino, UTU, asked the Board to look at the service and said that whatever needed to be done to fix the service would be done. Mr. Montesino urged the Board to consider a discounted Cabrillo fare. John Daugherty, SEA, asked the Board to consider augmenting the staff at the Customer Service booth at Pacific Station. Will Regan, VMU, reported that the Fleet Maintenance Department was understaffed and he encouraged that the Board authorize the hiring of more mechanics. Bonnie Morr, UTU, said she was thankful that bus operators were being consulted on the issue and spoke about correcting the current service. Director Dodge asked about ridership studies. Leslie R. White described recent ridership studies.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR LEOPOLD SECOND: DIRECTOR ROBINSON

Approve the restoration of Fixed Route and Paratransit positions necessary to meet passenger volumes; direct staff to report back on the status of Mechanics in November; and direct staff to report back on status of restored positions and service in January.

Motion passed unanimously with Director Stone being absent.

15. CONSIDERATION OF RESTORATION OF THE FUNDING FOR THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2012 BUDGET: ASSISTANT GENERAL MANAGER, ASSISTANT HUMAN RESOURCES MANAGER, PURCHASING ASSISTANT AND PARACRUZ CLERK III

Leslie R. White, General Manager, presented the staff report on restoring funding for the Assistant General Manager, Assistant Human Resources Manager, Purchasing Assistant and Paracruz Clerk III positions. Director Bustichi asked that the issue of the Assistant General Manager be pulled. Director Leopold said that he was concerned about the sustainability of the positions being authorized. Leslie R. White said that the positions were sustainable. Director Leopold said he was uneasy hiring so many when District finances are so tentative.

ACTION: MOTION: DIRECTOR BUSTICHI SECOND: DIRECTOR ROBINSON

Approve the restoration of FY 2012 funding for the Assistant Human Resources Manager, Purchasing Assistant and Paracruz Clerk III positions.

Motion passed with Directors Dodge and Leopold voting no, and Director Stone being absent.

16. CONSIDERATION OF EXECUTION OF A LETTER OF AGREEMENT TO EXTEND THE CURRENT EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT WITH LESLIE R. WHITE TO SERVE AS GENERAL MANAGER FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 2013 THOUGH DECEMBER 31, 2014

Chair Pirie moved item #16 to Closed Session.

- 17. ORAL ANNOUNCEMENT: THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2011 AT 9:00 A.M. AT THE WATSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 275 MAIN STREET, WATSONVILLE Presented by: Ellen Pirie, Chair
- 18. REVIEW OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION
- 19. ORAL AND WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING CLOSED SESSION

Bonnie Morr, UTU, said that METRO was lucky to have Les White. Ms. Morr said that Les White understands the System, the Industry, and the Community, and she supported extending his contract.

SECTION II: CLOSED SESSION

- 1. CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL [EXISTING] LITIGATION (Pursuant to Government Code Section 5495[6.9])
 - a. Existing Litigation: Zonia Waldon v. Santa Cruz Metro: Santa Cruz Superior Court Case No. 167503
 - b. Existing Litigation: Estate of Salvador Chipres and heirs of Salvador Chipres v. Santa Cruz Metro
 - c. Existing Litigation: Goodwill Industries/De La Garza v. Santa Cruz Metro

SECTION III: RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION

20. REPORT OF CLOSED SESSION

Margaret Gallagher stated that the Board had authorized the execution of a Letter of Agreement to extend the current employment agreement with Leslie R. White to serve as General Manager for the period January 1, 2013 though December 31, 2014. Ms. Gallagher announced that Ron Graves, Daniel Dodge, Hilary Bryant, Dene Bustichi, Ellen Pirie, Lynn Robinson, Donald Hagen, Margarita Alejo, and Michelle Hinkle voted yes, that John Leopold voted no, and that Director Mark Stone was absent.

Will Regan, VMU, said that he supported Leslie R. White continuing as General Manager. Bonnie Morr asked about the Assistant General Manager position. Chair Pirie said that it would be revisited.

21. ADJOURNMENT

ADJOURN TO THE NEXT REGULARLY SCHEDULED BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2011 AT 9:00 A.M. AT THE WATSONVILLE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS LOCATED AT 275 MAIN STREET, WATSONVILLE

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Chair Pirie adjourned the meeting at 10:55 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: John Daugherty, METRO Accessible Services Coordinator

SUBJECT: ACCESSIBLE SERVICES REPORT FOR OCTOBER 2011

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

This report is informational only. No action required.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

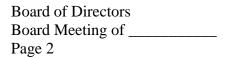
- After a demonstration project, the Accessible Services Coordinator (ASC) position became a full time position to organize and provide METRO services to the senior/older adult and disability communities.
- Services include the METRO Mobility Training program and ongoing public outreach promoting METRO's accessibility. The ASC also participates in METRO's staff training and policy review regarding accessibility.
- Two persons have served in the ASC position from 1988 to today. In 2002 the ASC position was moved into the newly created Paratransit Department. On May 27, 2011 the Board approved the staff recommendation to receive monthly reports on the activity of the ASC.

III. DISCUSSION

The creation of the Accessible Services Coordinator (ASC) position was the result of a successful demonstration project funded through the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission. Two persons have served in the ASC position from 1988 to today. Both hiring panels for the ASC included public agency representatives serving older adults and persons with disabilities.

The first ASC, Dr. Pat Cavataio, served from April 1988 through December 1998. The second ASC, John Daugherty, began serving in December 1998.

Under direction, the Accessible Services Coordinator: 1) Organizes, supervises, coordinates and provides METRO services to the older adult and disability communities; 2) Organizes, directs and coordinates the activities and operation of METRO's Mobility Training function; 3) Promotes and provides Mobility Training and outreach services; 4) Acts as information source to staff, Management, funding sources, clients, community agencies and organizations, and the general public regarding Mobility Training and accessibility; 5) Works with Department Managers to ensure compliance with METRO's accessibility program and policies.



During 2002 the ASC position was moved from Customer Service to the newly created Paratransit Department. Mr. Daugherty was the first employee. His placement was followed by hiring of the first Paratransit Superintendent, Steve Paulson and the current Eligibility Coordinator, Eileen Wagley.

On May 27, 2011 the Board approved the following recommendation: "Staff recommends that this position be reinstated in FY 12 budget with the requirement that this position be evaluated during FY12 to make sure the service items that are being requested by the Community are being carried out by this position. Additionally, staff recommends that this position be required to provide a monthly activity report to the Board of Directors during FY12."

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

None

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Accessible Services Coordinator (ASC) Activity Tracking Report for October 2011

Prepared by: John Daugherty, METRO Accessible Services Coordinator

Date Prepared: December 8, 2011

Attachment A

Accessible Services Coordinator (ASC) Activity Tracking Report for October 2011

What is Mobility Training?

Mobility Training is customized support to allow access to METRO services. It can include:

- An Assessment: The ASC meets the trainee to assess the trainee's capabilities to use METRO services. They discuss the trainee's experience using public transit and set goals for training sessions.
- Trip Planning: Practice to use bus route schedules, maps, online resources and other tools to plan ahead for trips on METRO fixed route and METRO ParaCruz services. All Mobility Training includes some trip planning.
- Boarding/Disembarking Training: Practice to board, be secured, and then disembark (get off) METRO buses. This training has been requested by persons using walkers, wheelchairs, scooters and service animals. The training session includes work with an operator and out of service bus and lasts three to five hours.
- Route Training: Practice using METRO buses to travel to destinations chosen by trainees.
 The training session includes practice on handling fares, bus riding rules and emergency
 situations. One training session can take two to eight hours. One or two sessions to
 learn one destination is typical. The number of training sessions varies with each
 trainee.

There was progress with training 28 individuals:

- Six individuals were new referrals: Three persons were referred by the Eligibility
 Coordinator and received phone calls from the ASC. Assessment of their needs is not
 complete. One person was referred by his mother: There was a first in person meeting
 to begin an Assessment. One person referred himself, and received a phone call from
 the ASC. One person was referred by a school counselor; the Assessment is being set
 up.
- Training with five persons progressed: One person completed her second route training.
 Four persons were either met in person or contacted by phone to set up appointments.
- Training with 17 individuals is almost complete: October activity included checking on whether further training is needed and preparation to close their files or complete their referral sheets.

Attachment A

Training Overview for October 2011:

- Amount of time dedicated to training sessions and follow up activity: At least 60 hours
- Tracking of scheduled appointments vs. cancelled:
 Four appointments scheduled, no appointments cancelled

Highlights of Other Activity - Outreach performed in the community:

October 18 Seniors Commission meeting

Meetings are usually scheduled for two hours. Total ASC time spent includes preparation for the meeting, the meeting itself and follow up activity. ASC activity for each meeting can take four to nine hours.

The total audience for October meeting was 15 persons. Questions on METRO service varied. Information was provided during meetings and follow up phone calls.

Requests from the community and METRO staff:

- There were at least 22 individual contacts in person and/or over the phone. Most contacts regarded the status of training (setting up sessions or cancelling sessions).
- There were also contacts because persons asked for trip planning assistance with METRO service.
- On October 5 ASC met with Robyn Slater and April Warnock to finalize Customer Service
 Training for METRO ParaCruz reservationists and dispatchers. Training sessions took
 place October 14 and 19 at METRO ParaCruz offices. One more training session
 pending.
- Per METRO Board direction, on October 25 ASC met with Les White, Peggy Gallagher, Ciro Aguirre and Bonnie Morr to review impacts of new ADA regulations. Follow up activity includes development of an outreach plan that includes METRO employee assistance with Stokes Straps and securement location marking and public demonstration of METRO vehicle access for passengers.
- After the October 28 METRO Board meeting ASC talked with Ciro Aguirre and Mary Ferrick regarding service closures for METRO Customer Service. ASC noted that he had emailed an offer to help. Ciro stated he would check regarding ASC assistance.

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: April Warnock, Paratransit Superintendent

SUBJECT: METRO PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT-OCTOBER 2011

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

This report is for information only - no action requested

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- METRO ParaCruz is the federally mandated ADA complementary paratransit program of the Transit District, providing shared ride, door-to-door demand-response transportation to customers certified as having disabilities that prevent them from independently using the fixed route bus.
- METRO assumed direct operation of paratransit services November 1, 2004. This service had been delivered under contract since 1992.
- Discussion of ParaCruz Operations Status Report.
- Attachment A1: On-time Performance Chart displays the percentage of pick-ups within the "ready window" and a breakdown in 5-minute increments for pick-ups beyond the "ready window". The monthly Customer Service Reports summary is included.
- Attachment B1: Report of ParaCruz' operating statistics. Performance Averages and Performance Goals are reflected in the Comparative Operating Statistics Table in order to establish and compare actual performance measures, as performance is a critical indicator as to ParaCruz' efficiency.
- Attachments C and D: ParaCruz Performance Charts displaying trends in rider-ship and mileage spanning a period of three years.
- Attachment E: Current calendar year's statistical information on the number of ParaCruz in-person eligibility assessments, including a comparison to past years, since implementation in August of 2002.

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III. DISCUSSION

From September 2011 to October 2011, ParaCruz rides decreased by 228 rides. This decrease does trend with the previous two years, both of which experienced a slight decrease in the number of rides from the month of September to the month of October. The number of rides performed in October 2011 was exactly the same as the number of rides in October 2010.

Call Center statistics are available only on a monthly basis at this time, reflecting that we experienced problems with the phone system attributed to wiring issues that have been identified. Corrective measures have been taken, but the disruption to the system makes cumulative data unavailable at this time.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

NONE

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A1: ParaCruz On-time Performance Chart

Attachment B1: Comparative Operating Statistics Table

Attachment C: Number of Rides Comparison Chart and Shared vs. Total Rides Chart

Attachment D: Mileage Comparison Chart and Year to Date Mileage Chart

Attachment E: Eligibility Chart

ATTACHMENT A

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ParaCruz On-time Performance Report		
	Oct 2010	Oct 2011
Total pick ups	8471	8471
Percent in "ready window"	95.15%	95.28%
1 to 5 minutes late	1.76%	1.81%
6 to 10 minutes late	.91%	1.42%
11 to 15 minutes late	.53%	.60%
16 to 20 minutes late	.28%	.40%
21 to 25 minutes late	.18%	.33%
26 to 30 minutes late	.12%	.07%
31 to 35 minutes late	.06%	.05%
36 to 40 minutes late	.00%	.04%
41 or more minutes late		
(excessively late/missed trips)	.01%	.01%
Total beyond "ready window"	4.85%	4.72%

During the month of October 2011, ParaCruz received seven (7) Customer Service Reports. Two (2) of the reports were valid complaints, three (3) of the reports were not valid, and two (2) of the reports were compliments.

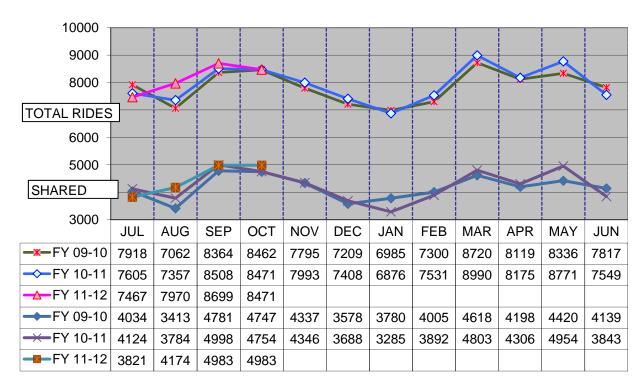
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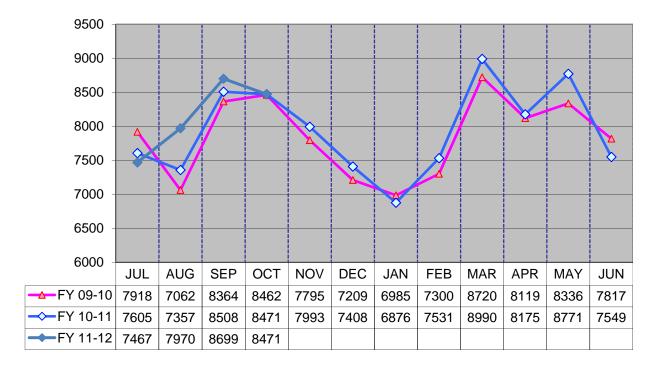
Comparative Operating Statistics This Fiscal Year, Last Fiscal Year through October 2011.

	Oct 10	Oct 11	Fiscal 10-11	Fiscal 11-12	Performance Averages	Performance Goals
Requested	8844	9009	33,149	34,048	8580	
Performed	8471	8471	31,938	32,607	7392	
Cancels	16.80%	16.62%	16.60%	16.76%	18.39%	
No Shows	1.67%	3.31%	2.15%	3.08%	2.58%	Less than 3%
Total miles	53,758	54,363	207,828	220,227	53,635	
Av trip miles	5.17	4.72	4.95	4.84	4.89	
Within ready window	95.15%	95.28%	96.30%	94.90%	95.05%	92.00% or better
Excessively late/missed trips	1	1	9	8	2.42	Zero (0)
Call center volume	6137	5997	23,106	24,050	N/A	
Call average seconds to answer	57	32	1 min: 54 secs	29.76	N/A	Less than 2 minutes
Hold times less than 2 minutes Distinct riders	95.01% 829	95.25% 799	94.42% 1307	95.27% 1074	N/A 793	Greater than 90%
Most frequent rider	67 rides	49 rides	245 rides	186 rides	53 rides	
Shared rides	66.2%	68.3%	64.2%	64.1%	62.43%	Greater than 60%
Passengers per rev hour	2.3	2.06	2.25	2.04	2.01	Greater than 1.6 passengers/hour
Rides by supplemental providers	8.21%	15.69%	8.79%	12.14%	10.73%	No more than 25%
Vendor cost per ride	\$20.56	\$22.69	\$21.75	\$20.82	\$21.66	
ParaCruz driver cost per ride (estimated)	\$22.20	\$25.90	\$26.06	\$24.22	\$23.39	
Rides < 10 miles	70.09%	68.56%	69.25%	69.11%	68.62%	
Rides > 10	29.91%	31.44%	30.75%	30.89%	31.2%	

ATTACHMENT C
TOTAL RIDES vs. SHARED RIDES

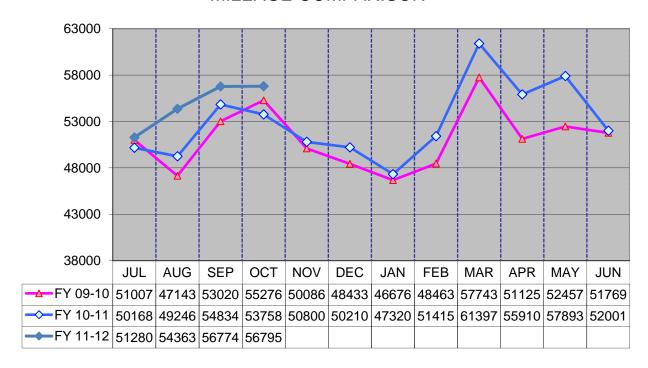


NUMBER OF RIDES COMPARISON CHART

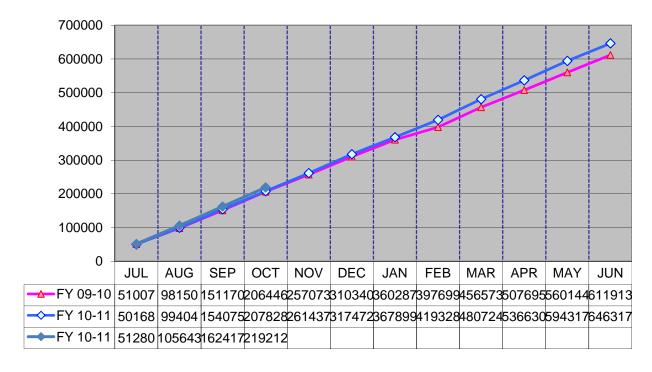


ATTACHMENT D

MILEAGE COMPARISON



YEAR TO DATE MILEAGE COMPARISON CHART



ATTACHMENT E

MONTHLY AS	SESSMENTS					
	UNRESTRICTED	RESTRICTED	RESTRICTED	TEMPORARY	DENIED	TOTAL
		CONDITIONAL	TRIP BY TRIP			
OCTOBER 2010	58	1	10	2	0	71
NOVEMBER 2010	45	0	4	5	1	55
DECEMBER 2010	32	0	7	5	0	44
JANUARY 2011	43	3	4	4	0	54
FEBRUARY 2011	41	2	14	4	0	61
MARCH 2011	43	3	5	7	0	58
APRIL 2011	44	0	3	4	0	51
MAY 2011	49	1	4	2	0	56
JUNE 2011	48	0	4	0	0	52
JULY 2011	54	0	0	1	0	55
AUGUST 2011	66	0	3	0	1	70
SEPTEMBER 2011	48	0	7	2	0	57
OCTOBER 2011	59	0	4	0	0	63

NUMBER OF ELI	GIBLE RIDERS
YEAR	ACTIVE
2006	5315
2007	4820
2008	4895
2009	5291
2010	3314

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Angela Aitken, Finance Manager & Acting Assistant General Manager

SUBJECT: SANTA CRUZ METRO SYSTEM RIDERSHIP REPORT FOR OCTOBER

2011

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

This report is for informational purposes only. No action is required

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Total ridership for the month of October 2011 was 608,418, which is a decrease of 23,940 riders or 3.79% versus October 2010. System Daily Averages for October include:
 - 23,517 riders per Weekday, a loss of 4.57% (1,126 riders)
 - 12,961 riders per Saturday, a loss of 0.41% (54 riders)
 - 9,950 riders per Sunday, a loss of 0.04 % (4 riders)
- Highway 17 Express ridership for the month of October 2011 was 31,608, which is a increase of 5,823 riders, or 22.58%, from October 2010. Daily averages include:
 - 1,146 riders per Weekday, a gain of 21.83% (205 riders)
 - 758 riders per Saturday, a gain of 36.35% (202 riders)
 - 751 riders per Sunday, a gain of 15.39% (100 riders)
- UCSC students and staff/faculty generated 326,618 rides in October 2011, a loss of 1.29%. Revenue generated from UCSC was \$414,547.46, a 1.30% decrease from October 2010.
- Overall, system wide ridership experienced a small YTD decrease of 1.82% in part due to a service reduction that was implemented on September 15, 2011 which resulted in 8.2% less service than in the prior year.

III. DISCUSSION

In the twenty-one (21) weekdays, five (5) Saturdays, and five (5) Sundays of October 2011, Santa Cruz METRO's total ridership was 608,418 riders. This was a loss from the previous year, decreasing by 23,940 riders or 3.79%. The month over month loss in ridership was expected considering that transit service available to the public is 8.2% less than in October 2010. FY12 YTD ridership is almost flat, with a slight loss of 1.82% over FY11.

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Attachment A shows that during October 2011, Santa Cruz METRO averaged 23,517 riders per Weekday. This was a loss from the previous October of 4.57% which is most likely due to recently implemented service reductions. Weekends experienced small losses of 0.41% and 0.04% on Saturdays and Sundays respectively, as fall weather altered commute habits.

Attachment A also shows Highway 17 Express total ridership at 31,608 riders, a new all time monthly record. This was a gain from the previous year, increasing by 5,823 riders or simply 22.58%.

FY12 average weekday ridership on the Highway 17 Express was 1,146 riders per weekday, a 21.83% increase per weekday in FY11. Simultaneously Highway 17 Express has seen gains of 36.35% in riders on Saturdays and 15.39% in riders on Sundays. These variations in ridership could possibly be due to sustained higher gas prices leading to changing commute patterns, and weekend travel demands from UCSC students and tourism. Also these increases are inflated in part due to undercounts in the FY11 Highway 17 Express ridership figures. FY11 ridership figures were artificially low due to farebox programming problems. This now leads to artificially high ridership increases when FY11 and FY12 figures are compared. The programming issue was resolved with the installation of the new GFI Odyssey fareboxes in December 2010.

Attachment B shows UCSC ridership decrease over October 2010, mainly due to less transit service available to the university. In October 2011, UCSC generated 326,618 rides between students and staff/faculty. This accounts for 53.7% of Santa Cruz METRO's total ridership count. On School Term Days and Weekdays, ridership decreased 2.11% while Weekends also saw a loss of 2.72% in ridership. Total revenue derived from UCSC in October 2011 was \$414,547.46, a 1.30% decrease from October 2010.

Attachment C depicts Weekday, Saturday, and Sunday ridership by route. Many of Santa Cruz METRO's main-lines service are well ridden while overall ridership remains flat. Overall, system wide ridership experienced a small YTD decrease of 1.82% in part due to a service reduction that was implemented on September 15, 2011 which resulted in 8.2% less service than in the prior year.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS.

Revenue derived from passenger fares and passes is reflected in the FY12 Revenue.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Monthly Ridership Summary

Attachment B: UCSC Ridership Summary

Attachment C: Ridership by Route

Prepared by: Erich Friedrich, Jr. Transportation Planner.

Date Prepared: December 6, 2011

Monthly Ridership Summary

OCTOBER 01, 2011 - OCTOBER 31, 2011

Days
Operating
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Bikes and Mobility Devices	Last Year Last Year Last Year	21	Bikes 18,510 20,403	S	Mobility Dev. 1,583 2,166	വ
erating Da	This Year Last Year	21		2		2
Calender Operating Days		Weekdays		Saturdays		Sundays

Monthly System

Totals

Total Ridership YTD % Change			Viul August September October November December Tebrusry Tebrusry Tebrusry March May May	■%chg
ò	3.0%	1.0%	-1.0% -2.0%	-4.0%

		Monthly Totals	Totals			
	This Year	Last Year	Last Year Difference % Change	% Change	This Year	Гa
Local Fixed Route	576,810	606,573	606,573 -29,763	-4.91%	1,591,150 1,6	1,6
AMTRAK/Highway 17 Express	31,608	25,785	31,608 25,785 5,823 22.58%	22.58%	114,551	6
System Total	608,418	632,358	608,418 632,358 -23,940 -3.79%	-3.79%	7,1 105,701 1,7	1,7

als	ence % Change	735 -3.21%	77 22.68%	558 -1.82%
Year to Date Totals	Last Year Difference	1,643,885 -52,735	93,374 21,177	1,737,259 -31,558
	This Year	1,591,150	114,551	1,705,701 1,737,259

Attachment A

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System Daily

Averages

		weekdays	5			Sall	atulday			Inc	aulday	
	This Year	Last Year	Last Year Difference	%	This Year	Last Year	This Year Last Year Difference	% Change	This Year	Last Year	This Year Last Year Difference % Change	% Change
Local Fixed Route	22,372	23,703	23,703 -1,331	-5.62%	12,202	12,458	-256	-2.05%	6,199	9,199 9,303	-105	-1.12%
AMTRAK/Highway 17 Express	1,146	940	205	21.83%	758	556	202	36.35%	751	651	100	15.39%
System Total	23,517	23,517 24,644 -1,126	-1,126	-4.57%	12,961	12,961 13,014	-54	-0.41%	9,950 9,954	9,954	-4	-0.04%

Last Year Difference % Change

This Year 5,648

% Change

Difference -243

Last Year 12,517

This Year 12,274

 This Year
 Last Year
 Difference
 % Change

 12,274
 12,517
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-1.94%

-21.08%

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3.37%

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5,464

2.72%

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5,613

5,766

-2.11%

-34

567

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-2.11%

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567

534

Staff & Faculty

Students

-5.91%

UCSC Ridership Summary

OCTOBER 01, 2011 -OCTOBER 31, 2011

Calendar Operating Days					UCSC Revenue	nue							
	This Year		Last Year				This Year	Last Year	\$ Difference % Change	change			
School Term Days	21		21		Student Billing		\$397,816.45	\$391,142.75	\$6,673.70	1.71%			
Weekdays	21		21		Staff Billing		\$15,681.94	\$16,516.19	-\$834.25	-5.05%			
Weekend Days	10		10		Night Owl Service	9.	\$0.00	\$11,720.34	\$11,720.34 -\$11,720.34	-100.00%			
					Route 20D Serivce	ce	\$1,049.07	\$618.35	\$430.72	%99.69			
					Total		\$414,547.46	\$419,997.63	-\$5,450.17	-1.30%			
UCSC Monthly										0			
System Totals										UCSC Service	e Ce		
		Monthly Totals				Year to [Year to Date Totals						
	This Year	This Year Last Year Difference		% Change	This Year	Last Year	Difference	% Change	Ī		METRO	NCSC	Proportion
Students	314,231	317,486	-3,255	-1.03%	556,076	554,007	2,069	0.37%	S	Service Hours	16,860	4,292	25.5%
Staff & Faculty	12,387	13,406	-1,019	-7.60%	54,820	51,724	3,096	5.99%	LE.	Ridership	608,418	326,618	53.7%
Total	326,618	330,892	-4,274	-1.29%	610,896	605,731	5,165	0.85%	п				
UCSC System													
		School Term Days	тт Days			Wee	Weekdays				Weekend Days	Days	

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Attachment C Ridership by Route

		OCTOBER 01	, 2011 - OCT	OBER 31, 201	11			
Route	Corridor	Weekday Ridership	Weekday Average	Saturday Ridership	Saturday Average	Sunday Ridership	Sunday Average	Monthly Riderhsip
10	UCSC via High St.	35,560	1,693	3,650	730	2,482	496	41,692
15	UCSC via Laurel West	55,857	2,660					55,857
16	UCSC via Laurel East	101,054	4,812	15,667	3,133	10,034	2,007	126,755
19	UCSC via Lower Bay	37,469	1,784	8,642	1,728	6,488	1,298	52,599
3	Mission/Beach	2,929	139					2,929
4	Harvey West/Emeline	4,529	216	96	19	151	30	4,776
8	Emeline	173	8					173
12A	UCSC East Side District	1,289	61					1,289
20	UCSC via West Side	24,356	1,160	6,138	1,228	4,390	878	34,884
20D	UCSC via West Side Supp.	12,566	598					12,566
30	Graham Hill/Scotts Valley	778	37					778
33	Lompico SLV/Felton Faire	489	23					489
34	South Felton	61	3					61
35/35A	Santa Cruz/Scotts Valley/SLV	31,814	1,515	5,047	1,009	4,354	871	41,215
40	Davenport/North Coast	1,351	64	44	9	70	14	1,465
41	Bonny Doon	2,275	108	84	17	56	11	2,415
42	Davenport/Bonny Doon	230	11	90	18	86	17	406
54	Capitola/Aptos/La Selva Beach	272	13	86	17	52	10	410
55	Rio Del Mar	4,066	194					4,066
56	La Selva Beach	483	23					483
66	Live Oak via 17th	12,920	615	3,316	663	2,263	453	18,499
68	Like Oak via Broadway/Portola	8,298	395	752	150	566	113	9,616
69A	Cap. Road/Cabrillo/Watsonville	19,602	933	2,395	479	1,861	372	23,858
69W	Capitola Road/Watsonville	25,522	1,215	2,758	552	2,471	494	30,751
71	Santa Cruz to Watsonville	68,524	3,263	10,736	2,147	9,330	1,866	88,590
72	Corralitos	2,209	105					2,209
74	Ohlone Parkway/Rolling Hills	1,519	72					1,519
75	Green Valley Road	6,313	301	1,510	302	1,339	268	9,162
79	East Lake	2,063	98					2,063
91x	Santa Cruz/Watsonville Express	5,235	249					5,235
Hwy 17	AMTRAK/Hwy 17 Express	24,060	1,146	3,792	758	3,756	751	31,608
	Monthly Total	493,866	23,517	64,803	12,961	49,749	9,950	608,418
	Previous Year	517,515	24,644	65,072	13,014	49,771	9,954	632,358
	% Change	-4.57%	-4.57%	-0.41%	-0.41%	-0.04%	-0.04%	-3.79%

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Tove Beatty, Grants/Legislative Analyst

Thomas Hiltner, Grants/Legislative Analyst

SUBJECT: STATUS REPORT OF ACTIVE GRANTS AND SUBMITTED GRANT

PROPOSALS FOR DECEMBER 2011

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

This report is for informational purposes only. Active grants and grant proposals are current as of December 8, 2011. No action is required.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Santa Cruz METRO relies upon grant funding from other agencies for more than 25% of its FY12 operating revenue and nearly 80% of its FY12 capital funding.
- A list of Santa Cruz METRO's active grants (Attachment A) and a list of grant proposals for new funds (Attachment B) are provided monthly in order to apprise the Board of the status of grants funding.
- Santa Cruz METRO has active grant awards totaling \$44,469,006.
- Items in **bold** on Attachments A and B depict changes from last month's report.
- Santa Cruz METRO staff is developing new operating and capital projects for approximately \$12,047,369 in grant program funding.

III. DISCUSSION

Santa Cruz METRO relies upon grants from a number of other entities throughout the year for more than 25% of its FY12 operating revenue and over 80% of its FY12 capital funding. Programs such as the Transportation Development Act (TDA) and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) urbanized area program annually allocate funds by formula while others such as the Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District's AB2766 Motor Vehicle Emissions Reduction Program and the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) discretionary planning grants are competitively awarded based on merit. Santa Cruz METRO relies on both formula and discretionary grant revenue to support its operating and capital budgets.

This staff report is to apprise the Board of Directors of active grants funding current projects and proposed grants for new projects and ongoing operating costs. **Attachment A** lists all of Santa Cruz METRO's active grants with the award amount, the remaining balance and the status of the

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projects funded by the grant. **Attachment B** lists Santa Cruz METRO's open grant applications with a brief description, source and status of proposed funds. Items in **bold** on Attachments A and B depict changes from last month's report.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Active grant awards for operating and capital projects total \$44,469,006 with an unspent balance of \$25,771,512. The total amount of active grant awards declined from November because a completed project with all funds expended was removed from the list, leaving the unspent balance unchanged from last month.

Current grant applications request \$12,047,369, the same as November's total requests. Santa Cruz METRO staff is pursuing a new discretionary grant for Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) technical assistance for a potential project to renovation or redevelop Pacific Station. The award amount is unknown.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Santa Cruz METRO Active Grants Status Report as of December 8, 2011

Attachment B: Santa Cruz METRO Grant Applications as of December 8, 2011

Santa Cruz METRO Active Grants as of December 8, 2011

Grant Status	Federal Transit Administration (FTA) FTA urbanized area formula program. 5307 American Recovery Santa Cruz METRO has received and installed fareboxes and ticket vending machines; has accepted paratransit vans and expects to complete the Giro/Hastus roll-out by early 2012.	Construction projects started 5/27/11. This project is on schedule.	Outreach meetings with transit stakeholders are NGOs is completed. Second round of surveys is complete. Report is being drafted. This project is on task and on scheduled for delivery by 3/31/12.	Funding from Proposition Sustainable Communities Planning the State of California Grant Program for a project entitled Grant Program for a project entitled Grant Program for a project entitled The Santa Cruz County Sustainable Community and Transit Corridors Plan on December 6, 2010. Notification of award 6/3/11. Discussion of an RFP for a consultant will begin in November and the selection process complete by December 2012.
Funding Source		Caltrans from State Transportation Improvement Program	48,505 Caltrans (FTA 5304)	
\$ Grant Balance	\$ 519,218	\$ 476,189	\$ 48,505	\$ 10,000
\$ Grant Awarded	4,909,939	500,000	100,000	10,000
Description	Upgrade dispatch, scheduling and customer information software; purchase 27 replacement paratransit vans; purchase new fareboxes with magnetic card readers; operating assistance.	Improve bus stops in Santa Cruz METRO service area	3 CT Transit Planning- 18-month transit planning study s-Watsonville of Watsonville service as subrecipient of MPO (AMBAG).	Discretionary grant proposals for planning/zoning of unicorporated areas (Live Oak, Soquel Dr. corridor) w/ County of Santa Cruz; and sustainable growth communities grant w/ AMBAG. All need METRO as a partner.
Grant	1 Smartcard Farebox; ParaCruz Vans; IT a Upgrades; Operating Assistance	2 Bus Stop Improvements	-Watsonville	County of Santa Cruz Prop 84 Challenge Grant
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Santa Cruz METRO Active Grants as of December 8, 2011

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Grant Status	Participating in development of Sustainable Communities Strategies, awaiting letter of award from AMBAG at 10/14/11, expect MOU within 60 days per AMBAG.	Grant awarded July 2011; METRO to participate with RTC on on-board ridership survey to inform RTP update; budget is final and MOU is being reviewed by METRO by 12/16/11.	New grant to finance capital projects: ~42 mobile data terminals for ParaCruz and approximately 4-5 new CNG buses. Will be programmed into MTIP on January 2012.	160,000 MBUAPCD (Air District) Conversion of non-revenue vehicles (staff/supervisor vehicles and forklift) to alternative fuel path. Award notification in August 2011. Santa Cruz METRO's project was recommended for award.
Funding Source	10,000 AMBAG sub-award.	State of California	FTA Section 5309	MBUAPCD (Air District)
\$ Grant Balance	\$ 10,000	\$ 8,204	\$ 2,814,538	\$ 160,000
\$ Grant Awarded	\$ 10,000	\$,204	\$ 2,814,538	\$ 160,000
Description	Discretionary grant sub-award.	Discretionary grant.	Discretionary, competitive grant program.	Discretionary Grant
Grant	5 AMBAG Sustainable Communities Planning Grant	6 SCCRTC Caltrans Small Urban Transit Planning Grant	7 Section 5309 Bus/Facilities State of Good Repair	8 MBUAPCD AB2766 FY12 Grant
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Santa Cruz METRO Active Grants as of December 8, 2011

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Grant Status	427,000 State of California FY11- 12; of \$5,060,000 available, requested \$427,000 as part of match for State of Good Repair grant (capital bus purchase) to be matched 50/50 with local sales tax revenues. Request allocated on 10/27/11 by CTC. Waiting for contract from Caltrans DMT.	26,374 FY09 CTSGP funds from Day Wireless work on \$530,000 Cal EMA approval. Extension approved 10/28/11. Grant expires 9/30/12. \$ Grant Balance as of 11/8/11.	440,476 FY10 CTSGP funds from Generator relocation contract approved 10/14/11 with State Electric Generator for \$17,412. \$ Grant Balance as of 11/8/11. Expires 3/31/13.
Funding Source	State of California FY11-12; of \$5,060,000 available, requested \$427,000 as part of match for State of Good Repair grant (capital bus purchase) to be matched 50/50 with local sales tax revenues. Request allocated on 10/27/11 by CTC. Waiting for contract from Caltrans DMT.	FY09 CTSGP funds from Cal EMA	FY10 CTSGP funds from Cal EMA
\$ Grant Balance	\$ 427,000	\$ 26,374	\$ 440,476
\$ Grant Awarded	\$ 427,000	\$ 440,505	\$ 440,505
Description	Proposition 1B Formula Funds	Continue LMR upgrade.	Continue video surveillance, LMR upgrade and install emergency generator.
Grant	9 Proposition 1B - State and Local Partnership Program	Security & Surveillance (LMR)	11 Comprehensive Security & Surveillance: CCTV; LMR; EG
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Santa Cruz METRO Active Grants as of December 8, 2011

Purchase I new CNG	Grant Status	11 New Flyer low-floor 40' CNG Buses entered production 11/30/11. METRO contracted inspection services for \$29K. \$ No Expiration. Grant Balance as of 11/8/11.	Grant contract executed 8/22/11. METRO will draw the funds after the FY11 financial audit concludes in December. Grant balance as of 12/8/11.	Grant contract executed 7/27/11. METRO will draw the funds after the FY11 financial audit concludes in December. Grant balance as of 12/8/11.	RTC paid the first quarter's amount on 9/1/11.	The RTC will pay STA to METRO quarterly. The first quarter's STA payment of \$566,759 on 11/3/11 was \$246,000 below the anticipated amount and will be paid together with the 2nd quarter's payment. \$Grant Balance as of 12/8/11.
Purchase 11 new CNG	Funding Source	FTA 5309 Bus & Bus Facilities/State of Good Repair Program	FTA FY11 5307 urbanized area formula funds + STIC	Caltrans (FTA 5311)	SCCRTC	SCCRTC
Purchase 11 new CNG replacement buses from FTA discretionary grant program. Operating Assistance 7/1/10 - \$ 4,830,600 replacement buses from FTA discretionary grant program. Operating assistance for public santa Cruz County. FY12Transportation Bevelopment Act (TDA) revenue for public transit operations. FY12 State Transit Assistance (STA) operating revenue for public transit.	\$ Grant Balance					
Purchase 11 new CNG replacement buses from FTA discretionary grant program. Operating Assistance 7/1/10 - 6/30/11 Operating assistance for public transit service in rural areas of Santa Cruz County. FY 12Transportation Development Act (TDA) revenue for public transit operations. FY 12 State Transit Assistance (STA) operating revenue for public transit.	\$ Grant Awarded					
spur	Description				portation ent Act (TDA) public transit	
Grant 12 FFY10 Discretionary Bus/Facilities Program Assistance	Grant	12 FFY10 Discretionary Bus/Facilities Program	13 FY11 FTA Operating Assistance	14 FY11 Rural Operating Assistance	15 FY12 TDA Operating Assistance	16 FY12 STA Funds

Santa Cruz METRO Active Grants as of December 8, 2011

Grant Status	FY09 transit operations are complete. Remaining funds for the Operations Building construction. No expiration. \$ Grant Balance 12/8/11.	METRO contracted Tank purchase with Chart for \$291K. Grant expires 2/11/13. \$ Grant Balance as of 12/8/11.	AAA Fencing completed Maintenance Bldg. perimeter fence except for final closure. The BPD contracted LNG Tank #2 with Chart Inc. bid for \$291K on 11/18/11. Tank delivery is anticipated in Spring 2012. LONP is requested at 12/16/11 BOD meeting for obligation of remaining balance. FY11 \$11,010,047 payment anticipated by 1/31/12. Expires 6/30/15. \$ Grant Balance as of 11/8/11.
Funding Source	FTA 5307 urbanized area formula funds and Small Transit Intensive Cities (STIC) funds, both now for operating assistance.	200,000 AB2766 Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District (Air District) AB 2766 Motor Vehicle Emissions Reduction Program	2,689,152 FY08, FY09, FY10 Prop. 1B Public Transportation Modernization and Service Enhancement Account (PTMISEA) through Caltrans
\$ Grant Balance	\$ 1,108,062	\$ 200,000	\$ 2,689,152
\$ Grant Awarded	4,753,504	200,000	9,540,751
Description	FY09 Operating Assistance and Operating/MetroBase Construction funding.	Second L/CNG storage tank.	Construction.
# Grant	17 FY09 Operating/MetroBas e const.	18 FY11 AB2766	19 MetroBase Development

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Grant Status	15,401 FY05 FTA 5309 Bus and METRO awarded wrought iron fence Bus Facilities program - contract to AAA Fencing on 10/28/11 legislative earmark. for \$22,669, significantly under budget estimate of \$35,000. Completion anticipated by 2/28/12. \$ Grant balance as of 11/8/11.	396,000 FY06 FTA 5309 Bus and The FTA will begin monitoring Bus Facilities program - Progress on Metro Center Design/Engineering in 2012 since the first grant (2006) has aged more than 5 years without implementation. No expiration.	490,000 FY08 FTA 5309 Bus and The FTA will begin monitoring Bus Facilities program - Progress on Metro Center legislative earmark. Design/Engineering in 2012 since the first grant (2006) has aged more than 5 years without implementation. No expiration.	
Funding Source	FY05 FTA 5309 Bus and Bus Facilities program - legislative earmark.	FY06 FTA 5309 Bus and Bus Facilities program - legislative earmark.	FY08 FTA 5309 Bus and Bus Facilities program - legislative earmark.	
\$ Grant Balance		\$ 396,000	\$ 490,000	\$ 25,771,512
\$ Grant Awarded	\$ 1,457,667	\$ 396,000	\$ 490,000	\$ 44,469,006
Description	20 Pacific Station Land Purchase Greyhound property for Pacific Station (Metro Center) renovation	Pacific Station Contract architectural and Design Engineering engineering services for Pacific Station expansion and renovation	Contract architectural and engineering services for Pacific Station expansion and renovation	Total
Grant	20 Pacific Station Land	21 Pacific Station Design Engineering	22 Pacific Station Design Engineering	
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Santa Cruz METRO Grant Applications as of December 8, 2011

#	Application Date	Grant	Description	\$ Grant	Funding Source	Status of Award
1	TBD	California Energy Commission AB118 Program	Impelementation plan; then grants	unknown	CEC	AB118 grants to be announced in summer; plus rebates on purchase of CNG buses (looking into for last 5 purchased through VTA).
7	10/24/2011	EPA Technical Assistance Program	0	Technical Assistance Only	EPA	Applied to EPA for Building Blocks for Sustainable Communities and Smart Growth Implementation technical assistance program for re-evaluation of the Pacific Station project going forward. LOI submitted 10/24/11. Must be invited to apply.
κ	10/31/2012	FY12 Rural Operating Assistance	Operating assistance for public transit service in rural areas of Santa Cruz County.	\$ 156,312	156,312 Caltrans (FTA 5311)	Simplified application due 12/15/11.
4	3/15/2012	FY12 Transit Security Projects	TBD	\$ 440,505	440,505 FY12 CTSGP funds from Cal EMA	The State Controller's Office provided an allocation estimate of \$440,505 to Santa Cruz METRO for FY12. Cal-EMA approved LONP for FY12 projects and beyond. Transit Security projects to be defined by January.
5	3/15/2011	FY11 Transit Security Project	Santa Cruz METRO video surveillance projects	\$ 440,505	440,505 FY11 CTSGP funds from Cal EMA	Application submitted 3/11/11. Modification request approved 11/2/11 to remove security fencing and shift all funds to the video surveillance project. Funds anticipated in Spring 2012. Expiration 3/31/14.

Santa Cruz METRO Grant Applications as of December 8, 2011

#	Application Date	Grant	Description	\$ Grant	Funding Source	Status of Award
6	6/1/2011	FY11 PTMISEA	FY11 Public Transportation Modernization Improvement and Service Enhancement Activity (PTMISEA) funding for the MetroBase Operations Building.	\$, ,	Caltrans Division of Mass Transit	State Controller's Office estimated FY11 allocation to Santa Cruz METRO is \$11,010,047. METRO anticipates the FY11 cash disbursement by 1/31/12. This cash wil help fund the \$18M Operations Building.
			Total	\$ 12,047,369		

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: November 30, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Tove Beatty, Grants/Legislative Analyst

SUBJECT: STATUS REPORTS OF PROPOSED FEDERAL AND STATE

LEGISLATION AND CURRENT LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors accept and file the status reports of proposed Federal and State legislation and current legislative issues through November 30, 2011.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Status reports on Congress's, the State Assembly's and Senate's legislative issues are provided monthly to inform the Board of the status of Federal and State legislation of interest to Santa Cruz METRO.
- This month's State and Federal reports reflect pertinent legislative activities which occurred November 9, 2011 November 30, 2011.
- The bipartisan debt reduction commission did not succeed in specification of the second round of mandatory budget cuts, so pre-determined cuts to Defense and social programs will be triggered.
- Congress passed the eighth extension of SAFETEA-LU, through March 31st, 2012. House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Chair John Mica (R-FL) says this is the final extension and a new act must be passed. Senator Boxer agrees. This extension is linked to the gas tax—if it expires, so does the tax.
- The Senate Environment and Public Works Committee released its version of S1381 or MAP-21, the two-year new surface transportation act, after a unanimous vote out of Chair Boxer's (D-CA) committee. Transit funding is at \$24 billion, or roughly the same as current levels. Still to come is the release of the Finance Committee's plan to offset the additional \$12 billion needed in financing.
- House Speaker Boehner (R-OH) announced HR7 last week, The American Energy and Infrastructure Jobs Act, the five-year version of a surface transportation act, proposed to be funded by HR3410, The Energy Security and Transportation Jobs Act (Stivers, R-OH), which proposes to generate \$70 billion through expanded oil drilling leases in places like California and the Arctic National Wildlife Reserve.
- The California Legislature will reconvene on January 4, 2012. Thus, there is no Attachment D to this report, it will return in January.

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• In September, the State held its first bond sale since spring 2010 in order to meet California's cash flow needs. A second bond sale in early November may produce the financing of Proposition 1B job-creating projects such as our Operations Building. At the time of this report, Santa Cruz METRO is awaiting news of the possible release of funds. If released, checks could be cut by March 2012.

III. DISCUSSION

Status reports on Federal House of Representatives' and Senate's proposed legislation and related issues at the state level are provided monthly to inform the Board of the status of legislation of interest to Santa Cruz METRO. The purpose of this report is to inform the Board of Directors of the current status of pending legislation which may be of interest to or have an eventual impact on Santa Cruz METRO and/or the transit industry. The Federal and State Legislation Status Reports are updated monthly for this purpose.

This month's State and Federal reports reflect pertinent legislative activities which occurred between October 22, 2011 – November 9, 2011. Status reports on Congress's, the State Assembly's and Senate's legislative issues are provided monthly to inform the Board of the status of Federal and State legislation of interest to Santa Cruz METRO. This month's State and Federal reports reflect pertinent legislative activities which occurred November 9, 2011 – November 30, 2011.

The bipartisan debt reduction commission did not succeed in the specification of the second round of mandatory budget cuts by November 18th, so pre-determined cuts have been triggered, including big cuts to the Department of Defense and social programs. An interesting collection of characters are already speaking out against Defense cuts, and it is possible that many of the measures will be contested over the next 10 years, the designated "roll-out" period for the entire lot of deficit-reducing measures.

Congress passed the eighth extension of SAFETEA-LU through March 31st, 2012. House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Chair John Mica (R-FL) says this is the final extension and a new act must be passed. Senator Boxer agrees. This extension is linked to the gas tax—if it expires, so does the tax. The Senate Environment and Public Works Committee released its version of S1381 or MAP-21, the two-year new surface transportation act, after a unanimous vote out of Chair Boxer's (D-CA) committee. Transit funding is at \$24 billion, or roughly the same as current levels. Still to come is the release of the Finance Committee's plan to offset the additional \$12 billion needed in financing. In addition, program consolidation and simplification still needs to be hammered out.

House Speaker Boehner (R-OH) announced HR7 last week, The American Energy and Infrastructure Jobs Act, the five-year version of a surface transportation act, proposed to be funded by HR3410, The Energy Security and Transportation Jobs Act (Stivers, R-OH), which proposes to generate \$70 billion through expanded oil drilling leases in places like California and the Arctic National Wildlife Reserve. There are many problems with this proposal, not the least of which is that it will never pass the Senate. Additionally, the bipartisan Taxpayers for Common Sense (TCS) in their analysis say, "this is likely take many years to get rolling and is not a

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responsible budget approach." TCS also recommends raising the gas tax as the best funding mechanism for a long-term act.

The California Legislature will reconvene on January 4, 2012. Thus, there is no Attachment D to this report, it will return in January. However, there is some State news. In September, the State held its first bond sale since spring 2010 in order to meet California's cash flow needs. A second bond sale in early November may produce the financing of Proposition 1B job-creating projects such as our Operations Building. At the time of this report, Santa Cruz METRO is anxiously awaiting news of the possible release of funds for the Operations facility. If released, the check could be cut by March 2012.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

As most potential legislation carries a fiscal impact, staff will report on a monthly basis of newly implemented federal and/or State legislation which financially impacts Santa Cruz METRO.

The extension of SAFETEA-LU's authorization through March 31, 2012 secures transportation funding and the related gas tax until then. Transportation advocates are watching both Barbara Boxer's bill (with funding at current levels, indexed for inflation), and for the House to address funding shortfalls in the Highway Trust Fund. Appropriations bills in the House are being watched closely, and government is funded through the date of this Board meeting via a Continuing Resolution. The FY12 federal budget was not passed by the end of the federal fiscal year at September 30, 2011 and is being passed in a series of "mini-bus" bills, with the potential of one large sweeping-up omnibus bill at the end of the session, prior to holiday break.

Santa Cruz METRO is expecting word by early December as to whether or not the additional required bond funding (approximately \$11 million) for the Operations Building project will be approved and released by early 2012.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Federal Legislative Issues and Status Report, November 30, 2011 **Attachment B:** Federal House and Senate Bills Status Report, November 30, 2011

Attachment C: State of California Legislative Issues and Status Report, November 30, 2011

Attachment D: State of California Assembly and Senate Bills Status Report*

*This attachment will return in January, when the Legislature reconvenes.

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Federal Legislative Issues and Status Report November 30, 2011

Current Legislative Issues

FY12 Federal Budget

<u>Update at 11/30/11:</u> The so-called "Super Committee" made no new recommendations for an additional \$1.5 trillion in budget cuts by their November 18th deadline, triggering the threatened massive cuts to defense and other programs over the next 10 years. Battle lines are drawn in this and future Congresses with the unlikely character of Secretary Panetta standing up for Defense. Congress passed another Continuing Resolution to fund government through December 16th, 2011, Both houses now focused on passing "mini-buses" or bills such as HR2112, which contains House transportation funding, onto conference with the Senate. Whether the twain shall meet remains to be seen, but both Houses are suffering a 9% approval rating and (some) lawmakers are anxious to move something, *anything* along.

<u>Update at 10/21/11:</u> Unable to pass one large omnibus spending bill, the Senate is working on what are called "mini-buses" at this time (passed to them piecemeal by the House). Congress has passed a Continuing Resolution (CR) funding the government through November 18th at the level agreed to in the debt ceiling vote (\$1.043 trillion).

Long Term Surface Transportation Act (HR7, S1381 or MAP-21) and S1648

<u>Update at 11/30/11:</u> Last week, Speaker Boehner introduced "The American Energy and Infrastructure Jobs Act", or HR7, the House version of a five-year surface transportation act, with very little in the way of program or transit title detail. It was introduced along with HR3410, the Energy Security and Transportation Jobs Act (Stivers, R-OH), which proposes to generate up to \$70 billion by capturing royalty payments via expanded on-shore and off-shore oil drilling leases in places like California and the Arctic National Wildlife Reserve. According to the non-partisan group, Taxpayers for Common Sense (TCS), this proposal, "will likely take many years to get rolling and is not a responsible budget approach." TCS also recommends raising the gas tax as a funding mechanism. Some states are also up in arms, as much of the proposed drilling revenues may not be returned to the area of origin under this bill. In addition, there are simply not enough votes in the Senate to pass either of these measures.

The Senate Environment and Public Works Committee's released S 1813, otherwise known as MAP-21, Senator Boxer's two-year surface transportation bill on November 9th, 2011. In early December, the transit portion of the bill is expected to be marked up. Early indications are that transit will receive about \$24 billion out of the \$109 billion bill, or roughly at current levels. There is some program consolidation to be hammered out, and the bill also maintains operating flexibility (funding use) in urban areas, as well as the STIC program.

<u>Update at 10/21/11:</u> On 9/13/11, the House passed the eighth extension of SAFETEA-LU through March 31st, 2012. House Chair Mica says that this is the final extension and a new act

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must be passed by the time this extension expires. This extension is also tied to the gas tax expiration—in other words, a greater incentive than any to get a new act passed.

The NAT GAS (New Alternative Transportation to Give Americans Solutions) Act (HR1380)

<u>Updates at 11/30/11, 11/9/11 and 10/21/11:</u> Natural gas advocates expect this tax to expire, then be reinstated as part of another bill in the new year. The scuttlebutt is that it will be a retroactive credit and cover quarters that have lapsed since the tax credit expired. This is much like what Santa Cruz METRO experienced last year. This bill is sitting in the Subcommittee on Energy and Power of the Committee on Energy and Commerce and the House Science, Space and Technology Committee. Santa Cruz METRO's Alternative Fuel Tax Credit for CNG fuel (50 cents per gallon equivalent tax credit) is rolled into HR1380. This bill extends the credit through 2016 and has bipartisan support.

House Resolution 5 (HR5)

<u>Update at 11/30/11, 11/9/11 and 10/21/11:</u> We are still monitoring potential effects of HR5, which will probably be seen after the FY12 budget "mini-buses" and possibly one large omnibus bill are passed, sweeping up appropriations by the end of the year. **How** funds are appropriated will indicate the potential impact of HR5. So far, no one's saying much.

Update at 1/18/11: In a secret caucus held on January 4^{th,} House GOP members held an unrecorded vote on a proposed Rules package. Passed in this package was H.R. 5, a separation of the authorization and appropriations processes in regard to infrastructure funding.

American Infrastructure Investment Fund Act of 2011 (S936)

<u>Update at 11/30/11, 11/9/11, 10/21/11, 10/5/11, 8/16/11:</u> No change at this time. Read twice. Upstaged by the President's Jobs Bill.

<u>Update at 5/19/11:</u> Senators Rockefeller (D-WV) and Lautenberg (D-NJ) introduced this act to create a \$5 billion fund to drive private investment in transportation infrastructure. This allows better leveraging of federal funds for infrastructure investments, using a variety of means (loans, loans guarantees) to encourage private, regional, state and federal investment and authorizes \$5 billion a year for 2012 and 2013. It is intended to also provide states with greater flexibility for the types of projects they may fund with federal dollars.

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Santa Cruz METRO Federal House and Senate Bills Status Report November 30, 2011

Federal Bills House	Subject	Introduced	Status
HR7: The American Energy and Infrastructure Jobs Act	This is the House version of a five-year long-term surface transportation act with very little detail available at this time, other than the proposed funding mechanism of HR3410 (see below).	11/22/2011	No specific program or title etails were available at the time of this report. See HR3410 for proposed funding mechanism.
Federal Budget FY12	The budget is being considered in "mini-buses" which are in lieu of one large spending bill, which would be called an omnibus. The CR to fund government at FY11 levels (with a few tweaks) expires on 12/1611. The debt ceiling vote increased the debt limit by \$2.4 trillion in 10 years. These cuts are backloaded, so may not immediately occur and may be impacted by future Congresses. The 12-member bipartisan panel tasked with an additional \$1.5 trillion in cuts over 10 years did not reach agreement and triggered cuts across the board will go into effect by November 23, 2011. Expect the FY12 appropriations bills (or "budget" per se) to pass in mini-buses and possibly one large "sweep up"	Veek of 4/4/11	The Senate version of transportation funding keeps FY12 spending at current levels. with a bump in FY13 for inflation. Now that the Super Committee has failed, the battle lines will be drawn for budgeting and appropriations, as well as the Week of 4/4/11 triggered future cuts.
HR 1380: New Alternative Transportation to Give Americans Solutions Act (NAT GAS Act) (Sullivan, R- OK)	Alternative Transportation to Give Americans Solutions Act (NAT) GAS Act) (Sullivan, R-stations/pumps and discretionary/competitive grants for development of new technologies re: natural gas as fuel with an emphasis on heavy-duty and fleet vehicles, and includes various credits and incentives to promote production and use of such vehicles and fueling GAS Act) (Sullivan, R-stations/pumps and discretionary/competitive grants for development of new technologies re: natural gas vehicles.	4/6/2011	Natural gas advocates believe that this tax credit will expire and then be reinstated. Stay tuned. 4/6/11: Referred to House Energy & Commerce Committee's subcommittee on Energy and Power and the House Committee on Science, Space and Technology.
HR3410: Energy Security and Transportation Jobs Act (Stiver-OH)	Proposes to generate up to \$70 billion for a long-term surface-transportation act by capturing royalty payments via expanded onshore and off-shore drilling leases in places like California and the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge.	11/22/2011	This bill has many issues, not the least of which is the fact that the revenue will likely take many years to come in. Some states (those most impacted) are up in arms because not all funds are returned to the area of origin. In addition, there are not enough Senate votes to pass this funding mechanism.

Santa Cruz METRO Federal House and Senate Bills Status Report November 30, 2011

Federal Bills	Subject	Introduced	Status
S936: American			Easily upstaged by the President's
Infrastructure			Jobs Bill. Introduced in Senate
Investment Fund Act	Creates #5 hillian fund to drive private investment in transportation		
of 2011 (Rockefeller,	Creates \$5 billion fund to drive private investment in transportation		Science, Commerce and
	infrastructure in 2012 and 2013, creates leveraging ability at both	F /10/2011	Transportation Committee on
D-WV)	federal and state levels for transportation projects.	5/10/2011	5/10/11, read twice @ 8/16/11.
	Bassass of time count on the debt colling issue as well as time last on other		
	Because of time spent on the debt ceiling issue, as well as time lost on other legislation such as the FAA reauthorization bill (due in part to the insertion of		Extensions were passed through
	some anti-Labor provisions), on September 13th, the House passed the eighth		11/18/11 for the entire government, and
	extension of SAFETEA-LU through March 31, 2012. Senator Boxer has released		3/31/12 for SAFETEA-LU. What
S1381: MAP-21 (Moving	the highway markup of MAP-21 at November 9th, 2011, which was passed		remains to be seen is whether the
· ·	unanimously out of committee (18-0). Still in the works are the transit, rail and	Marked up and	House releases a two- or six-year bill
21st Century = New	safety titles as well as the Banking Committee's recommendations for an	released from	and whether or not consensus can be
name for long-term	additional \$12 billion to fund the two-year act. A long-term act is not expected	Senate EPW	reached with the Senate on this and
surface transportation	until next year as we are still waiting for the House to release their proposed	Committee	other appropriations bills needing to be
act) (Boxer, D-CA)	legislation.	11/9/11	finished by the end of session.
S1660: American Jobs	The legislation includes the following job-creating provisions: payroll tax exemption for previously unemployed workers; employer credit of \$1,000 for every new employee that works at least a year; closing of various tax loopholes, creation of small-business loan programs, and provisions to convert tax credit bonds to Build America Bonds. For transportation, the bill includes a transfer of \$19.5 billion from the General Fund to the HTF to finance infrastructure job-creating projects and halts the repayments that the HTF makes to the General fund for tax-exempt users of the highway program (including transit). The bill extends some unemployment benefits, and extends expiring health care provisions. The bill is financed by various IRS code adjustments and changes designed to raise \$9 billion, tightens standards and credits for biofuels (raising \$24 billion); some basically incomprehensible changes		This is the President's "Jobs Bill" which is in the process of being debated section by section. The whole bill cannot be passed as is. However, many components are things that the GOP has agreed with in the past and now that the GOP Presidential "primary season" has been moved up to January, it may behoove the party to actually
Act of 2011 (Reid, D-	to the Economic Substance Doctrine (\$5 billion) and a reduction in the		enact at least some parts of the
NV)	Medicare Improvement Fund worth \$8 billion.	9/12/2011	legislation.
/		>/12/2011	
S1648: A bill to Terminate the Transportation	This legislation is, as it is titled, a bill to terminate the Transportation Enhancements (TE) program, which funds things like bicycle and pedestrian related projects, etc., and redirect the funding to "emergency infrastructure repairs" that enhance "roads and bridges." Co-sponsored by Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-KY), who says,		In Senate Enviornment and Public Works Committee; Senator John McCain (R-AZ) also picked this up and ran with it in October, railing against bike paths through national
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	"Kentuckians are tired of financing every turtle tunnel and solar panel	10/2/2011	parks, etc. His amendment was
Program (Paul, R-KY)	company, and not using the funds to repair our bridges and roads."	10/3/2011	canned.

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State of California Legislative Issues and Status Report November 30, 2011

FY12 State Budget and Proposition 1B Bond Sale

<u>Update at 11/30/11 and 11/9/11:</u> The State held the first "cash flow" bond sale since Spring 2010 in mid-September and one in November, ostensibly to finance Proposition 1B projects that are queued up (such as our Operations Building). We are expecting news on a possible \$11 million allocation any minute, according to our advocates at the California Transit Association. Theoretically, checks will be cut by March 2012 (according to the California Transit Association, November bond sale proceeds would be approved for allocation at the December California Transit Commission (CTC) meeting). A Spring bond sale is planned to finance new projects. Much of this is still dependent on revenue and budget projections meeting their targets (which it appears is not happening as planned) and the Governor's reaction in January 2012. Santa Cruz METRO also received its FY10 Proposition 1B allocation of \$2.49 million in early November and scheduled projects are now underway.

<u>Update at 8/16/11:</u> When the state budget was finally passed, it included increased revenue projections to fill some budget gaps and additional triggers for more. Transit remained unscathed, but if revenues are not up (which they are not @ 11/30/11), bets are off. The new fees required for California's RDAs are draconian at best. For Santa Cruz METRO, State Transit Assistance funding increased.

The California Legislature: Bills of Interest

<u>Update at 11/30/11 and 11/9/11:</u> Bill status is described in Attachment D. Of note is that the former SB791 (initially a Senator Steinberg transit vehicle, now a vetoed Senator Simitian mammogram bill—in legislative parlance, this is called "gutting and stuffing" a bill), which is not included on the attached matrix and will be reintroduced next session with a new number. It will be a proposal to implement some sort of regional fee to finance the ongoing statewide mandated implementation of SB375 (Sustainable Communities Strategies—an "unfunded mandate" that the President Pro Tem is attempting to address via this bill.) Other bills of interest which were enrolled and passed to the Governor this session include AB147, AB427, AB650, AB1097 and SB565, which includes language to extend STA flexibility for operational use through 2015.

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Les White, General Manager

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO SIGN

A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN SANTA CRUZ

METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT AND THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ON-BOARD TRANSIT

RIDERSHIP STUDY FUNDED BY CALTRANS

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors consider authorizing the General Manager to sign a Memorandum of Understanding between Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District and the Santa Cruz Regional Transportation Commission to participate in the planning and implementation of the On-Board Transit Ridership Study funded by Caltrans.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- On July 26, 2011, the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (SCCRTC) received a FY12 Caltrans Small Urban or Rural Planning Grant in the amount of \$49,909 to fund an on-board ridership study to inform AMBAG's Regional Travel Demand Model.
- In addition, this process will inform the state-wide Sustainable Communities Strategies' development as required by greenhouse-gas-reducing legislation AB32 and SB375.
- Santa Cruz METRO is a sub-awardee on this grant, and will receive \$8,204 for participation in the preparation of the request for proposal and the selection of the study consultant. Santa Cruz METRO is also contributing an in-kind labor match worth \$1,740 to augment the grant budget.
- Santa Cruz METRO will also participate in formulating the questions to be included on the on-board survey in order to include inquiries addressing Limited English Proficiency and Title VI issues through survey questions to be discussed with SCCRTC.
- SCCRTC has prepared a Memorandum of Understanding (Attachment A) for Santa Cruz METRO's General Manager to sign in regard to this sub-award on this Caltrans Planning grant. Staff recommends that the Board of Directors consider authorizing the General Manager to sign this agreement.

III. DISCUSSION

On July 26, 2011, the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (SCCRTC) received a FY12 Caltrans Small Urban or Rural Planning Grant in the amount of \$49,909 to fund an

on-board ridership study to inform AMBAG's Regional Travel Demand Model. AMBAG has an internal deadline for the compilation of data for the model of August 2012. As a result, SCCRTC has a very tight schedule on this grant and planning has already begun, with major activities (developing and issuing a Request for Proposals for a study consultant) scheduled for early January 2012. Santa Cruz METRO staff will be participating mostly in these activities. The majority of the study will be carried out by the selected consultant firm.

In addition to gathering data for AMBAG's model and other purposes at SCCRTC, this process will inform the state-wide Sustainable Communities Strategies' development as required by greenhouse-gas-reducing legislation AB32 and SB375. Santa Cruz METRO is involved in two other studies—one with the County of Santa Cruz, the other with AMBAG—which will also help meet the requirements of this legislation.

Santa Cruz METRO is a sub-awardee on this grant with SCCRTC, and will receive \$8,204 for participation in the preparation of the request for proposals and the evaluation and selection of the study consultant. The main personnel involved are the Finance Manager/Acting Assistant General Manager (Project Manager); Transit Planner and Grants Administrator. Santa Cruz METRO is also contributing an in-kind labor match worth \$1,740 to augment the grant budget, as required by Caltrans.

Santa Cruz METRO will participate in formulating the questions to be included on the on-board survey in order to include inquiries addressing Limited English Proficiency and Title VI issues through survey questions to be discussed with SCCRTC. This is as a result of Santa Cruz METRO's Title VI review earlier this year, with the intent of gathering the information required to assess the linguistic composition of the local populace and address any unmet needs, if any emerge.

SCCRTC has prepared a Memorandum of Understanding (Attachment A) for Santa Cruz METRO's General Manager to sign in regard to this sub-award on this Caltrans Planning grant and staff recommends that the Board of Directors consider authorizing the General Manager to the sign this agreement.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Once the Memorandum of Understanding is executed, Santa Cruz METRO will be a sub-awardee on the above-mentioned FY12 Small Urban or Rural Transit Study grant in the amount of \$8,204 with an in-kind (non-cash) labor match of \$1,740.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A:

Memorandum of Understanding Between the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District and the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission Regarding Planning, and Implementation of the On-Board Transit Ridership Study

Prepared by: Tove Beatty, Grants/Legislative Analyst

Prepared on: December 8, 2011

ATTACHMENT A

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT AND

THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION REGARDING, PLANNING, AND IMPLEMENTATION of the ON-BOARD TRANSIT RIDERSHIP STUDY

WHEREAS, the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District (Santa Cruz METRO) and the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission (SCCRTC) have a cooperative working relationship for planning and implementation of an On-Board Transit Ridership Survey;

WHEREAS, METRO and SCCRTC received a Rural or Small Urban Transit Planning Studies Grant in the amount of \$49,705 from the California Department of Transportation planning and implementation of an On-Board Transit Ridership Survey;

WHEREAS, the On-Board Transit Ridership Survey is needed to enhance the transit function of the Regional Travel Demand Model and transit planning efforts for Santa Cruz County; and,

WHEREAS, the Santa Cruz METRO has determined that it is cost-effective to combine a Limited English Proficiency Survey with the On-Board Transit Ridership Survey;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree as follows:

- 1. SCCRTC and Santa Cruz METRO agree to collectively manage the On-Board Transit Ridership Survey, herein referred to as "Project". Project activities include the following, but are not limited to: agency coordination, conducting background research to prepare a comprehensive scope of work, identifying data collection methods, developing a Request for Proposals and Scope of Work for the On-Board Transit Study, presenting the Final On-Board Transit Ridership Study Report and mapping and sharing data with partner agencies.
- 2. This Memorandum of Understanding is effective on November 1, 2011 and shall remain in force until August 31, 2012, unless extended by mutual consent of both parties in a written agreement. Either party hereto may terminate this Memorandum of Understanding at any time by giving 90 days written notice to the other party.
- 3. Santa Cruz METRO and SCCRTC will select a consulting firm to conduct the On-Board Transit Ridership Survey at a cost of up to \$21,540. Activities within the consultant's Scope of Work include, but are not limited to the following: evaluate data collection methods, review historical transit ridership data, develop data collection plan, schedule and implementation data collection, and produce draft and final report. Selection of the consultant shall be through full, open competition and in accordance with applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
- 4. The remaining grant funds of \$28,165 will be distributed amongst the agencies as follows: \$19,961 allocated to SCCRTC and \$8,204 to Santa Cruz METRO for project activities. Based on the distribution of work tasks, SCCRTC will provide \$4,743 and Santa Cruz METRO \$1,740 in local in-kind match required by the California Department of Transportation.
- 5. If mutually agreed, SCCRTC and Santa Cruz METRO will include a Limited English Proficiency survey in the On Board Transit Ridership Study Scope of Work. Any additional cost to complete the work required to integrate the Limited English Proficiency (LEP) survey questions into the Project will be the responsibility of Santa Cruz METRO.

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- 6. SCCRTC will be the lead project implementing agency. The SCCRTC shall act as a liaison between project consultant, partner agencies, and California Department of Transportation. Additionally, SCCRTC will be responsible for managing the contractual and administrative aspects of agreements with the project consultant and California Department of Transportation.
- 7. SCCRTC shall pay consultant for performance of the scope of work that will be developed in partnership with Santa Cruz METRO upon satisfactory completion. Santa Cruz METRO will be a key partner in approving any work products. Additionally, SCCRTC shall ensure that consultant and its subconsultants, if any, carry out tasks listed in the scope of work.
- 8. Santa Cruz METRO shall submit invoices to the SCCRTC on a quarterly basis. The first quarter invoice shall cover all allowable costs incurred prior to December 31, 2011. Subsequent invoices shall cover work completed on a quarterly basis beginning January 1, 2012. Santa Cruz METRO invoices submitted to SCCRTC shall identify the task completed, consistent with the tasks identified in the Caltrans funding agreement, the total cost per task, and the total staff hours worked for each task. SCCRTC shall remit payments to METRO within 30 days after receipt of payment from California Department of Transportation for project development activities or 30 days after the receipt of Santa Cruz METRO's invoice, whichever is later.
- 9. If applicable, SCCRTC will invoice Santa Cruz METRO for all costs associated with integrating the LED survey questions into the Project during the quarter in which the work is completed.
- 10. The SCCRTC will be responsible for preparing and submitting the required quarterly project progress reports, as well as the project's final report and close-out form to California Department of Transportation.
- 11. This Memorandum constitutes the entire agreement and understanding between SCCRTC and Santa Cruz METRO, and supersedes any prior or contemporaneous agreement, or understandings, if any. Any changes or modifications shall be accomplished by a written amendment to this Agreement executed by the duly authorized representatives of the parties.
- 12. In the event of a dispute arising out of the performance of this Memorandum, both of the parties may send a written notice of dispute to the other party. Within seven working days of receipt of such notice, the notified party shall respond and agree to a meeting for the purpose of negotiating a settlement or procedure for settlement of the dispute.
- 13. SCCRTC and Santa Cruz METRO shall defend, indemnify and hold each other and their respective officers, employees, and agents harmless from and against any and all liability, loss, expense, including reasonable attorney's fees, or claims for injury or damages arising out of the performance of this Memorandum of Understanding, but only in proportion to and to the extent such liability, loss, expense, attorney's fees, or claims for injury or damages are caused by or result from the negligent acts or omissions or willful misconduct of their respective officers, agents, or employees.
- 14. Each party to this Memorandum shall maintain books, accounts, records and data related to this Memorandum in accordance with federal and/or state requirements and shall maintain those books, accounts, records and data for three (3) years after termination of this Memorandum. For the duration of this Memorandum, and for a period of three (3) years thereafter, either party's representatives and representatives of the California Department of Transportation, the Auditor General of the State of California shall have the right to examine these books, accounts, records, data and other information

relevant to this Memorandum for the purpose of auditing and verifying statements, invoices, bills and revenues pursuant to this Memorandum.

Any notice to be given to the parties hereunder shall be addressed as follows (until notice of a different address is given to the parties):

 a. Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit Disctrict Leslie White General Manager 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

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 Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission George Dondero Executive Director 1523 Pacific Avenue Santa Cruz, CA 95060

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have executed this Memorandum of Understanding as set forth below:

Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission	
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George Dondero	Daté '
Executive Director	
Approved as to Form	11/8/11 Data
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Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District	
Leslie White	Date
General Manager	
Approved as to Form	
Margaret Gallagher	Date
Santa Cruz METRO Legal Counsel	

ATTACHMENT A

RESOLUTION NO. 20-11

Adopted by the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission on the date of March 3, 2011

on the motion of Commissioner
duly seconded by Commissioner

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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO SUBMIT TWO
FY 11-12 CALTRANS PLANNING FUNDING REQUESTS FOR A TRANSIT PLANNING STUDENT
INTERNSHIP AND A TRANSIT PLANNING STUDIES GRANT

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION:

- 1. The Regional Transportation Commission hereby authorizes the Executive Director to:
 - a. Submit a grant application not to exceed \$20,000 to the FY 2011-12 Caltrans
 Planning Grant Program for a Transit Planning Intern for the purpose of
 supporting data collection and analysis for the 2012 Regional Transportation Plan
 (RTP) update;
 - b. Submit a grant application not to exceed \$50,000 to the FY 2011-12 Caltrans Transit Planning Studies Grant Program for the purpose of collecting transit ridership data to support the transit function of the Regional Travel Demand Model (RTDM) and transit planning within the RTP; and
 - c. Enter into the necessary agreement with Caltrans for the acceptance and use of the Planning Grant funds in the event that the above described applications are successful.

AYES:

COMMISSIONERS

Caput, Coonerty, Hagen, Johnson, Lane, Leopold,

Montesino, Musitelli, Nicol, Robinson, Stone

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SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Thomas Hiltner, Grants/Legislative Analyst

SUBJECT: CONSIDER ADOPTING A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE

GENERAL MANAGER TO REQUEST A LETTER OF NO PREJUDICE (LONP) FROM CALTRANS, SUBMIT AN

ALLOCATION REQUEST FOR THE BALANCE OF PTMISEA FUNDS AND SIGN NECESSARY AGREEMENTS IN ORDER TO BEGIN CONSTRUCTION OF THE METROBASE OPERATIONS

FACILITY.

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Adopt a Resolution authorizing the General Manager to request a Letter of No Prejudice (LONP) from Caltrans, submit an allocation request and sign necessary agreements to begin construction of the MetroBase Operations Facility using available federal, state and local funds.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Proposition 1B of 2006 created the Public Transportation Modernization and Service Enhancement Account (PTMISEA) and authorized \$3.6 Billion from the sale of California Bonds to build new public transit infrastructure.
- The State Controller's Office estimated that PTMISEA allocations to Santa Cruz METRO would total \$26.2 Million, which Santa Cruz METRO designated for the MetroBase project.
- To date, Caltrans has disbursed \$9,376,352 of the \$26,262,377 in estimated allocations to Santa Cruz METRO.
- Santa Cruz METRO has completed a new Bus Fuel and Wash Facility, a new Maintenance Facility and a new Administration Facility using Federal, State and local funds. A new Operations Facility is the final component needed to complete MetroBase.
- Due to the unpredictable allocations and disbursement of PTMISEA funds, Santa Cruz METRO has not had sufficient funding to construct a new Operations Facility.
- Santa Cruz METRO needs the remainder of PTMISEA funds not yet allocated to fully fund the estimated \$18 million cost of the Operations Building but cannot incur contractual obligations against these unallocated PTMISEA funds without a Letter of No Prejudice (LONP) from Caltrans.

- An LONP will authorize Santa Cruz METRO to commit its local reserves and other revenue to fully fund construction of the Operations Facility with repayment of expended local reserves from future PTMISEA allocations.
- With a combination of local cash reserves, an anticipated early 2012 disbursement of \$11,010,047 from the FY11 PTMISEA allocation and currently available federal grant funds, Santa Cruz METRO can sustain the cash flow needed to build the Operations Facility now.
- Staff recommends that the Board of Directors adopt the attached resolution authorizing the General Manager to request an LONP from Caltrans, submit an allocation request for all remaining PTMISEA funds and sign necessary agreements to initiate construction of the Operations Facility.

III. DISCUSSION

The Highway Safety, Traffic Reduction, Air Quality and Port Security Bond Act, approved as Proposition 1B in 2006, created the Public Transportation Modernization, Improvement and Service Enhancement Account (PTMISEA) to be funded with \$3.6 billion in revenue from the sale of California State Bonds. As the name implies, the intention of Proposition 1B was to upgrade California's aging public infrastructure; now, it is also seen as a means to create jobs and stimulate the economy. Caltrans administers the PTMISEA program.

PTMISEA funds are allocated by the same formula as State Transit Assistance funds, and the State Controller's Office estimated Santa Cruz METRO's share of PTMISEA funds at \$26.3 million over the life of Proposition 1B. Santa Cruz METRO designated the entire allocation of PTMISEA funds for MetroBase projects. To date, Santa Cruz METRO has built the Bus Fuel and Wash Facility, the Maintenance Building and completed a building renovation for Administration at 110 Vernon Street. Replacing the River Street Operations Facility is the final project needed to complete MetroBase.

Unpredictable disbursement of PTMISEA funds and State Transportation Improvement Program funds before that complicated MetroBase implementation. The original 2005 comprehensive MetroBase plan had to be fragmented into smaller projects limited by the funds available, which required multiple contracts at higher cost than initially programmed. The replacement MetroBase Operations Facility will be the largest and most expensive component of MetroBase, and PTMISEA funds account for 93% of the revenue programmed for this project.

The current Operations Facility at 1200 River Street has long been inadequate and substandard for Santa Cruz METRO's service needs. The aging facility requires ongoing, excessive maintenance to keep it functioning, even though it is too small for the existing operation. Replacing the Operations Facility is now an urgent necessity, and Santa Cruz METRO desires to initiate construction as soon as possible to take advantage of the full 2012 construction season.

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Santa Cruz METRO will need the entire amount of PTMISEA funds to build the new, \$18 million Operations Facility. Caltrans anticipates disbursing the approved FY11 PTMISEA allocation of \$11,010,047 to Santa Cruz METRO in early 2012. The remaining, unallocated \$5,875,978 PTMISEA balance is also required to fully fund construction; however, PTMISEA guidelines prohibit contractual obligations against funds which have not yet been allocated. In order to initiate construction now using a combination of available Federal, State and local reserves, Santa Cruz METRO needs a Letter of No Prejudice (LONP) from Caltrans. The LONP will authorize future allocation(s) of PTMISEA funds to reimburse any expended local reserves.

Adopting the attached Resolution will authorize the General Manager to request an LONP, submit an allocation request for the remaining \$5.8 million in PTMISEA funds and sign necessary agreements with Caltrans in order to begin building the MetroBase Operations Facility.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Santa Cruz METRO must commit approximately \$5.8 million of its local capital reserves to contract construction of the new Operations Facility. Together with \$1.1 million in FTA revenue and the anticipated \$11 million disbursement of PTMISEA funds in early 2012, Santa Cruz METRO can fully fund the construction contract. Unallocated PTMISEA funds from FY12 and beyond will repay any spending from Santa Cruz METRO's local reserves.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A:

Resolution authorizing the General Manager to request a Letter of No Prejudice (LONP) from Caltrans, submit an allocation request and sign necessary agreements in order to begin construction of the MetroBase Operations Building using federal and local funds.

Attachment A

BEFORE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

Resolution No.	
On the Motion of Director:	
Duly Seconded by Director:	
The Following Resolution is Add	opted:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO REQUEST A LETTER OF NO PREJUDICE (LONP) FROM CALTRANS, SUBMIT AN ALLOCATION REQUEST AND SIGN AGREEMENTS NECESSARY TO PROCEED WITH CONSTRUCTION OF THE METROBASE OPERATIONS BUILDING.

WHEREAS Proposition 1B of 2006 authorized the creation of the Public Transportation Modernization, Improvement and Service Enhancement Account to be funded with \$3.6 billion in revenue from California bond sales; and

WHEREAS the State Controller's Office estimated that Santa Cruz METRO would receive \$26.3 million in PTMISEA funds over the life of the program; and

WHEREAS Santa Cruz METRO designated all of its estimated PTMISEA revenue to fund construction of the critically needed MetroBase consolidated operating facility which includes a new Operations Building; and

WHEREAS the current River Street Operations Facility is inadequate, substandard and beyond repair, and the new MetroBase Operations Building which will replace it at an estimated cost of approximately \$18.0 million is the largest, most costly and final component needed to complete MetroBase; and

WHEREAS Santa Cruz METRO out of necessity desires to initiate construction of the Operations Building in March 2012; and

WHEREAS PTMISEA disbursements have been inconsistent and unpredictable due to a weakened economy, and Santa Cruz METRO has expended all of the PTMISEA revenue received to date for construction of MetroBase exclusive of the Operations building; and

WHEREAS Santa Cruz METRO anticipates receiving \$11,010,047 in early 2012 from the FY11 PTMISEA appropriation and anticipates receiving a final appropriation of \$5,875,978 in PTMISEA funds at an unknown future date; and

WHEREAS the PTMISEA will not fund contractual obligations incurred prior to the date of appropriation; and

Attachment A

Page 2 WHEREAS a Letter Of No Prejudice (LONP) from Caltrans will authorize Sant Cruz METRO to incur contractual obligations against future years' PTMISEA appropriations by using its local capital reserves with repayment of the local capital
reserves from the future PTMISEA disbursements; and
WHEREAS Santa Cruz METRO has adequate federal funds, capital reserves and a current PTMISEA appropriation of \$11,010,047 to fully fund construction of the Operations Building;
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the General Manager of Sant Cruz METRO is authorized to request an LONP from Caltrans, submit an allocation request for \$5,875,978 in remaining PTMISEA funds and to sign necessary agreements in order to proceed with construction of the MetroBase Operations Building prior to the future appropriation of PTMISEA funds to Santa Cruz METRO.
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 16 th Day of December, 2011 by the following vote:
AYES: Directors -
NOES: Directors -
ABSTAIN: Directors -
ABSENT: Directors -
APPROVED ELLEN PIRIE Board Chair
ATTEST
LESLIE R. WHITE General Manager
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
MARGARET GALLAGHER District Counsel

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Angela Aitken, Finance Manager & Acting Assistant General Manager

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF DECLARING TWO (2) CHEVROLET

VENTURES AS EXCESS FOR PURPOSES OF DISPOSAL OR AUCTION

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors declare two (2) Chevrolet Ventures as excess for purposes of disposal or auction and direct staff to use appropriate action for disposal.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- In accordance with Santa Cruz METRO's policy on disposal of fixed assets and inventoriable items, at least once per year the Finance Manager shall recommend to the Board of Directors a list of items to be declared excess with appropriate action for disposal.
- Two (2) Chevrolet Ventures are no longer required by Santa Cruz METRO.
- Staff recommends that the Board of Directors declare the above items as excess and direct staff to use appropriate action for disposal.

III. DISCUSSION

In accordance with Santa Cruz METRO's policy on disposal of fixed assets and inventoriable items, at least once per year the Finance Manager shall recommend to the Board of Directors a list of items to be declared excess with appropriate action for disposal.

Two (2) Chevrolet Ventures are no longer required by Santa Cruz METRO.

Staff recommends that the Board of Directors declare the items on **Attachment A** as excess and direct staff to use appropriate action for disposal.

The current market value of these items is \$500 each and they are in poor condition.

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IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

None of these items have any remaining book value. Any revenue generated from the sale of these items will be recorded as income in the current operating budget.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Excess Vehicle Listing – Disposal or Auction as of December 16, 2011.

Attachment A

	SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT EXCESS ASSET LISTING AS OF 12/16/11							
EXCESS ASSET LISTING AS OF 12/10/11								
Vehicle #	Manufacturer	LTD Miles	Voor	VIN	Licence #	Model	Residual Value	Condition
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104	CHEVROLET	N/A	2001	1GNDX03E71D157031	E-1060819	VENTURE	\$500.00	Poor
108	CHEVROLET	N/A	2001	1GNDX03E31D162095	F-1060821	VENTURE	\$500.00	Poor

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

STAFF REPORT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF OWNED AND LEASED PROPERTY

INVENTORIES TO DETERMINE IF THERE IS ANY PROPERTY IN EXCESS OF SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT'S

FORESEEABLE NEEDS

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Accept and File Santa Cruz METRO's Property Inventories of Leased and Owned Property for 2011, which includes a Determination that METRO does not Own, Lease or Control any Property which is in Excess of its Foreseeable Needs.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District is required on an annual basis to prepare an inventory of properties it holds, owns and controls to determine if any properties are in excess of its foreseeable needs.
- All properties currently leased by Santa Cruz METRO are being used in transit operation for bus maintenance, bus parking, administration and/or facilities maintenance activities.
- All properties currently leased, owned or controlled by Santa Cruz METRO are in transit uses and none of these properties are in excess of METRO's foreseeable needs.

III. DISCUSSION

Government Code Section 50569 requires that on or before December 31st of each year, Santa Cruz METRO, a local public agency, make an inventory of all lands held, owned or controlled by it or any of its departments, agencies or authorities to determine what land, including air rights, if any, are in excess of its foreseeable needs. According to the statute, a description of each parcel found to be in excess of its needs should be made a matter of public record.

An inventory of all the properties owned by Santa Cruz Metro, prepared by the Legal Department and reviewed by the Finance Department is set forth in Attachment A. There have been no changes in this list during the calendar year of 2011, except for the purchase of the property located at 425 Front Street, which closed escrow on December 29, 2010. This property has been transferred from the List of Properties Leased by METRO from the 2010 inventory to the SCMTD DEEDS (List of Properties Owned by METRO) which is attached as Attachment A.

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METRO will contact the County to combine the first three properties (APNs 005-152-05, 005-152-31 and 005-152-30) into one APN, now that the Greyhound property is owned by METRO and will be used to renovate and enlarge Pacific Station. Also, APNs 008-013-07 and 008-013-08 will be combined and included into the current APN 008-013-09 to encompass the entire site for the Fleet Maintenance Facility, once construction is completed on that project. In this way, each separate property site for each facility will have its own APN, rather than several APNs for each facility. The properties purchased by METRO for the MetroBase Project were each individual parcels with separate APNs at the time of sale. However, as the MetroBase Project continues and facilities are completed, each facility will have one APN, combining several parcels (APNs) into one APN for a more concise property list and in order to better organize METRO's properties.

An inventory of properties that Santa Cruz METRO leases from others is set forth in Attachment B. All of the leased property is currently being used for transit operation and related support functions. Since last year, the only change in the inventory list of leased properties during the calendar year of 2011 is the termination of the 111 Dubois lease on December 31, 2010. This property is no longer needed because of the construction of the Maintenance Building.

According to the applicable statute, any citizen, limited dividend corporation, housing corporation or nonprofit corporation, shall upon request, be provided with a list of the parcels found to be in excess without charge. Because METRO uses all of its leased and owned property in transit or transit related purposes, no list of excess properties was prepared for adoption.

The Federal Transit Administration Circular 5010.1C requires METRO to prepare and keep up to date an excess property utilization plan for all property that is no longer needed to carry out the original intended purpose including an explanation for the excess property. METRO is also required to notify FTA when property is removed from the service originally intended at grant approval and put to additional or substitute uses. At this time, METRO has no excess property and, therefore, will not be preparing an excess property utilization plan.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

None

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: SCMTD Deeds (List of Properties Owned by METRO)

Attachment B: Properties Leased by Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District

Attachment A SCMTD DEEDS

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	PARCEL	DATE OF ACQUISITION			
APN NO.	LOCATION	BY SCMTD	ACQUIRED FROM	DESCRIPTION	STATUS OF USE
005-152-05	Santa Cruz, CA 912 Pacific Ave. Santa Cruz	08/91/20	Peerless Stages, Inc.	Pacific Station Multi-Modal Facility	Active transit center
005-152-31	Santa Cruz, CA 920 Pacific Avenue Santa Cruz	09/22/80	Reward Enterprises	Pacific Station Multi-Modal Facility	Active transit center
005-152-30	Santa Cruz, CA 425 Front Street Santa Cruz	12/29/10	Transportation Realty Income Partners, L.P., a Delaware Limited Partnership and Greyhound Lines, Inc., a Delaware Corporation	Paved Parking lot adjacent to Pacific Station	Recent Greyhound Bus Depot; Currently being used for overflow parking of METRO's buses and vehicles; Possible Future Site of renovated and enlarged Pacific Station
008-011-14	Santa Cruz, CA 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz	08/01/07	Mindi Broughton and Paul Broughton, Broughton Land LLC, A California Limited Liability company	MetroBase Project	Current General Administration offices, IT offices and Facilities Maintenance department and storage
008-013-07	Santa Cruz, CA 1217 River Street, Santa Cruz	2/29/08	R. Dennis Stewart and Martha A. Stewart, Trustees of the R. Dennis Stewart and Martha A. Stewart Family Trust	MetroBase Project	Previously four empty residential units purchased for the MetroBase project; Currently two remaining houses that will be used for outside contractors' offices during the building phase of the new Operations Building; Future site of a METRO Maintenance Facility that adjoins to the current facility.

Attachment A SCMTD DEEDS

Previously an empty residential unit purchased for the MetroBase project; Currently a paved parking lot being utilized for METRO owned vehicles.	Active Maintenance Shop; Active Maintenance Facility being retrofitted for CNG repairs; Current Fleet Maintenance administration offices	on (A) Active Operations dept. and offices; Bus Parking when vehicles are not being used. (B) Current site of MetroBase Fueling Facility and Bus Wash Facility	p Active bus stop with shelter	Active Transit Center	Active transit center
MetroBase Project	MetroBase Project Minor Maintenance Shop Location	Operations Dept. Location MetroBase Project (A) MetroBase Project (B)	17 th & Tremont Bus Stop Donation Live Oak Location	Bart Cavallaro Transit Center Park and Ride Lot Multi-Modal Facility	Watsonville Transit Center Multi-Modal Facility
Jan Van Boeschoten, as Trustee of the Jan Van Boeschoten Trust dated October 23, 2006	 The Estate of Yvonne A. Humphrey; Brent J. Bouchard, executor Cecil E. and Minnie M. Woolsey 3. Sally Anne Smith 	Warren R. French (A) Mabel L. French (A) The 2004 Jeannine M. Gibson, Family Trust, Jeannine Marie Gibson, Trustee (B)	No. Calif. VOE Elderly Housing, Inc.	Church of Latter-Day Saints 13.87% ownership by Scotts Valley Redevelop. Agency	Crocker National Bank
1/31/08	1. 6/24/05 2. 05/19/71 3. 07/7/71	06/15/77 - A 06/25/05 - B	68/2/60	011/15/96	05/9/86
Santa Cruz, CA 1211 River Street, Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz, CA 120 Golf Club Dr. 138 Golf Club Dr. Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz, CA 1200- A River St. 1200- B River St. Santa Cruz	Santa Cruz, CA 17 th Ave./Tremont Santa Cruz	Scotts Valley, CA 425 King's Village Bart Cavallaro Transit Center	Borders West Lake Ave. & Rodriguez St., Watsonville, CA -Watsonville Transit Center
008-013-08	008-013-09 previously 008-013-04 008-013-05 008-013-06	008-032-05 A- formerly 008-032-06	Bus Stop #2551. No APN listed	022-211-91	017-011-54

Attachment A SCMTD DEEDS

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017-011-57	Watsonville, CA	10/06/88	Allan Louis Alexander	Transit-Oriented Mixed	99-year lease with City of
and	Watsonville		Ann Alexander Rando	Use Facility which	Watsonville for \$1.00 per year.
017-011-58	Transit Center		John M. Batistich	includes a Child Care	
(formerly 51			Joan M. Batistich	Center	
& 52)			Janet F. Ryan		
086-102-14	Boulder Creek, CA	04/7/05	Santa Cruz County/The	Easement at China Grade	Bus Turnaround
	17835 China Grade		Henry F. Plummer	& Hwy 236	
	Boulder Creek		Trust, Henry F.		
			Plummer, Trustee		
No APN#	Intersection of	3/29/88	State of California,	Director's Deed #DD-	Active Park and Ride Lot
listed	Soquel Ave.,		Dept. of Transportation	47160-1 for 1.312 acres	
	Soquel Dr. and			and .037 of an acre for	
	Highway 1			Soquel Park & Ride Lot	
	Soquel				

Attachment B PROPERTIES LEASED BY SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

PROPERTY ADDRESS/ LESSOR	TERM/ NOTICE/ BOARD ACTION	CURRENT MONTHLY LEASE AMT.	USE OF PROPERTY
115 Dubois	02/01/05-Beginning	\$3,470.85/mo	Bus and vehicle
	12/31/10 – Ending	\$41,650.20/yr	parking
IULIANO 1977	01/01/11 –Lease begins		
TRUST	12/31/13 – Lease ends		
2880 Research Park	09/01/04-Beginning	\$12,474.97/mo	ParaCruz Operations
Drive, Soquel, CA	08/31/09-Ending	\$149,699.64/yr	Facility
	09/01/09- Ext. begins		
Soquel III Associates	08/31/14- Ext. ends		
1200 River Street	10/01/04- Beginning	\$1.00/Annually	Future MetroBase
(small portion)	09/30/44- Ending	*100% of taxes	facility
		and assessments	
City of Santa Cruz			

Grant of Easement and Agreement

Capitola Mall	Perpetual	\$1,710.38/mo	Active Transit Center
		\$20,524.56/yr.	
Macerich Partnership,			
LP			

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Leslie R. White, General Manager

SUBJECT: ACCEPT AND FILE VOTING RESULTS FROM APPOINTEES TO THE

SANTA CRUZ COUNTY REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

FOR PREVIOUS MEETINGS

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors accept and file the voting results from appointees to the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Per the action taken by the Board of Directors, staff is providing the minutes from the most recent meetings of the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission.
- Each month staff will provide the minutes from the previous month's SCCRTC meetings.

III. DISCUSSION

The Board requested that staff include in the Board Packet information relating to the voting results from the appointees to the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission. Staff is enclosing the minutes from these meetings as a mechanism of complying with this request.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

There is no cost impact from this action.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Minutes of the October 2011 Regular SCCRTC Meeting

Attachment B: Minutes of the November 2011 Regular SCCRTC Meeting

Prepared by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator.

Date Prepared: December 5, 2011

Attachment A



Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission

MINUTES

Thursday October 6, 2011 9:00 a.m.

Board of Supervisors Chambers 701 Ocean St Santa Cruz CA 95060

Roll call

The meeting was called to order at 9:03 am.

Members present:

Dene Bustichi
Martin Garcia (Alt)
Neal Coonerty
Eduardo Montesino
Donald Hagen
Aileen Loe (ex officio)

John Leopold
Kirby Nicol
Ellen Pirie
Lynn Robinson
Donna Ziel (Alt)

Randy Johnson

Member absent:

Staff present:

George Dondero
Gini Pineda
Karena Pushnik
Kim Shultz

Luis Mendez
Yesenia Parra
Rachel Moriconi
Ginger Dykaar

2. Oral communications

Jack Nelson said that although it has been alleged that environmentalists are not attuned to the needs of working people, he thinks it is pragmatic to address climate change since millions of people will be affected by its impacts. He referred to a book titled <u>Flooded Earth</u> which focuses on sea level rise and the resulting storm surge.

3. Additions or deletions to consent and regular agendas

Chair Nicol communicated that a replacement page for Item 10 and handout for Item 19 were distributed to the Commissioners.

CONSENT AGENDA

(Pirie/Hagen unanimous)

MINUTES

- 4. Approved draft minutes of the special September 15, 2011 SCCRTC meeting
- Accepted draft minutes of the September 8, 2011 Budget & Administration / Personnel Committee meeting
- 6. Accepted draft minutes of the September 22, 2011 Interagency Technical Advisory Committee (ITAC) meeting

POLICY ITEMS

7. Approved the Central Coast Coalition (CCC) membership MOU

PROJECTS and PLANNING ITEMS

8. Accepted social media use policy follow up

BUDGET AND EXPENDITURES ITEMS

- 9. Accepted status report on Transportation Development Act (TDA) revenues
- 10. Accepted FY 10-11 annual internal financial statements (enclosed separately for Commissioners)

ADMINISTRATION ITEMS

11. Approved the Regional Transportation Commission meeting schedule for 2012

INFORMATION/OTHER ITEMS

- 12. Accepted monthly meeting schedule
- 13. Accepted correspondence log
- 14. Accepted letters from SCCRTC committees and staff to other agencies none
- 15. Accepted miscellaneous written comments from the public on SCCRTC projects and transportation issues

16. Accepted information items

a. Article by Gary Richards from *Mercury News.com* dated 9/21/11 titled "Raising the gas tax to fix potholes has supporters"

REGULAR AGENDA

17. Commissioner reports-oral reports

Commissioner Leopold said that the Bike to Work site he stopped by was well attended in spite of the rain.

Commission Alternate Garcia thanked Caltrans for the work being done on Highway 152 at College and Hollihan Roads in Watsonville.

18. State legislative update

Assemblymember Luis Alejo, whose district includes the City of Watsonville, reported on his activity in the legislature. Mr. Alejo noted the bill he coauthored to help streamline the permitting process. He said he was glad that the rail line project is moving forward; that he toured the SCMTD and understands the need for proceeding with bond measures; that he supported the gas tax swap; and is looking to see if a smaller regional Caltrans office could help move transportation projects forward more quickly.

Several Commissioners thanked him for his support for the rail line acquisition and for his interest in Santa Cruz Metro.

Commissioner Leopold praised his leadership and commitment in taking a stance to defend redevelopment agencies. He asked him to advocate on the RTC's behalf with the California Transportation Commission to allow using State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) funds for local road repair in the face of the flood damage incurred last winter and FEMA's refusal to provide funding. He also asked him to comment on using social media.

Assemblymember Alejo said that social media plays a key part in his efforts to keep his constituents informed.

19. Director's report – oral report

Executive Director Dondero announced the retirement of Administrative Assistant III Gini Pineda and thanked her for her contributions to the RTC. Ms. Pineda praised the RTC staff and said that her 9 ½ years with the agency have been a wonderful experience.

Mr. Dondero said that representatives of the RTC's Budget & Administration/Personnel Committee will attend a meeting today with the Executive Committees of AMBAG, TAMC and San Benito Council of

Governments to discuss the future of AMBAG. He reported that there has been no response from the Surface Transportation Board to approve changes in ownership of the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line. Mr. Dondero said that the Pedestrian Safety Workgroup is midway through a highly successful outreach campaign highlighting sidewalk maintenance and the importance of safe, accessible sidewalks. Director Dondero announced a presentation on October 12th at the Monterey Bay Chapter of the American Public Works Association on how planning for Complete Streets could be integrated into the regional transportation planning process. In addition, he announced that the date for the "Designing for Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety" workshop was moved to December 6th and will be held at the Ecology Action offices from 8:30am to 4:30 pm.

20. Welcome Captain Matt Olson - new Commander for California Highway Patrol in Santa Cruz County

Executive Director George Dondero introduced CHP Commander Matt Olson and welcomed him to the Santa Cruz County area.

Commander Olsen thanked the Commission for the continued funding for extra enforcement on Highway 17 and for the FSP program. He also said that the callbox program is still very important, even in the age of cell phones and said that he is impressed with the improvements the Safe on 17 program has brought to Highway 17.

21. Caltrans report and consider action items

Aileen Loe, Caltrans District 5, said that the California Transportation Commission will visit Caltrans during its meeting in Santa Barbara. She said that the Highway 101 improvement project through Prunedale is extensive and thanked everyone for their patience with the detours and inconvenience. She added that Highway 101 will remain open throughout the entirety of the project.

22. Highway 1 Soquel/Morrissey Auxiliary Lanes Project – authorization to advertise for bids

Executive Director George Dondero introduced Bruce Shewchuk, Parsons Brinckerhoff, the construction management consultant for the Highway 1 Soquel/Morrissey Auxiliary Lanes project.

Senior Planner Kim Shultz said that it is time critical to solicit bids for the construction contract for the project due to environmental constraints and the schedules of nearby schools. He said that landscaping will be done as part of the construction project and that open graded asphalt will be used. Mr. Shultz said that plans are proceeding for public outreach efforts which will include direct leafleting to those directly impacted and continuing to work closely with Santa Cruz City schools. Construction is scheduled to begin in early 2012.

Commissioners discussed the open grade asphalt, frequency of updates from the consultant and lane closures. It was noted that even though the RTC is the lead agency for the project, Highway 1 is a state highway project and Caltrans must approve all plans.

Jack Nelson said that the fact sheet on page 22-7 is viewed by him as a "fantasy sheet" as it suggests a reduction of congestion and assumes no induced traffic.

Commissioner Pirie moved and Commissioner Montesino seconded to approve the staff recommendations that the Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) approve a resolution authorizing the Executive Director to:

- Publicly advertise the call for bids for the Highway 1 Soquel/Morrissey Auxiliary Lanes project in accordance with the provisions of the Public Contract Code; and,
- 2. Approve changes and issue addenda to the bidding documents during the advertising period, if needed; and,
- 3. Publicly open all bids received in accordance with state and federal requirements and direct staff to return in December with a recommendation for the award of contract.

The motion (Resolution 05-12) passed unanimously.

23. 2012 Regional Transportation Improvement Program (RTIP) development

Executive Director George Dondero reviewed reasons why it is recommended to take a tiered approach to the Highway 1 HOV Widening project saying it will keep the project moving forward since it allows for a "pay as you go" process. It will also allow the RTC to move forward with environmental work and positions the RTC well for future funding opportunities. He said that STIP funds can possibly be used for roads but must be approved by CTC and their position is to first fund state highways.

Commissioners discussed the Chanticleer overcrossing, whether the RTC received a written notice to return any funds already spent on the environmental document, and when the timeline requested at the September 15th meeting will be available for the Commission.

Aileen Loe said that there is a lack of stable funding sources at the local, state and federal levels and that the best course is to proceed and preserve the investment already made. She said that the RTC needs to be in a position to be able to receive funding that is now unforeseen, that assumptions have changed and that the RTC must be able to adapt.

Commissioner Coonerty suggested changing language in the staff recommendation to be more specific and consistent with language on page 23-3 of the staff report.

Commissioners discussed funding recommended for the rail project. It was noted that the CTC will either approve or deny the entire RTIP.

Commissioner Pire moved and Commissioner Montesino seconded to approve the staff recommendations that the Regional Transportation Commission (RTC):

- 1. Provide direction to staff on development of the 2012 Regional Transportation Improvement Program (RTIP); and
- 2. Indicate its intent to program Regional Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds to regional projects that require funds for completion and reserve the remainder of the RSTP funds for future programming, following California Transportation Commission (CTC) actions on proposals for State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) funds.

Commissioners asked for clarity regarding the language used to describe programming the \$2.5 million of RSTP funds.

The motion was clarified to program \$1.3 million of RSTP funds to regional projects that require funding for completion such as the Highway 1 HOV lanes tiered environmental document, final design of the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line structures improvements, and matching funds for the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line structures improvements and to reserve the remaining \$1.2 million for local projects.

Commissioners discussed options for programming STIP funds, the HOV Lanes project timeline and the RTC's intent to seek voter approval of a \$10 vehicle registration fee.

The motion passed with Commissioners Bustichi voting "no" and Commissioner Hagen abstaining.

Commissioner Bustichi departed the meeting.

24. Rail line design consultant agreement

Deputy Director Luis Mendez reviewed the process that the evaluation committee used to select JL Patterson and Associates to proceed with engineering work for structures rehabilitation and other improvements on the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line. He said that the RTC is working to complete the engineering and design work by August 2012 in order to meet the California Transportation Commission (CTC) deadline for allocation of the \$5.35 million in construction funds.

Commissioners discussed typical costs for design and engineering work, the amount of work needed for the structures including seismic retrofit, permitting

costs, and the state requirements for selection of a contractor. It was noted that there will be some analysis where a cantilevered bike/pedestrian access would be adjacent to the trestles.

Commissioner Pirie moved and Commissioner Leopold seconded to approve the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line Engineering Services evaluation committee and staff recommendation that the Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission approve a resolution authorizing the Executive Director to negotiate and execute a consultant agreement with JL Patterson & Associates for engineering work for structures and other improvements to the Santa Cruz Branch Rail Line.

The motion (Resolution 06-12) passed with Commissioner Johnson voting "no".

Commissioner Johnson departed the meeting.

25. Amendments to the Fiscal Year (FY) 11-12 budget and work program

Deputy Director Luis Mendez p said that the proposed amended budget is balanced and that actual revenues are higher than the estimates. He added that the budget includes carry over funds and additional State Transit Assistance funding for the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District.

Commissioner Leopold moved and Commissioner Pirie seconded to approve the The Budget and Administration/Personnel (B&A/P) Committee and staff recommendations that the Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) approve:

- 1. A resolution amending the FY11-12 Budget and Work Program as proposed; and
- 2. Out-of-state travel for two RTC staff members to attend the Transportation Research Board (TRB) Conference in Washington DC.

The motion (Resolution 07-12) passed unanimously.

26. Review of items to be discussed in closed session

The Commission adjourned into closed session at 11:58 am.

CLOSED SESSION

27. Conference with legal counsel pursuant to Government Code 54956.9(c) to consider initiation of litigation for one potential case

OPEN SESSION

28. Report on closed session

The Commission reconvened into open session at 12:13 pm. There was nothing to report.

- 29. Adjourn to special meeting of the Service Authority for Freeway Emergencies
 - a. No agenda items this month
- 30. Next Meetings

The meeting adjourned at 12:14 pm.

The next Transportation Policy Workshop meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 20, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the SCCRTC Offices, 1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz, CA.

The next SCCRTC meeting is scheduled for Thursday, November 3, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Scotts Valley City Council Chambers, 1 Civic Center Drive, Scotts Valley, CA.

Respectfully submitted,

Gini Pineda, Staff

ATTENDEES

Jackie Patterson

JL Patterson and Associates

Jay Craft

Matt Olson

Jack Nelson

JL Patterson and Associates

CHP

Bruce Shewchuk Parsons Brinckerhoff Angela Aitken SCMTD Dan Herron Caltrans

Steve Wiesener County of Santa Cruz Public Works

Cliff Walters Sierra Railroad

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Attachment B



Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission SPECIAL MEETING

MINUTES

Thursday, November 17, 2011 9:00 a.m.

Scotts Valley City Council Chambers
One Civic Center Dr
Scotts Valley, CA

1. Roll call

The meeting was called to order at 9:01 am.

Members present:

Dene Bustichi
Greg Caput
Andy Schiffrin (Alt.)
Daniel Dodge (Alt.)
Donald Hagen
Brandy Rider (ex officio)

John Leopold
Don Lane
Kirby Nicol
Ellen Pirie
Lynn Robinson
Mark Stone

Randy Johnson

Staff present:

George Dondero Yesenia Parra Luis Mendez Kim Shultz Rachel Moriconi Ginger Dykaar

2. Oral communications

Jack Nelson noted that the automobile is an object that takes up a lot of space but can only move very few people at any one time. He also noted the proposal from the City of Santa Cruz regarding the change to Pacific Ave and said they faced a similar issue as the RTC on Hwy 1. The RTC is proposing a project that promotes more vehicle use but does not have the infrastructure to support all the additional needs that come with vehicle congestion.

3. Additions or deletions to consent and regular agendas

Executive Director George Dondero noted that there were handouts for items 15, 18 and 2 pages of flyers for upcoming public workshops.

Chair Mark Stone moved item 23 of the regular agenda to right before item 20.

CONSENT AGENDA

(Nicole/Leopold, unanimous)

MINUTES

- 4. Approved draft minutes of the October 6, 2011 regular SCCRTC meeting
- 5. Approved draft minutes of the October 20, 2011Transportation Policy Workshop (TPW) meeting

POLICY ITEMS

No consent items

PROJECTS and PLANNING ITEMS

6. Accepted first quarter quarterly Regional Transportation Commission (RTC) work program progress report

BUDGET AND EXPENDITURES ITEMS

7. Accepted status report on Transportation Development Act (TDA) revenues

ADMINISTRATION ITEMS

8. Approved 2012 RTC health insurance contribution amounts for active and retired RTC employees (Resolution)

INFORMATION/OTHER ITEMS

- 9. Accepted monthly meeting schedule
- 10. Accepted correspondence log
- 11. Accepted letters from SCCRTC committees and staff to other agencies
 - a. Letter from Executive Director George Dondero to Governor, Jerry Brown regarding Senate Bill (SB) 293 requesting a veto.
- 12. Accepted miscellaneous written comments from the public on SCCRTC projects and transportation issues
- 13. Accepted information items

- a. Article-"California Turns to China for New Bay Bridge" by Richard Gonzales
- Article- "Alarming State Report Predicts \$294 Billion Shortfall for Transportation Over Next Decade" by Gary Richards, San Jose Mercury News
- c. Letter from Assembly Member Luis Alejo regarding information on Senate Bill (SB) 436
- d. Letter to Bimla Rhinehart, California Transportation Commission regarding 2011 Statewide Transportation System Needs Assessment

REGULAR AGENDA

14. Commissioner reports

Chair Mark Stone said that at the last Transportation Policy Work Shop (TPW) meeting the Commission approved the creation of 2 ad hoc committees, one for the polling survey proposal and the second to determine the feasibility of the RTC becoming a congestion management agency. Staff will send an email to Commissioners and Commissioners interested in serving on either of these committees should respond to staff.

15. Director's report

Executive Director Dondero reported that the RTC Transportation Café will be taping a session on Friday in Spanish. Commissioner Eduardo Montesino, Luis Mendez and Yesenia Parra will be the participants. These shows are posted on the RTC website, RTC facebook and Community TV's website. He also noted that the RTC facebook page has 60 "likes" so far and that a more detailed report will be provided to the Commissioners at a future RTC meeting.

Mr. Dondero reported that the Surface Transportation Board indicated that the RTC application for the rail line purchase is still under review.

He also noted that he attended the Focus on the Future Conference in San Francisco where counties who are not yet self-help counties held a meeting. The group agreed to meet on a regular basis. The meetings will probably be held at the same time as CTC meetings. He also reported that Napa will be taking a ballot measure for transportation to its voters in 2012.

Mr. Dondero noted several upcoming workshops and invited Commissioners and the public to participate. The workshop schedule is as follows:

- November 17, 2011 from 6:00-9:00 pm- Sustainability workshop at the Live Oak Senior Center. Information obtained will provide guidance for the 2014 RTP project and policies. A survey will also be available on the RTC website that will ask how the RTC should evaluate sustainability.
- Monterey Bay Sanctuary Scenic Trail public informational workshops
 - o December 13, 2011at the Davenport Pacific Elementary School
 - o December 14, 2011 at the Live Oak Simpkins Swim Center

- o December 15, 2011 at the City of Watsonville Civic Plaza Community room.
- December 6, 2011 from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm-Designing for Bicycles and pedestrians planning workshop at the Ecology Action conference room.

He also reported that on November 29, 2011 RTC staff will meet with staff from TAMC, AMBAG and SaCOG to discuss ways to improve efficiencies, collaboration and resources sharing. This will be the first of several meeting.

Commissioner Nicol asked staff to provide the RTC with more information on self help counties to include how long they have been self help counties, and if the status has helped them obtain funding. Commissioner Nicol noted that he conducted an informal poll of the public works departments in the county to determine the backlog of road maintenance, which he discovered to be at about \$100 million.

Commissioner Leopold said that the County Supervisors received a presentation regarding the state of local roads in the unincorporated areas. He also noted the report prepared by The California Association of Counties (CSAC) and the League of California cities that documented the state of local roads throughout the state. He noted that the County would need \$12 million just to maintain its current infrastructure.

Commissioner Dodge arrived.

16. Caltrans report and consider action items

Brandy Rider, Caltrans District 5 said that the guardrail and concrete median barrier of a 14 mile stretch of highway 1(Trafton Rd to N. of 41st Ave) had begun and will go through February 2012. She also noted that Caltrans awarded 66 million for Safe Routes to School funding which included \$1.1 million to Santa Cruz for projects that include sidewalks, curb ramps and traffic enforcement among a few. Grant deadlines for Federal discretionary and planning grants are coming up.

17. Appoint nominating committee for RTC Chair and Vice-chair

Chair Mark Stone appointed, Commissioners, Pirie, Leopold, Lane and Commissioner Alternate Dodge. The committee will make a recommendation for Chair and vice-chair at the December 1, 2011 meeting.

18. 2012 Regional Transportation Improvement Program (RTIP): Preliminary Staff Recommendations

Rachel Moriconi reviewed the criteria used to determine which projects to recommend for funding and reminded the commissioners that the amount of funding needed for proposed projects far exceeds the \$9 million in State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) and \$1.4 million in Regional

Surface Transportation Program (RSTP) funds currently available for programming.

She noted the public hearing at the December 1, 2011 RTC meeting which will be held at the County Government Center, where the RTC will select projects to receive the STIP and RSTIP funds.

Commissioners discussed several projects on the proposed list and reiterated their direction to staff to work with the CTC to allow STIP funds for local road projects.

Commissioner Robinson arrived.

Martha Kaufeldt, Nelson Rd. resident thanked the Commission for listening to the Nelson Rd. residents' concerns and said that the current road condition does not allow for emergency vehicle access. She shared that just recently a vehicle went over the embankment and that the tow truck was unable to drive to the scene due to its size and that the residents pulled the vehicle out.

Jack Nelson said that it is the Commissioners responsibility to determine priorities and make the tough decisions.

Commissioner Alternate, Schiffrin motioned to direct staff to provide a list of project options that could be funded if the 4 million dollars currently recommended for the Hwy1 Auxiliary Lanes project was not approved. Commissioner Caput seconded the motion. After significant discussion and clarification the motion failed on a 5 to 7 vote.

19. Highway 1 Corridor future funding scenarios

Executive Director George Dondero said that this information item was requested by Commissioners at the October 6, 2011 RTC meeting. Commissioners discussed the various project costs and funding options listed on the staff report. Some Commissioners suggested that the project title be changed.

Jack Nelson asked if the auxiliary lanes would be designed to more easily accommodate HOV lanes in the future.

23. Adjourn to special meeting of the Service Authority for Freeway Emergencies (Moved up by Chair Stone) – Taken out of order prior to item 20.

The Commission adjourned the regular RTC meeting at 10:35 to convene the special meeting of the Service Authority for Freeway Emergencies and reconvened to the regular RTC meeting at 10:50 am.

20. Review of items to be discussed in closed session

CLOSED SESSION

21. Conference with legal counsel pursuant to Government Code 54956.9(c) to consider initiation of litigation for one potential case

Commission convened into closed session at 10:52 am

OPEN SESSION

22. Report on closed session

Commission reconvened to open session at 11:45 am. There were no reports on the closed session item.

Meeting adjourned at 11:46 am.

24. Next Meetings

The next SCCRTC meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 1, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the Board of Supervisors Chambers, 701 Ocean St., Santa Cruz, CA.

The next Transportation Policy Workshop meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 15, 2011 at 9:00 a.m. at the SCCRTC Offices, 1523 Pacific Avenue, Santa Cruz, CA.

Respectfully submitted,

Yesenia Parra, Staff

ATTENDEES

Scott Wood California Highway Patrol

Les White SCMTC

Steve Wiesener Santa Cruz County Public Works

Jack Nelson

Bob Orser

Jeri Davis Nelson Rd resident

Dan Herron Caltrans

Mark Dettle City of Santa Cruz
Chris Schneiter City of Santa Cruz
Martha Kaufeldt Nelson Rd resident

AGENDA METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MAC) MEETING OF DECEMBER 21, 2011 6:00 PM



NAOMI GUNTHER – CHAIR CRAIG AGLER ROSEANN MARQUEZ DENNIS "POPS" PAPADOPULO DAVE WILLIAMS - VICE CHAIR
BOB GEYER
MARA MURPHY
CHARLOTTE WALKER

PACIFIC STATION CONFERENCE ROOM 920 PACIFIC AVENUE, SANTA CRUZ, CALIFORNIA 6:00 PM - 7:55 PM

THE AGENDA PACKET FOR THE SANTA CRUZ METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING CAN BE FOUND ONLINE AT <u>WWW.SCMTD.COM</u> AND IS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION AT SANTA CRUZ METRO'S ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES, 110 VERNON ST., SANTA CRUZ, CA

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6:00 PM

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL

3. AGENDA ADDITIONS/DELETIONS

Consideration of Late Additions to the Agenda. The Committee may take action on items not appearing on the posted agenda under any of the following conditions:

- a. Upon a determination by an affirmative vote of the Committee that an emergency exists, as defined in Section 54956.5 of the Government Code.
- b. Upon a determination by a two-thirds vote of the Committee, or if less than twothirds of the members are present, a unanimous vote of those members present, there is a need to take immediate action and the need to take action came to the attention of the Committee subsequent to the agenda being posted.

4. ORAL/WRITTEN COMMUNICATIONS

This time is set aside for MAC members and the general public to address the METRO Advisory Committee on matters of interest to the public not listed on the agenda but within the jurisdiction of the Committee. Each member of the public appearing at a Committee meeting shall be limited to three minutes in his or her presentation, unless the Chair, at his or her discretion, permits further remarks to be made. Any person addressing the Committee may submit written statements, petitions or other documents to complement his or her presentation. When addressing the Committee, the individual may, but is not required to, provide his/her name and address in an audible tone for the record.

5. APPROVE MINUTES OF MAC MEETING OF NOVEMBER 2011 (MOTION TO APPROVE REQUIRED)
Submitted by: METRO Admin Department

6. ACCEPT & FILE RIDERSHIP REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2011

(MOTION TO APPROVE REQUIRED)

Submitted by: METRO Planning Department

7. ACCEPT & FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2011 (MOTION TO APPROVE REQUIRED)

Submitted by: METRO Paracruz

8. ACCEPT AND FILE LEGISLATIVE AND GRANTS REPORT FOR OCTOBER AND

NOVEMBER 2011 (MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE REQUIRED)

Submitted by: METRO Grants Department

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- 9. DISCUSION OF CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR ELECTIONS
- 10. INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME OF STEVE JOHNSON
- 11. DISCUSSION OF BY-LAWS
- 12. DISCUSSION OF BUS STOPS
- 13. DISCUSSION OF ADOPT-A-BUS SHELTER
- 14. Q'POD RESTRAINT SYSTEM GILLIG BUS DEMONSTRATION
- 15. DISCUSSION OF CONTINUING SERVICE REDUCTIONS AND CHANGES
- 16. COMMUNICATIONS TO METRO GENERAL MANAGER
- 17. COMMUNICATIONS TO METRO BOARD OF DIRECTORS
- 18. ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING AGENDA
- 19. ADJOURNMENT

ADJOURN TO THE NEXT MEETING OF THE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2012, AT 6:00 P.M., IN THE PACIFIC STATION CONFERENCE ROOM, 920 PACIFIC AVENUE, SANTA CRUZ, CALIFORNIA.

Pursuant to Section 54954.2(a)(1) of the Government Code of the State of California, this agenda was posted at least 72 hours in advance of the scheduled meeting at a public place freely accessible to the public 24 hours a day.

The agenda packet and materials related to an item on this Agenda submitted after distribution of the agenda packet are available for public inspection in the Santa Cruz METRO Administrative Office (110 Vernon Street, Santa Cruz) during normal business hours. Such documents are also available on the Santa Cruz METRO website at www.scmtd.com subject to staff's ability to post the document before the meeting.

Attachment A SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

Minutes - METRO Advisory Committee (MAC)

September 21, 2011

The METRO Advisory Committee (MAC) met on Wednesday, September 21, 2011 in the Pacific Station Conference Room located at 920 Pacific Avenue in Santa Cruz, California.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Gunther called the meeting to order at 6:09 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT

Naomi Gunther, Chair Dennis "Pops" Papadopulo

Charlotte Walker

Bob Geyer Roseann Marquez

Mara Murphy

MEMBERS ABSENT

Craig Agler

Dave Williams, Vice Chair

VISITORS PRESENT

Stewart Rosenstein

STAFF PRESENT

Angela Aitken, Finance Manager and Acting Assistant General Manager Ciro Aguirre, Operations Manager Mary Ferrick, Fixed Route Superintendent April Warnock, Paratransit Superintendent Erich Friedrich, Jr. Transit Planner Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator / MAC Secretary

3 AGENDA ADDITIONS/DELETION

None.

4. ORAL/WRITTEN COMMUNICATION

Pops Papadopulo wanted to thank the METRO Board of Directors for the bus service to the Santa Cruz County Fair. Stewart Rosenstein recounted a recent experience riding the bus, and said it was confusing because he had not heard about the service reductions or fare increase. Chair Naomi Gunther asked that Service Reductions be placed on the next Agenda. Ms. Gunther said that she has noticed a great deal of comments from riders about the lack of postings to announce that the recent service reductions and fare changes we about to take effect, as had happened in the past. Ms. Gunther also said that the new signage should be put up as soon as possible.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JUNE 15, 2011

ACTION: MOTION: BOB GEYER SECOND: CHARLOTTE WALKER 6-18.a1

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Approve the minutes of June 15, 2011.

Motion passed with Dennis Papadopulo abstaining, and Craig Agler and Dave Williams being absent.

6. ACCEPT & FILE RIDERSHIP REPORTS FOR JUNE 2011

NO ACTION TAKEN

7. ACCEPT & FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORTS FOR MAY & JUNE 2011

Bob Geyer stated that he appreciated the charts that were provided and he noted that they were very consistent. Naomi Gunther said that the tour of the ParaCruz facility was very helpful. Pops Papadopulo asked if there were any mini-vans in the fleet. April Warnock said that there were 6 minicans remaining as part of an emergency contingency.

ACTION: MOTION: BOB GEYER SECOND: ROSEANN MARQUEZ

Accept & file Ridership Reports for May and June 2011.

Motion passed unanimously with Craig Agler and Dave Williams being absent.

8. ACCEPT & FILE LEGISLATIVE & GRANTS REPORT FOR JUNE, JULY, & AUGUST 2011

Angela Aitken said the Jobs Bill could have \$30 million for Santa Cruz METRO. Chair Naomi Gunther asked what any new monies would be used for. Angela Aitken said that the Board had not given direction yet, but that a list of needs would be created.

ACTION: MOTION: BOB GEYER SECOND: ROSEANN MARQUEZ

Accept and file Legislative and Grants Report.

Motion passed unanimously with Craig Agler and Dave Williams being absent.

9. <u>DISCUSSION OF BUS STOPS</u>

a. There was a discussion about the bus stop at Bronte and Bridge, on Route 79. Roseann Marquez distributed photos of the bus stop in question and said that there have been problems unloading buses at this stop.

Chair Naomi Gunther noted that the bench in front of COSTCO has been returned. Angela Aitken said that progress was being made on bus stop improvements. Pops Papadopulo noted that the outbound stop at Corralitos Road and Freedom Boulevard is still without a bench. Chair Naomi Gunther asked if reducing bus stops has been considered to improve run times. Mary Ferrick said that even inactive bus stops are kept so that they are given grandfathered

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status when reactivated. Charlotte Walker said there were some problems with the signage at Frederick Street and Soquel Avenue. Chair Naomi Gunther said that there were some problem with the Route 66 (inbound) signage at Capitola and 7th Avenue.

b. Mara Murphy offered to gather some information on Adopt-a-Bus Stop programs at other agencies for the next meeting.

10. COMMUNICATIONS TO METRO GENERAL MANAGER

a. Discussion of MAC recommendation to move the location of the first Board meeting of the month from the current 110 Vernon location to a location that is more accessible by public transportation.

ACTION: MOTION: CHARLOTTE WALKER SECOND: DENNIS PAPADOPULO

Withdraw recommendation to move the location of the first Board of Directors meeting of the month from the current 110 Vernon Street location to a location that is more accessible by public transportation.

Motion passed unanimously with Craig Agler and Dave Williams being absent.

11. COMMUNICATIONS TO METRO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The METRO Advisory Committee withdraws its recommendation to move the location of the first Board of Directors meeting of the month from the current 110 Vernon Street location to a location that is more accessible by public transportation, and wishes to express its thanks for the bus service to the Santa Cruz County Fair.

12. ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING AGENDA

Service Reductions and Changes

Adopt-a-Bus Stop

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Chair Gunther adjourned the meeting at 7:03 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

ANTHONY TAPIZ
Administrative Services Coordinator

6-18.a3

Attachment 6 SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

Minutes - METRO Advisory Committee (MAC)

October 19, 2011

The METRO Advisory Committee (MAC) met on Wednesday, October 19, 2011 in the Pacific Station Conference Room located at 920 Pacific Avenue in Santa Cruz, California.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mara Murphy called the meeting to order at 6:15 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

MEMBERS PRESENT

Dennis "Pops" Papadopulo Bob Geyer Roseann Marquez Mara Murphy

MEMBERS ABSENT

Naomi Gunther, Chair Charlotte Walker Craig Agler Dave Williams, Vice Chair

VISITORS PRESENT

STAFF PRESENT

Angela Aitken, Finance Manager and Acting Assistant General Manager Ciro Aguirre, Operations Manager Mary Ferrick, Fixed Route Superintendent Frank Bauer, Safety & Training Coordinator Sherri Escobedo, Administrative Assistant/ MAC Secretary

3 AGENDA ADDITIONS/DELETION

There were none, there was a REVISED Agenda that did not make it to the meeting due to Tony Tapiz being ill. The Wheelchair Securement Presentation was Item 11 on the Revised Agenda.

4. ORAL/WRITTEN COMMUNICATION

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 21, 2011

ACTION: MOTION: DENNIS "POP" PAPADOPULO SECOND: BOB GEYER

Approve the minutes of September 21, 2011.

Motion passed unanimously, with Craig Agler, Naomi Gunther, Charlotte Walker and Dave Williams being absent.

6. ACCEPT & FILE RIDERSHIP REPORTS

NO ACTION TAKEN

6-18.b1

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7. ACCEPT & FILE PARACRUZ OPERATIONS STATUS REPORT

NO ACTION TAKEN

8. ACCEPT & FILE LEGISLATIVE & GRANTS REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2011

Angela Aitken said that we just received a \$2.8 Million Grant for 4-6 Mobile Data Terminal Devices for the Paracruz Vehicles which will enhance their routes as they get realtime information, the remaining funds will ad applied to obtaining 3-4 new Buses.

Bob asked the price of a new bus, and Ciro replied about ½ million per bus.

Angela asked if the committee still wanted to receive Legislative & Grants information and Mara answered that Naomi Gunther should really make that decision.

ACTION: MOTION: BOB GEYER SECOND: DENNIS "POP" PAPADOPULO

Accept and file Legislative and Grants Report.

Motion passed unanimously, with Craig Agler, Naomi Gunther, Charlotte Walker and Dave Williams being absent.

9. <u>DISCUSSION OF BUS STOPS</u>

a. Adopt-a-Bus Stop Program

Mara said that she did some research on the internet. Mara brought in agreements from 3 agencies, Durham, North Carolina, Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority (MARTA), and one from VTA, San Jose. This would be for volunteers or organizations, once or twice a month to maintain and clean the bus stop. The ones she has seen have green signs stating the adoption of the bus stop. Reimbursement for this would be perhaps a transit voucher once a month. She would be very active in starting the adopt-a-bus stop programs but not sure how it would be funded for. This would basically be for volunteers to clean and watch over the bus stop, reporting graffiti, etc. to local law enforcement. The materials were handed out for consideration of implementing this type of program at Metro. Angela stated that our Legal Dept. would have to take a look into this, as well as approval by the Board.

10. <u>DISCUSSION OF SERVICE REDUCTIONS AND CHANGES</u>

Ciro said that we had an 8% service cut in September based on budget forecasts of economic funding. While there is no crystal ball, we actually received additional funding in sales tax, and fuel tax credit that legislation re-enacted that was not anticipated. We also had more vacancies in our staff than we expected, so there were more funds available on the labor side. This means we will now be able to hire more drivers and restore some service where it is most needed. Route 71 the UC system, as well as Route 69, and Hwy 17 are areas that will be revisited. There was a constant of the conomic funding.

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about the 35 route, and the night trip changing and Mary acknowledged that there were some changes made and they have received some customer service comments about that. Mary also mentioned that we had complaints about the bus stop stickers not being updated, and that this has now been resolved.

11. DISCUSSION OF WHEELCHAIR SECUREMENT

Ciro Aguirre stated that this presentation is to give the Community time to review all the information regarding Wheelchair Securement and to decide whether to keep the current set-up or to move to a more technologically advanced securement area in the buses. This would be for future bus builds not changes to current buses. Frank Bauer, Safety & Training Coordinator was introduced and presented a slide presentation of the QPOD Set-Up for future bus builds. We currently have a bus build that will involve 12 buses. If it is decided to go ahead with the QPOD Set-up, the Santa Cruz ARM will go away. The presentation showed the progression of wheelchair securement at METRO and where we can go in the future. The QPOD Set-up will have perimeter seating, low profile, and more aisle room. There is also greater ease of movement within the bus for all styles of wheelchairs. This is a modular unit, the straps are self-tensioning and the whole system is very flexible. The Operator will only have to hook the straps to the wheels on the chair and the system will retract and pull the chair securely against the bumper. It is all mechanical so there is no worry about electrical outage. There is a shoulder strap as well to secure the rider, so it's a 4-point system. There is also a scooter ring to secure larger mobility devices. Lap belt is easier to access for the operator and the user. Wheelchair capacity can be increased by 50% with the QPOD System; it's faster and easier to operate. The intent behind this device is to have the greatest flexibility for a variety of mobility devices and to provide securement for the user's of the mobility devices as well as the passengers around the mobility devices. It will also give the buses more space for loading and unloading of mobility devices as well as more room in the aisle of the buses. The compromise is that there will be approximately 4-5 less seats in the bus, but more aisle room for standing. Currently there is room for 39 seated passengers, with this mobility device the seating will be reduced to 34 seated passengers. (This is estimation.)

The committee needs to decide:

- 1. Do you want to eliminate the Santa Cruz Arm from future builds?
- 2. Do you want Perimeter Seating?
- 3. Do you want 3 positions for Securement Area?
- 4. Do you want the implementation of the QPOD System in Future Bus Builds?

Questions asked: Bob asked if Paracruz would still be eligible for riders that want to use it? Ciro explained that this would not replace any Paracruz riders due to the fact that Paracruz basically brings the bus stop to people who cannot get to the regular bus stop.

Mara asked if this would be implemented on the Hwy 17 buses, and Ciro said that this would only be for future buses in the local area, not on the 17 buses.

Mara also asked if this would prevent bicycles from being able to occupy the securement areas. Ciro said that this is an added accomodation at the moment, if there is no mobility device, 2 bicycles can be stored in the securement area. If there are more people standing the bicylcists would be asked to move their bikes.

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Bob asked if we will be getting feedback from Mobility Device Users on this subject. Ciro said that he will be working on this subject and how to go about it, either by staging a field trip or obtaining video from the manufacturer.

Mara suggested to continue this discussion due to the fact that there are members missing and would like to get their input. Bob mentioned that perhaps QPOD could provide a video of the device being used, and Ciro suggested staging a field trip to view a bus with the set-up already in use.

ACTION: MOTION: DENNIS "POP" PAPADOPULO SECOND: ROSEANN MARQUEZ

To consider securement changes for future bus builds.

Motion passed unanimously, with Craig Agler, Naomi Gunther, Charlotte Walker and Dave Williams being absent.

12. COMMUNICATIONS TO METRO GENERAL MANAGER

Mara would like Les to stay on a few more years at Metro, as was stated in the article in the Sentinel.

13. COMMUNICATIONS TO METRO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

14. ITEMS FOR NEXT MEETING AGENDA

Recruitment Process and Qualifications Necessary for Fixed Route & Paracruz Operators

Adopt-a-Bus Stop – Legal Feedback

Continuing Service Reductions and Changes

Changing Frequency of MAC Meetings to Quarterly or Every Other Month

Development of New Transit Center at METRO Center – Architectural Design

Metrobase Construction Update

ADJOURN

There being no further business, Mara Murphy adjourned the meeting at 7:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

SHERRI ESCOBEDO
Administrative Assistant

6-18.b4

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Leslie R. White, General Manager

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF APPOINTMENT OF STEVE JOHNSON TO THE

METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MAC) AND CONSIDERATION OF REAPPOINTMENT OF NAOMI GUNTHER AND DENNIS PAPADOPULO TO THE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MAC) FOR

TERMS OF OFFICE ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2013.

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board approve the appointment of Steve Johnson to the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC) as the appointment of Director Ellen Pirie, and approve the reappointment of Naomi Gunther and Dennis Papadopulo to the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC).

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- There is currently a vacancy on the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC) for an appointment by Director Ellen Pirie.
- Director Pirie is nominating Steve Johnson for appointment to the MAC.
- Pursuant to Section 3.2 of the MAC Bylaws the appointment of Steve Johnson would be eligible for a term that would commence January 1, 2012 and end December 31, 2013.
- There are currently two Members of the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC) whose terms expire on December 31, 2011 who have indicated a desire to be reappointed.
- Director Bryant is nominating Naomi Gunther for reappointment to the MAC.
- Director Hinkle is nominating Dennis Papadopulo for reappointment to the MAC
- The terms for Naomi Gunther and Dennis Papadopulo, if approved by the Board of Directors would commence January 1, 2012 and end December 31, 2013.

III. DISCUSSION

On December 19, 2003, after a significant amount of discussion and multiple meetings, the Board approved the creation of a new Metro Advisory Committee (MAC) that replaced the METRO Users Group (MUG), and the Board approved the structure of the new committee. Application Forms were used to solicit interested persons to participate on MAC.

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The Board of Directors appointed the individuals that they wanted to serve as members of the MAC. Each member of the Board provided the name of the individual that they wanted to nominate and the Board of Directors then confirmed the individuals. In the past few years there have been vacancies on the MAC that have resulted from the resignations of some Members. A committee such as the MAC is most effective when it is comprised of a full compliment of Members. One of the current vacancies is the position responsible to Director Ellen Pirie.

Director Pirie has indicated that she would like the Board of Directors to consider the nomination of Steve Johnson to serve as a Member of the MAC. The application of Steve Johnson is attached to this report. There are also two current Members of the MAC who have indicated that they would like to be reappointed and who have Board Directors who want to nominate them.

Director Bryant has indicated that she would like the Board of Directors to consider the nomination of Naomi Gunther to be reappointed to serve as a Member of the MAC. Director Hinkle has indicated that she would like to nominate Dennis Papadopulo to be reappointed as a Member of the MAC.

If approved by the Board of Directors, the terms for Steve Johnson, Naomi Gunther and Dennis Papadopulo would commence January 1, 2012 and conclude December 31, 2013.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Funds to support the membership of Steve Johnson, Naomi Gunther, Dennis Papadopulo on the MAC are provided for in the FY 2012 METRO Operating Budget.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: MAC Application of Steve Johnson

Attachment B: MAC Bylaws

Prepared by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator

Date Prepared: December 5, 2011

From: Santa Cruz METRO Customer Service

To: <u>Tony Tapiz</u>

Subject: [MAC-0000000004] Volunteer to serve on MAC

Date: Thursday, November 10, 2011 7:08:25 PM

METRO Staff: Please do not reply to this email.

This is a new report from Stephen Johnson.

To view and/or reply again to your reports, <u>click here to sign in to the website</u>, with the user name and password above, then follow the link to Customer Service Reports, and choose either "Reports" or "My Reports" tab.

Contact Name: Steve Johnson

Street Address: Street Address: City: APTOS State: CA

Zip Code: 95003-3916 Day Phone: 831685

Do you ride METRO fixed route or Paracruz Service: METRO fixed route

How often do you use METRO/Paracruz Service: Monthly

What are your particular transit intersts?: Accessibility & Conveninece for More

County Residents

What do you think are the biggest challenges for METRO?: Providing the Service

Quality necessary to attract riders in a time of decreasing budgets

What do you believe that you will contribute to MAC & METRO if appointed?: 40+

years of service business experience in

Stephen Johnson:

I would like to utilize my business experiences (including Senior Executive Management positions at IBM and other Silicon Valley companies) to help Santa Cruz County solve problems in the current complex financial environment. I have lived in Rio Del Mar since 1998. My community service includes Santa Cruz County Grand Jury, Rio Del Mar Improvement Associations, Grey Bears weekly food distribution driver, Santa Cruz County Cycling Club (Secretary 5 years, Membership 2 years).

Drafted for 9/26/03 Revised for 10/24/03 Revised for 12/19/03 Amended/Adopted 12/19/03 Amended/Adopted 7/23/04 Amended/Adopted 6/23/06 Amended/Adopted 4/27/07 Amended/Adopted 5/25/07

BYLAWS FOR THE METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Article I GENERAL PROVISIONS

§1.1 Purpose

These Bylaws govern the proceedings of the METRO Advisory Committee (MAC), an advisory committee established by the Board of Directors of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District (METRO).

§1.2 Construction of Bylaws

As used in these Bylaws, "Committee" means the METRO Advisory Committee. These Bylaws shall govern the Committee's proceedings to the extent they are not inconsistent with METRO Regulations or California or United States Statutes. These Bylaws become effective upon approval by the METRO Board of Directors

§1.3 Definitions

- a. As used in these Bylaws, "chair" means the Chair of the Committee.
- b. As used in these Bylaws, "vice chair" means the Vice Chair of the Committee.
- c. As used in these Bylaws "staff" means staff members that are assigned to support the Committee by the METRO Secretary/General Manager.

Article II DUTIES AND AUTHORITY

§2.1 Duties

It shall be the duty of the Committee to provide advice to the Board of Directors on matters of METRO policy and operations referred to the Committee by the Board or Secretary/General Manager and to perform such additional duties as assigned by the Board. The Committee may also address issues which members or the public raise with respect to the quantity and quality of services provided by METRO.

§2.2 Limitations on Authority

The sole jurisdiction and authority of the Committee is to serve in an advisory capacity to the Board of Directors. It shall not have any authority to take actions that bind METRO or the Board of Directors with the exception that the Committee may design informational signs to be placed on the inside of buses and that the Committee may design and distribute an informational brochure to increase the public's knowledge of the operation and existence of the Committee. Communications by the Committee shall be to and through the Board of Directors. No individual member of the Committee shall be entitled to compensation from METRO, with the exception that Members of the Committee shall receive three (3) system-wide day passes for each monthly meeting that they attend, and any reimbursement for travel or other expenses shall receive specific prior authorization by the Board of Directors.

Article III MEMBERSHIP

§3.1 Membership

The Committee shall be composed of 11 members appointed by the Board of Directors as follows:

Each member of the METRO Board of Directors shall nominate 1 individual to serve as members of the METRO Advisory Committee. Appointments to the METRO Advisory Committee shall be made by the METRO Board of Directors.

All members shall be residents of the County of Santa Cruz. When making its appointments, the Board shall strive to balance the membership to reflect the ethnic, gender, and geographic diversity of the County. At least 4 of the individuals appointed to the Committee shall be persons with disabilities as evidenced by possession of a METRO Discount Photo Identification Card. No member of the Board of Directors or other elected

public official shall be appointed to the Committee. No employee of METRO or any agency that provides funding to, or contracts with, METRO shall be appointed to the Committee. However, individuals that have been selected to participate on the ADA Appeals Panel, to participate in the Bus Operator Sensitivity Training, or who are employed by the University of California, Santa Cruz in departments other than the Transportation and Parking Services (TAPS), or in the offices that directly supervise TAPS, shall be exempt from the financial/contracting prohibition for Committee members outlined in this section.

§3.2 Members' Terms

The term of membership of each Committee member shall be two years, commencing with the date of appointment by the METRO Board. Members may be reappointed for additional terms as approved by the METRO Board of Directors.

§3.3 Absences

If a member accumulates total absences from Committee Meetings of four, without excuse, and two, with excuse, in any twelve-month period, the position shall automatically be declared vacant. In the event of a known absence to an upcoming MAC Meeting it is expected of the MAC Member(s) that they will contact the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District Front Office Administration Staff by telephone as soon as the occurring absence is known and no later than 12:00PM (noon) on the day of the meeting and that failure to make said contact will constitute an unexcused absence unless circumstances restrict such contact. The member of the Board of Directors that nominated such Committee member shall be notified of the vacancy so that they can nominate a successor to be appointed to fill the remainder of that Committee member's term.

§3.4 Vacancies

The member of the Board of Directors who nominated the original member shall nominate a replacement candidate to fill a position on the Committee that is declared vacant. The appointment of the replacement member shall be made by the Board of Directors.

Article IV OFFICERS

§4.1 Chair and Vice Chair

The Committee shall elect from its membership a Chair and a Vice Chair at its first meeting of the calendar year, to serve for a one-year term. The chair shall preside at all meetings of the Committee and represent the Committee before the Board of Directors. The Vice Chair shall perform the duties of the Chair when the Chair is absent. In the event of a vacancy in the chair's position, the vice chair shall succeed as chair for the balance of the Chair's term and the Committee shall elect a successor to fill the vacancy in the Vice Chair's position as provided below. In the event of a vacancy in the Vice Chair's position, the Committee shall elect a successor from its membership to fill the Vice Chair's position for the remainder of the vice chair's term.

§4.2 Staff Support

The Secretary/General Manager of METRO shall make arrangements to furnish clerical services to prepare and distribute the Committee's agendas, notices, minutes, correspondence and other materials. The METRO staff assigned to support the committee shall maintain a record of all proceedings of the Committee as required by law and shall perform other support duties to the committee as assigned by the Secretary/General Manager. The minutes of each meeting, when approved by the Committee, shall be transmitted to the METRO Board of Directors.

Article VMEETINGS

§5.1 Regular Meetings

Regular meetings of the Committee shall be held on the third Wednesday of each month. Whenever a regular meeting falls on a holiday observed by METRO, the meeting shall be held on another day or canceled at the direction of the Committee. A rescheduled regular meeting shall be designated a regular meeting.

§5.2 Special Meetings

The Chair may call a special meeting. The meeting shall be called and noticed as provided in Section 5.3 below.

§5.3 Calling and Noticing of Meetings

All meetings shall be called, noticed and conducted in accordance with the applicable provisions of the Ralph M. Brown Act (commencing with Section 54950 of the Government Code). The Secretary/General Manager and METRO Counsel shall be given notice of all meetings.

§5.4 Quorum; Vote

The presence of 6 members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business. However, when there are vacancies on the Committee the quorum shall be reduced to a majority of the number of Members appointed to the Committee, with the provision that a quorum shall never be less than four (4) Members. All official acts of the Committee shall require the affirmative vote of the majority of members present, providing that a quorum is maintained at all times.

§5.5 Thirty Minute Rule

If a quorum has not been established within thirty minutes of the noticed starting time for the meeting the meeting shall be cancelled.

§5.6 Matters Not Listed On the Agenda Requiring Committee Action

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§5.8 Impertinence; Disturbance of Meeting

Any person making personal, impertinent or indecorous remarks while addressing the Committee may be barred by the chairperson from further appearance before the Committee at that meeting, unless permission to continue is granted by an affirmative vote of the Committee. The Chair may order any person removed from the Committee meeting who causes a disturbance or interferes with the conduct of the meeting, and the Chair may direct the meeting room cleared when deemed necessary to maintain order.

§5.9 Access to Public Records Distributed at Meeting

Writings which are public records and which are distributed during a Committee meeting shall be made available for public inspection at the meeting if prepared by the METRO staff or a member of the Committee, or after the meeting if prepared by some other person.

Article VI AGENDAS AND MEETING NOTICES

§6.1 Agenda Format

The agenda shall specify the starting time and location of the meeting and shall contain a brief general description of each item of business to be transacted or discussed at the meeting. The description shall be reasonably calculated to adequately inform the public of the subject matter of each agenda item. The agenda may include recommendations for Committee action as appropriate.

§6.2 Public Communications

Each agenda for a regular meeting shall provide an opportunity for members of the public to address the Committee on matters of interest to the public either before or during the Committee's consideration of the item, if it is listed on the agenda, or, if it is not listed on the agenda but is within the jurisdiction of the Committee, under the agenda item heading "Oral/Written Communications". The Committee shall not act upon an item that is not listed on the agenda except as provided under Section 5.8. Each notice for a special meeting shall provide an opportunity for members of the public to directly address the Committee concerning any item that has been described in the notice for the meeting before or during consideration of that item.

§6.3 Agenda Preparation

The METRO Staff assigned to the Committee shall prepare the agenda for each meeting in consultation with the Chair. Material intended for placement on the agenda shall be delivered to the secretary on or before 12:00 Noon on the date established as the agenda deadline for the forthcoming meeting. The METRO Staff, in consultation with the chair, may withhold placement on the agenda of any matter that is not timely received, lacks sufficient information or is in need of staff review and report prior to Committee consideration.

§6.4 Agenda Posting and Delivery

The written agenda for each regular meeting and each meeting continued for more than five calendar days shall be posted by the METRO Staff at least 72 hours before the meeting is scheduled to begin. The written agenda for every special meeting shall be posted by the METRO Staff at least 24 hours before the special meeting is scheduled to begin. The agenda shall be posted in a location that is freely accessible to members of the public. The agenda together with supporting documents shall be transmitted to each Committee member, the Secretary/General Manager and the METRO Counsel at least five days before each regular meeting and at least 24 hours before each special meeting.

§6.5 Meeting Notices

The METRO Staff shall transmit notices of every regular meeting at least one week prior to the date set for the meeting to each person who has filed a written request with METRO for such notice as provided in Section 54954.1 of the Government Code. The notice shall be mailed at least one week prior to the date set for the meeting. Notice of special meetings called less than seven days prior to the date set for the meeting shall be given as soon as is practical.

Article VII MISCELLANEOUS

§7.1 Adoption and Amendment of Bylaws

These Bylaws shall be effective upon approval by the METRO Board of Directors.

§7.2 Committee Process

The intent of the Committee shall be to provide consensus based advice and recommendations to the METRO Board of Directors.

Approved by Board of Directors: December 19, 2003.

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Leslie R. White, General Manager

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF AMENDING ARTICLE V, SECTION 5.1 OF THE

METRO ADVISORY COMMITTEE (MAC) BYLAWS TO MODIFY THE FREQUENCY OF MAC MEETINGS TO NOT LESS THAN ONCE PER

CALENDAR QUARTER.

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors approve the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC) recommendations to amend Article V, Section 5.1 of the MAC Bylaws to modify the frequency of MAC meetings to not less than once per calendar quarter.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- On December 19, 2003 the Board of Directors approved the creation and structure of the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC).
- Each member of the Board nominated the name of an individual that they wanted to appoint for membership on the MAC.
- The MAC has been meeting regularly since its inception.
- On Wednesday June 16, 2010 the MAC discussed the meeting schedule issue and to
 evaluate the impact on the ability of the MAC to provide timely advice on current
 issues facing METRO. At that time, administrative staff indicated that the frequency
 of the meeting schedule could be changed to either bi-monthly or quarterly,
 depending on the amount of business brought before the committee.
- On June 16, 2010 the MAC voted to recommend that the Board of Directors amend Article V, Section 5.1 of the current MAC Bylaws to modify the frequency of meetings to not less than once per quarter.
- After several months of observation, administrative staff has determined that a bimonthly meeting schedule would best accommodate the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC).

III. DISCUSSION

On December 19, 2003 the Board of Directors approved the creation, structure, and bylaws of the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC). As the Board of Directors approved the MAC Bylaws, the Board of Directors must also approve any amendments to the Bylaws.

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The MAC has been meeting regularly since its inception with good attendance. However, over the past two years numerous MAC meetings have been cancelled for a lack of agenda items, and at the time, staff reductions impacted the ability of the Admin Department to provide an Administrative Assistant to serve as the MAC recording secretary. The Members of the MAC were concerned that the cancellation of meetings for lack of agenda items made it difficult to provide advice to the Board of Directors and METRO staff members on a timely basis.

On Wednesday June 16, 2010 the MAC met to discuss the monthly schedule issue and to evaluate the impact on the ability of the MAC to provide timely advice on current issues facing METRO. As a result of the discussions, the MAC voted to recommend that the Board of Directors amend the current MAC Bylaws to provide that the MAC meet no less than once per calendar quarter.

As a part of the discussions regarding the modification of the MAC meeting schedule, Staff indicated that the frequency of the meeting schedule could be changed to either bi-monthly or quarterly depending on the amount of business brought before the committee. After several months of observation, Staff has determined that, for the time being, a bi-monthly meeting schedule would best suit the Metro Advisory Committee (MAC). However, for continued flexibility in the future, Staff agrees with the MAC recommendation to amend section 5.1 of the MAC Bylaws to modify the frequency of MAC meetings to not less than once per calendar quarter.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Potential savings due to reduced printing costs and Staff time associated with monthly MAC meetings.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Existing and proposed language of Article V, Section 5.1 of the MAC

Bylaws

Attachment B: Draft 2012 MAC Meeting Schedule

Prepared by: Tony Tapiz, Administrative Services Coordinator

Date Prepared: December 5, 2011

Proposed MAC Bylaws Amendment

December 16, 2011

Article V, Section 5.1 - Existing Language

§5.1 Regular Meetings

Regular meetings of the Committee shall be held on the third Wednesday of each month. Whenever a regular meeting falls on a holiday observed by METRO, the meeting shall be held on another day or cancelled at the direction of the Committee. A rescheduled regular meeting shall be designated a regular meeting.

Article V, Section 5.1 - Proposed Language

§5.1 Regular Meetings

Regular meetings of the Committee shall be held <u>not less than once</u> <u>each calendar quarter</u>, on the third Wednesday of each month <u>the month that</u> <u>is selected for the meeting</u>. Whenever a regular meeting falls on a holiday observed by METRO, the meeting shall be held on another day or cancelled at the direction of the Committee. A rescheduled regular meeting shall be designated a regular meeting.



MAC (METRO Advisory Committee) 2012 Meeting Schedule

The Metro Advisory Committee will meet the 3rd Wednesday of every other month at 6:00 p.m. at the METRO Center Conference Room, 920 Pacific Ave, Santa Cruz, unless otherwise indicated.

February 15

April 18

June 20

August 15

FACILITY TOUR

October 17

December 19

Questions? Please call 426-6080

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SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Leslie R. White, General Manager

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL MANAGER TO

EXECUTE A LETTER OF AGREEMENT WITH THE ASSOCIATION OF

MONTEREY BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS (AMBAG) THAT

RESTRICTS CALVANS, A VANPOOL OPERATOR BASED IN KINGS

COUNTY, FROM COMPETING FOR FUNDS THAT METRO IS

ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE.

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

That the Board of Directors authorize the General Manager to execute a Letter of Agreement with AMBAG that restricts the ability of CalVans to compete for funds that METRO is eligible to receive.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- The Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments has received an invitation to join the California Vanpool Authority (CalVans) Joint Powers Authority that is operated by the Kings County Area Public Transit Agency.
- Currently, CalVans operates two vanpools from Santa Cruz County to Monterey County.
- The CalVans Agency has indicated to AMBAG that they will discontinue supporting the current vanpools if AMBAG does not become a Member of their Joint Powers Authority (JPA).
- METRO and Monterey-Salinas Transit (MST) have expressed concerns to AMBAG about the potential loss of state and federal funds if CalVans begins competing for the same funds that METRO and MST are eligible to receive.
- As a result of the concerns that were expressed regarding the competition for funds AMBAG has developed a Letter of Agreement that would restrict the ability of Calvans to compete with METRO for funding.
- The proposed Letter of Agreement between METRO and AMBAG is attached to this Staff Report. A similar Letter of Agreement has been transmitted to Monterey-Salinas Transit for consideration by their Board of Directors.
- Staff recommends that the Board of Directors authorize the General Manager to execute the attached Letter of Agreement with AMBAG.

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III. DISCUSSION

Currently, METRO does not directly operate vanpool service. There are a number of privately sponsored vanpools operating in Santa Cruz County as well as UCSC sponsored vanpools. There are also two vanpools that originate in Santa Cruz County and travel to Monterey County. These two vanpools are sponsored by the California Vanpool Authority (CalVans).

The Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments has received an invitation to join the California Vanpool Authority (Joint Powers Authority that is operated by the Kings County Area Public Transit Agency). The CalVans Agency has indicated to AMBAG that they will discontinue supporting the current vanpools if AMBAG does not become a Member of their Joint Powers Authority (JPA).

METRO and Monterey-Salinas Transit (MST) have expressed concerns to AMBAG about the potential loss of state and federal funds if CalVans begins competing for the same funds that METRO and MST are eligible to receive. Additionally, a long-term commitment to CalVans could preclude METRO, MST, or Community Bridges from instituting a locally based van pool program. Therefore, METRO has requested that AMBAG review this program annually to determine the most effective method of service delivery.

As a result of the concerns that were expressed regarding the competition for funds AMBAG has developed a Letter of Agreement that would restrict the ability of Calvans to compete with METRO for funding. The proposed Letter of Agreement between METRO and AMBAG is attached to this Staff Report. A similar Letter of Agreement has been transmitted to Monterey-Salinas Transit for consideration by their Board of Directors.

Staff recommends that the Board of Directors authorize the General Manager to execute the attached Letter of Agreement with AMBAG. Staff also recommends that METRO monitor the CalVans program and meet with AMBAG annually to discuss the most effective method of delivering vanpool services in Santa Cruz County.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Execution of the Letter of Agreement with AMBAG will not have an impact on the METRO Operating or Capital Budget.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Proposed Letter of Agreement with AMBAG



ASSOCIATION OF MONTEREY BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS

Les White, General Manager Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060 2011 HOV 23 PM 2 05

SANTA CRUZ METRO ADMIN DEPARTMENT

November 22, 2011

Dear Mr. White,

At their November 9, 2011 meeting, the AMBAG Board of Directors approved a series of actions regarding the California Vanpool Authority (CalVans) and the provision of vanpool services in the region. In accordance with the meetings from September 1 and October 27 between AMBAG and the Transit Providers in the region (Monterey-Salinas Transit, Santa Cruz County Metropolitan District, San Benito County Local Transportation Authority, and Community Bridges), our staff prepared a Letter of Agreement incorporating your organization's suggestions and AMBAG Board actions. The key provisions include:

- AMBAG will sign the attached Letter of Agreement and receive all the signatures from the above Transit Providers <u>before</u> signing the Joint Powers Authority (JPA) Agreement to become a member of CalVans.
- AMBAG will initiate a Vanpool Advisory Committee to review service levels, funding sources and routes and to ensure that the Transit Providers have a voice in the provision of vanpool services in the region.
- AMBAG, through a FY 12 AB2766 grant from the Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District, will provide partial funding for new vanpools to other interested vanpool providers, in addition to CalVans.
- CalVans funding and levels of service in the region will generally remain similar to their current levels, unless otherwise agreed to by AMBAG and the Transit Providers.

We believe we have heard your concerns and addressed most of them, while still ensuring economic alternatives for transportation services that reduce emission levels as called for in the AB2766 grant program. Please, execute the Letter of Agreement and return it to Sasha Tepedelenova, Planner, at AMBAG. Once we have all the signatures of the listed above transit Providers, we will advise you and send you copies of the signature pages. AMBAG will then advise CalVans to process our request to be a signatory to the JPA Agreement.

Singgrely

Interim Executive Director



ASSOCIATION OF MONTEREY BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS

Les White, General Manager Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

RE: California Vanpool Authority Membership - Letter of Agreement

November 22, 2011

Dear Mr. White,

AMBAG is in the process of becoming a member of a Joint Powers Authority (JPA) to be known as "California Vanpool", hereinafter referred to as "CalVans", which is being formed pursuant to the California Government Code. CalVans is being created with a stated purpose of operating vanpool services and related activities, including but not limited to, obtaining grant funds and borrowing funds for purchasing and leasing vans, within its defined boundaries. The primary purpose in AMBAG becoming a Member Agency of CalVans is to assist in the planning and implementation of providing vanpool services to continue to meet the needs of the Monterey, San Benito, and Santa Cruz tri-county area population and to supplement transportation options in the region.

It is not the intent of AMBAG to compete with, or to replace any service currently offered by the Monterey-Salinas Transit, San Benito County Local Transportation Authority, Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District, and Community Bridges (hereinafter referred to as "Transit Providers"). The CalVans Joint Powers Authority Agreement contains language to insure that CalVans will not apply for grant funds that would impact its Member Agencies without their prior approval.

Article III Sections 3 & 4 of the CalVans Joint Powers Agreement read as follows:

"3. Non-Competition for Funds.

The Transit Authority shall not compete with any of its Member Agencies for state or federal funding without the prior written consent of the Member Agency.

4. Approval of Funding Applications.

The Transit Authority shall receive approval from a Member Agency prior to applying for federal, state or local funds within the jurisdiction of said Member Agency."

Further, as a CalVans Member Agency, AMBAG agrees to:

- 1. Create a Vanpool Advisory Committee consisting of representatives from Transit Providers, AMBAG and CalVans within 90 days of finalizing membership in the JPA. The Vanpool Advisory Committee will meet twice a year or on as needed basis to make recommendations regarding vanpool routes, levels of service, applications for federal, state and local funds in the AMBAG region, and other applicable issues pertaining to CalVans membership.
- 2. Refuse to provide CalVans with written permission to apply for funding that exceeds current funding levels that compete with the interests of Transit Providers, following the recommendations of the Transit Providers representatives at the Vanpool Advisory Committee.
- 3. Withdraw from the JPA with an advance written notice of 180 days, should CalVans violate the above mentioned Article III, Sections 3 & 4 of the CalVans Joint Powers Agreement.
- 4. Notify Transit Providers and seek their input immediately if a funding application for CalVans needs to be submitted in before the next scheduled Vanpool Advisory Committee meeting.
- 5. Through the Vanpool Advisory Committee, explore alternative options to CalVans for the provision of vanpool services in the region and report to the AMBAG Board within 180 days of finalizing membership in CalVans. The Committee will explore the availability of alternative vanpool providers in the region and the cost and value of their services.
- 6. Provide additional organizations the opportunity to utilize a subsidy through the AMBAG FY 12 AB2766 regional vanpool program grant partially funding new vanpool starts for the first year of their operation. Currently, CalVans operates thirty-seven traditional and agricultural vanpools serving the tricounty area. Nine traditional vanpools receive monthly subsidy for the first year of their operation through an AMBAG FY 10 AB2766 grant. In addition, AMBAG received a FY 12 AB2766 grant to fund a monthly subsidy for the first year of operation for thirty new vanpools. Unless and until AMBAG and Transit Providers agree otherwise, the number of CalVans vanpools using AB2766 funds in the tri-county area at any given time is not to exceed fifty-five vanpools.

The right is reserved by any or all of the PARTIES to this Agreement to terminate or suspend this Agreement with or without cause at any time by giving sixty (60) days written notice to the other PARTIES.

Signature Signature Director, AME	Date 11/22/1/
Les White, General Manager, Santa Cruz Me	
Signature	Date

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

STAFF REPORT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTING A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT RECORDS

RETENTION SCHEDULE

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Adopt the attached Resolution, which sets forth the Amended Records Retention Schedule.

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Authority for the disposition of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District's (METRO) records rests with the Board of Directors by statute.
- METRO has had a Records Retention Schedule since 1998.
- A consistent approach to the disposition of records is necessary for legal compliance and is a good business practice.
- From time to time, the Records Retention Schedule is reviewed and updated to reflect
 the current needs of METRO. The last time the schedule was updated was in May of
 2009.
- METRO managers and staff have reviewed and modified the schedule and are requesting Board approval of those modifications.

III. DISCUSSION

Public Utilities Code Section 98234 vests authority with the METRO Board of Directors to determine if and when a record, map, book or paper in the possession of the METRO or any officer or employee thereof is of no further value to the METRO. When a METRO record is of no further value, the Board of Directors may authorize by resolution its sale, destruction or other disposition. In August 1998, the Board of Directors adopted the METRO's first Records Retention Schedule. Since that time, Santa Cruz METRO managers have determined that additional records should be added to or substituted from the schedule and have brought amendments to the attention of the Board of Directors for appropriate action. METRO's Records Retention Schedule specifically identifies the record at issue, the department that is designated as responsible for the record and the length of time that the record is to be maintained.

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Numerous federal and state statutes require that employers retain certain employment records for various periods of time. California law requires that the bulk of personnel records be kept for a minimum of 4 years except that pension and welfare plan information must be kept for 6 years, first-aid records of job injuries causing loss of work time must be kept for 5 years and safety and toxic/chemical exposure records including material safety data sheets must be kept for the duration of employment plus 30 years.

It is important to note that, irrespective of any legal requirement to retain employment records, a public agency may have a particularized need to do so. Certain records relating to the governance of the METRO and the ownership of real property are kept indefinitely. Other records are kept for the periods of time set forth in various federal and state statutes, which specifically require that certain records be retained for defined periods of time. For records in general, good business practices recommend that they be maintained for a minimum of two years. Another consideration in the establishment of the period of time records should be retained is the statute of limitations for legal actions, which may be impacted by the documents, especially employees' claims and contracts. Each METRO Manager, with input from their staff, has closely reviewed the records retention schedule for their departments to insure it accurately reflects the records they maintain and to insure that METRO is in compliance with its requirements for retention and disposal of records.

An additional issue, which bears on the retention and disposition of records, are that certain records must be kept in a confidential manner and must be disposed of in a confidential manner. Therefore, language was added to the resolution adopted on May 22, 2009 to require that confidential records be kept in a protected manner.

Through adoption of the attached Resolution, METRO records will be maintained and destroyed in accordance with federal and state law, in a consistent manner, in accordance with good business practices and as authorized by the Board of Directors.

IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

None.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: Resolution Adopting an Amended Records Retention Schedule for the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District (red-lined showing changes)

Attachment A SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

Regulation Number: AR- 1019

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Effective Date: August 21, 1998

Pages: 16

TITLE: RECORDS RETENTION SCHEDULE

Procedure History		
REVISION DATE	SUMMARY OF REVISION	APPROVED
August 21, 1998	Implementation of Policy	J. A.
September 17, 1999	Add Amendments to Schedule	J. B.
January 18, 2002	Add Amendments to Schedule	S. A.
March 25, 2005	Add Amendments to Schedule,	M.K.
	including title change	
May 22, 2009	Add ParaCruz records; Revise records	D.B.
	and retention periods	

I. POLICY

- 1.01 It is the policy of the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District (METRO) that records be retained in accordance with federal and state requirements or when it is in the best interest of METRO to do so.
- 1.02 Attached is METRO's Records Retention Schedule which details the length of time each record series is to be maintained in department files; how long it is to be maintained in inactive status, if and when such record can be destroyed and the department which is the keeper of the official copy of the record.
- 1.03 In accordance with California State law, the Board of Directors is solely vested with the power and authority to authorize destruction of METRO's records, maps, books or paper that is of no further value to the District.

II. APPLICABILITY

- 2.01 The Records Retention Schedule shall be followed by every METRO employee so that METRO will have a consistent policy and procedure for managing its records.
- 2.02 Specific categories control over the general categories.

Attachment A SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

III. STANDARDS

- 3.01 Employee personnel files, employee medical files and other similar files or records in the possession of the METRO that contain confidential information will be kept and maintained in a confidential manner, on a need to know basis only and in accordance with Federal and California laws and regulations and sound business practices. Confidential files and records may not be disclosed except:
 - a) To METRO Directors, officers, and employees as required in the ordinary course of business (including disclosure during the grievance and/or disciplinary process);
 - b) Upon written consent by the affected employee or other proper written authorization; or
 - c) Where compelled by law, such as by subpoena, court order or search warrant.

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
APPLICABLE TO ALL DEPARTMENTS:					
DEPARTMENT WORKING PAPERS & DRAFTS	ACT	NA	APPLICABLE GENERATING DEPT.	ACT	
E-MAIL MESSAGES ON SERVERS	WU	NA	APPLICABLE GENERATING/ RECEIVING DEPT.	WU	
EMPLOYEE FIELD FILE	ACT	02	APPLICABLE GENERATING DEPT.	ACT +02	
GENERAL (DEPARTMENT FILES)	03	02	APPLICABLE GENERATING DEPT.	05	
PROJECT FILES	ACT	06	APPLICABLE GENERATING DEPT.	ACT+06	PA,GR
SUBJECT AND REFERENCE MATERIALS	ACT	NA	APPLICABLE GENERATING DEPT.	ACT	
ADMINISTRATION RECORDS:					
AGENDA PACKETS/MINUTES – OTHER AGENCIES & ORGANIZATIONS	ACT	03	ADM	ACT+03	
BOARD OF DIRECTOR AGENDA PACKETS (METRO)	02	IND	ADM	IND	V, PA
BOARD OF DIRECTOR MEETING AUDIO AND VIDEO TAPE RECORDINGS (METRO)	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
CONFLICT OF INTEREST (BOARD/STAFF)	02	05	ADM	07	
CONTRACT COMPLIANCE FILE	ACT	06	ADM	ACT+06	GR
CONTRACT PAYMENT/PERF ADMIN DOCUMENTS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
CONTRACTED SERVICE RECORDS	04	03	ADM	07	
CONTRACTS/AGREEMENTS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	V
CONTRACTS – REAL PROPERTY IMPROVEMENTS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
COPYRIGHT/TRADEMARK PATENT RECORDS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
ADMINISTRATION RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
CORRESPONDENCE FILES	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
DISTRICT-WIDE REGULATIONS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
ENGINEERING/CONSTRUCTION TECH DOCUMENTS (MOVED FROM OLD PLANNING/MARKETING ENTRY)	ACT	LOS+10	ADM	LOS+10	To be stored on CD or zip disk
ETHICS TRAINING PARTICIPATION CERTIFICATES	ACT	05	ADM	ACT+05	
GENERAL SVCS (MAIL/ SUPPLIES/ GRAPHICS)	03	NA	ADM	03	
GRANT MANAGEMENT FILES	ACT	03	ADM (Grants)	ACT+03	GR
GRANT RECORDS (GRANT-FUNDED PROJECTS)	ACT	03	ADM (Grants)	ACT+03	GR
INSURANCE – CALTIP STUDY SESSION PACKETS, AUDIT REPORTS, AGENDA PACKETS	ACT	03	ADM	ACT+03	
INTERNAL AUDITS	03	IND	ADM	IND	
INVESTIGATION FILES (INSPECTOR GENERAL)	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
JOINT DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FILES	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
LEASE FILES (INCLUDES PROPERTY MGMT.)	ACT	06	ADM	ACT+06	
LEGAL COMPLIANCE DOCS (FTA)	06	IND	ADM (GRANTS)	IND	GR
MARKETING ACTIVITY RECORDS MOVED FROM OLD PLANNING/MARKETING ENTRY	03	NA	ADM	03	GR - To be stored on CD or zip disk
PUBLIC HEARING NOTICES	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	3.02
RTC TRIENNIAL REVIEWS, FTA TRIENNIAL REVIEWS, CUSTOMER SERVICE COMPLAINTS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	3.03
PLANNING/FORECASTING (5-YR/30-YR,)- MOVED FROM OLD PLANNING/MARKETING ENTRY	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	PA - To be stored on CD or zip disk
PROPERTY ACQUISTION (APPRAISAL)	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
PROTEST FILE (CONTRACTS)	ACT	03	ADM	ACT+03	GR

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
ADMINISTRATION RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
PUBLIC AFFAIRS (PRESS RELEASES, PHOTOS)	05	IND	ADM	IND	
PUBLIC COMMENT LETTERS	01	IND	ADM	IND	PA,GR
PUBLIC MEETING FILES	01	IND	ADM	IND	PA,GR
PURCHASE ORDERS (REGULAR/YEARLY)	03	03	ADM/PURCH	06	GR
PURCHASING (UNSUCCESSFUL BIDS & PROPOSALS	03	NA	ADM/PURCH	03	GR
REAL ESTATE GENERAL FILES	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
SRTP MOVED FROM PREVIOUS PLANNING/MARKETING ENTRY	IND	IND	ADM	IND	PA - To be stored on CD or zip disk
TAPE RECORDINGS OF PUBLIC HEARINGS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND OTHER MEETINGS OTHER THAN BOARD OF DIRECTORS' MEETINGS (IF RECORDED)	60 DAYS	0	ADM	60 DAYS	
TRAINING/TRAVEL PACKETS (EMPLOYEE)	ACT	03	ADM	ACT+03	
TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT	ACT	0	ADM	ACT	
UNIONS – GRIEVANCES, CORRESPONDENCE, ARBITRATION PROCEEDINGS, LABOR AGREEMENTS	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	
VEHICLE REHAB & PURCHASE	ACT	04	ADM	ACT + 04	
WARRANTIES	ACT	IND	ADM	IND	

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
FACILITY MAINTENANCE RECORDS:					
AIR COMPRESSOR CERTIFICATION	05	01	MAINT	06	
BUILDING BLUEPRINTS AS BUILTS	ACT	01	MAINT	ACT +01	GR
BUILDING SPECS	ACT	01	MAINT	ACT +01	GR
BUILDING WARRANTIES	ACT	01	MAINT	ACT +01	GR
BUS STOP BLUEPRINTS AS BUILTS	ACT	01	MAINT	ACT +01	GR
CONSTRUCTION/ENCROACHMENT PERMITS/RIDERS	ACT	LOS + 10	MAINT	LOS + 10	LOS
EMPLOYEE MEDICAL RECORDS – HAZARD EXPOSURE	ACT	IND	MAINT	IND	
ENVIRON/ TESTING/ EXPOSURE/ MONITORING REPORT	01	29	MAINT	30	
EQUIPMENT WARRANTIES	ACT	LOS	MAINT	LOS	GR
HAZARDOUS MAT. CHEM INV. FORMS (HCS-88)	ACT	IND	MAINT	IND	
HAZARDOUS WASTE MANIFEST FORMS	03	IND	MAINT	IND	
HAZCOM TRAINING RECORDS	IND	IND	MAINT	IND	
MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS	ACT	IND	MAINT	IND	
NOISE EXPOSURE/AUDIOMETRIC TESTING	02	IND	MAINT	IND	
RELEASE REPORT	03	01	MAINT	04	
UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK PERMITS	ACT	LOS	MAINT	LOS	

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
FINANCE RECORDS:					
ACCOUNTING INFORMATION RPTS	01	06	FINANCE	07	
ACCOUNTING JOURNAL/ LEDGERS	01	06	FINANCE	07	V
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE & RECEIV VOUCHERS/ INVOICES	01	06	FINANCE	07	GR
ACCRUAL ADJUSTMENT REPORTS	01	06	FINANCE	07	
ADMIN COMP TIME, FLOATING HOLIDAY BALANCE REPORT	01	06	FINANCE	07	
ANNUAL LEAVE, SICK LEAVE, PERSONAL LEAVE BALANCE REPORT	01	06	FINANCE	07	
ASSETS RECONCILATION TO PHYSICAL COUNT	ACT	03	FINANCE	ACT +03	GR
ATTENDANCE REGISTER/PAYROLL	02	05	FINANCE	07	
ATTRIBUTABLE INCOME REPORTS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
BAD DEBTS/UNCOLLECTABLE ACCT RECORDS	01	06	FINANCE	07	
BANK STATEMENTS	01	06	FINANCE	07	
BANKING (DEPOSITS/CANCELLED CHECKS)	01	06	FINANCE	07	
BOND/DEBENTURE/INVESTMENT RECORDS	ACT	IND	FINANCE	IND	V
BUDGET (ANNUAL)	02	IND	FINANCE	IND	PA
BUDGET (ANNUAL) SUPPORT DOCUMENTS	02	08	FINANCE	10	
CASH RECEIPT LEDGER	01	06	FINANCE	07	
DBE CERTIFICATION RECORDS – APPROVED	ACT	06	FINANCE/ PURCH	ACT+06	MOVED FROM ADM
DBE CERTIFICATION RECORDS – DENIED	02	01	FINANCE/ PURCH	03	MOVED FROM ADM
DEDUCTIONS LIST	02	05	FINANCE	07	
DEDUCTIONS MASTER LOG FILE SUMMARY	01	01	FINANCE	02	
DEEDS OF TRUST	IND	NA	FINANCE	IND	LOS
DEPOSIT SLIP BOOKS	02	05	FINANCE	07	

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
FINANCE RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
EARNINGS HISTORY	02	05	FINANCE	07	
EARNINGS LIST	02	05	FINANCE	07	
EMPLOYEE MASTER LOG FILE SUMMARY	01	01	FINANCE	02	
EMPLOYEE PAYROLL DATA	02	05	FINANCE	07	
EMPLOYEE PAYROLL FILE	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	
FINANCE GENERAL	01	02	FINANCE	03	
FINANCIAL AUDITS (EXTERNAL)	01	IND	FINANCE	IND	V
FIXED ASSET INVENTORY LISTING	ACT	03	FINANCE	ACT +03	GR
FIXED ASSET RECORDS – PERMANENT	ACT	IND	FINANCE	IND	
GFI REPORTS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
HOURS ACCUMULATOR REPORT	02	05	FINANCE	07	
INSURANCE (POLICIES/AMENDMENTS)	ACT	IND	FINANCE	IND	V
LOBBYIST REPORTS (QUARTERLY)	02	05	FINANCE	07	
MASTER FILE	02	05	FINANCE	07	
METRO HOURS REPORT	02	05	FINANCE	07	
NOTICE – PAY RATE FOR BUS OPERATORS	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	SEE EMPLOYEE FILE
NOTICE – PAY RATE FOR MANAGEMENT	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	SEE EMPLOYEE FILE
NOTICE – PAY RATE FOR PSA	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	SEE EMPLOYEE FILE
NOTICE – PAY RATE FOR SEA	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	SEE EMPLOYEE FILE
NOTICE – PAY RATE FOR VMU	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	SEE EMPLOYEE FILE
PAYROLL ADJUSTMENTS REPORTS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
PAYROLL INTERFACE	02	05	FINANCE	07	
PAYROLL REGISTER	02	05	FINANCE	07	

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FINANCE RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
PURCHASING (IFB/RFP/SUCCESS BIDS & PROPS	03	IND	FINANCE/ PURCH	IND	MOVED FROM ADM
SALES TAX ALLOCATION	01	IND	FINANCE	IND	
SIGNATURE LOG FOR PAY WARRANTS	01	01	FINANCE	02	
SUPPLEMENTAL LIFE DEDUCTIONS RECORDS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
TIME BANK RECORDS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
TIME SHEETS	03	04	FINANCE	07	GR
TIME SHEETS – DUBOIS	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	
TRUST WARRANT CLAIMS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
UNION BILL BACKS RECORDS	01	01	FINANCE	02	
UNION COPE DEDUCTIONS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
UNION CORRESPONDENCE	02	05	FINANCE	07	
UNION DUES NOTICES	ACT	07	FINANCE	ACT+07	SEE EMPLOYEE FILE
UNION INSURANCE NOTICES	02	05	FINANCE	07	
UNION TPEL NOTICES	02	05	FINANCE	07	
VAULT ROOM DAILY DATA BALANCE SHEETS	02	05	FINANCE	07	
VEHICLE TITLES	IND	NA	FINANCE	IND	LOV
WIRE TRANSFER BOOKS	02	05	FINANCE	07	V

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
FLEET MAINTENANCE RECORDS:					
ACCIDENT APPRAISAL REPORTS (COPIES)	01	06 MO	MAINT	18 MO	
AIR COMPRESSOR CERTIFICATION	05	01	MAINT	06	
BLUE FUEL CARDS	03 MO	10 MO	MAINT	13 MO	
BUS MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR RECORDS (BUS #2210-2238 AND BUS #2301-2311)	IND	IND	MAINT	IND	
CALLSTOP MAINTENANCE REQUEST FORMS	<u>ACT</u>	<u>02</u>	MAINT	<u>ACT+02</u>	
DAILY FUEL/SERVICING	03 MO	10 MO	MAINT	13 MO	
DAILY SHIFT ATTENDANCE RECORD (DSAR'S) ORIGINALS IN FLEET	01 MO <u>02</u>	01 - <u>05</u>	MAINT	13 MO <u>07</u>	
DRIVER'S LICENSE PULL NOTICE & DMV RECORDS	ACT	01	OPS, MAINT	ACT+01	
DRIVER VEHICLE CHECK SHEET ORIGINALS	03 06 MO	NA	MAINT	03 06 MO	
EMPLOYEE ATTENDANCE RECORDS .	01	07	MAINT	08	
FLEET MAINTENANCE PLAN ONLY	05	IND	MAINT	IND	
INSPECTION FORMS (A-E) ORIGINALS	03 MO	02	MAINT	27 MO	
INVENTORY COUNTS	01	07	MAINT	08	
INVENTORY VALUATIONS (MO END/YR END)	01	07	MAINT	08	
LICENSES/PERMITS (VEHICLES)	ACT	03	MAINT	ACT+03	
MONTH END REPORTS	01	07	MAINT	08	
REQUESTS FOR TIME OFF (RTO'S)	03 MO <u>02</u>	01 05	MAINT	15 MO <u>07</u>	
UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK REPORTS	01	IND	MAINT	IND	
VEHICLE HISTORIES	ACT	05	MAINT	ACT +05	
VEHCILE OPACITY READINGS	01	01	MAINT	02	
VEHICLE REGISTRATION	ACT	N/A	MAINT	ACT	
VEHICLE WARRANTIES IN VEHICLE FILES	ACT	05	MAINT	ACT + 05	
WORK ORDERS	03 MO	03	MAINT	03+03 MO	DISCARDED

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
HUMAN RESOURCES RECORDS:					
BENEFITS/INSURANCE PLANS	ACT	10	HR	ACT+10	V
COMPLAINT FILES EEOC/DFEH	ACT	05	HR	ACT+05	
DISCIPLINARY APPEALS/GRIEVANCES (LEVELS 1 AND 2; ARBITRATION)	ACT	04	HR	ACT+04	
DOCUMENTATION OF REFUSALS OF REQUIRED ALCOHOL/DRUG TESTS	05	01	HR	06	
DRUG & ALCOHOL COLLECTION & EMPLOYEE TRAINING	02	01	HR	03	
DRUG & ALCOHOL FOLLOW-UP TEST RESULTS AND SCHEDULES	05	01	HR	06	
DRUG & ALCOHOL INSPECTION, MAINTENANCE AND CALIBRATION OF EBTS	02	01	HR	03	
DRUG & ALCOHOL NEGATIVE TEST RESULTS	01	01	HR	02	V
DRUG & ALCOHOL POSITIVE TEST RESULTS	05	01	HR	06	
DRUG & ALCOHOL SAP & MIS REPORTS SUBMITTED TO FTA	05	01	HR	06	
DRUG & ALCOHOL TEST RESULTS FROM PREVIOUS EMPLOYERS	03	01	HR	04	
EEO/AA PLAN	ACT	05	HR	ACT+05	
EMPLOYEE ACCIDENT/INJURY (W/C)	ACT	05	HR	ACT+05	
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT FILES	ACT	10	HR	ACT+10	
EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL FILES	ACT	07	HR	ACT +07	
EMPLOYEE SELECTION LISTS	03	07	HR	10	
HEALTH DEDUCTIONS RECORDS	ACT	10	HR	ACT+10	
I-9 FORMS	ACT	03	HR	ACT +0 3	
JOB FLYERS	02	02	HR	04	
LABOR CONTRACTS	ACT	IND	HR	IND	V
LABOR NEGOTIATION FILES	ACT	IND	HR	IND	
OSHA 300 LOG & SUMMARY	06	NA	HR	06	

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
HUMAN RESOURCES RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
PERS FILES INCLUDING VARIOUS MEMBER STATEMENT DATA	ACT	10	HR	ACT+10	
SALARY SCHEDULE RECORDS	03	03	HR	06	
STATUS CHANGE REPORTS	ACT	07	HR	ACT+07	
TRAINING/EMPLOYEE DEVELOPMENT FILES	ACT	03	HR	ACT+03	
Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
IT RECORDS:					
BART CAVALLARO TRANSIT CENTER SURVEILLANCE VIDEO	30DAYS	11MO	Cavallaro Station	01	
ELECTRONIC BUILDING ACCESS RECORDS	30 DAYS	11 MO	Fueling Facility	01	
EMAIL MESSAGES ON SERVERS	01 MO	NA	IT	01 MO	
PACIFIC STATION SURVEILLANCE VIDEO	20DAYS	00	Pacific Station	20 DAYS	Stored on DVR until overwritten
VAULT ROOM/VIDEO SURVEILLANCE FUELING FACILITY	30 DAYS	11MO	Fueling Facility	01	MOVED FROM OPS
Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
LEGAL RECORDS:					
ADA/504 COMPLAINTS	03	07	LEGAL	10	
ACTUARIAL REPORTS	03	07	LEGAL	10	
AUDITOR REPORTS	03	07	LEGAL	10	
BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORTS ON OPEN/CLOSED CASE FILES	03	07	LEGAL	10	
CLAIM/LITIGATION CASE FILES	ACT	10	LEGAL	ACT+10	
COLLECTION FILES	ACT	05	LEGAL	ACT +05	
COURT ORDER/AGENCY COMPLIANCE DOCUMENTS	ACT	09	LEGAL	ACT+09	
FMLA/CFRA/PDL DOCUMENTS & NOTICES	ACT	10	LEGAL	ACT+10	
KINCARE DOCUMENTATION	ACT	10	LEGAL	ACT+10	

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LEGAL RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
LEGAL BEAGLE	ACT	03	LEGAL	ACT+03	
LEGAL OPINIONS	IND	IND	LEGAL	IND	
LEGAL SERVICE COPIES (SUBPOENAS; DECLARATIONS; RECORDS REQUESTS)	ACT	03	LEGAL	ACT +03	
NATIONAL TRANSIT DATABASE REPORTING	02	03	LEGAL	05	
OCCURRENCE REPORT LOGGING PROCEDURES FORM	<u>03</u>	<u>N/A</u>	LEGAL	03	
OCCURRENCE REPORTS/INCIDENT REPORTS	<u>03</u>	N/A	LEGAL	<u>03</u>	
ORIGINAL DISPOSITIONAL SUMMARY MEMORANDUMS/SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS AND RELEASES	IND	IND	LEGAL	IND	
PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS	03	07	LEGAL	10	
RECORDS RETENTION SCHEDULE	ACT	IND	LEGAL	IND	
Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
OPERATIONS RECORDS:					
ACCIDENT REVIEW DATABASE	01	N/A	OPS	01	
BASE RADIO RECORDINGS (DISPATCH & TELEPHONE LINES)	60 DAYS	02	OPS	02+60 DAYS	
BSAC COMMITTEE RECORDS	01	N/A	OPS	01	
COPY OF DRIVER'S LICENSE, MEDICAL CARDS, VTT TRAINING RECORDS & PULL NOTICES	ACT	NA	OPS	ACT	
CUSTOMER SERVICE COMPLAINT	ACT	03	OPS	ACT+03	
CUSTOMER SERVICE COMPLAINT DATABASE	ACT	05	OPS	ACT+05	
DISCOUNT FARE POLICY DATABASE	ACT	05	OPS	ACT+05	
DISCOUNT FARE POLICY RECORDS	ACT	NA	OPS	ACT	
HEADWAYS-	ACT	IND	OPS	IND	
IIPP COMMITTEE RECORDS	01	N/A	OPS	01	
LABOR MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE RECORDS	01	N/A	OPS	01	
METRO CENTER BICYCLE ABATEMENT	30 DAYS	11 MO	OPS	01	

Record Series Titl	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
OPERATIONS RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
OPERATIONS NEWSLETTERS / OPS STAFF MEMOS	ACT	03	OPS	ACT+03	
OPERATIONS PULLOUT SHEETS	01 MO	03	OPS	03+01MO	
OPERATIONS SAFETY & TRAINING RECORDS	05	NA	OPS	05	
OPERATIONS SCHEDULING RECORDS	02	05	OPS	07	
OPERATIONS YARD VIDEO SURVEILLANCE TAPES	31 DAYS	0	OPS	31 DAYS	
OPERATORS DAILY TIME RECORDS & PAYROLL	ACT	05	OPS	ACT+05	
PASS SELLERS RECORDS	01	02	OPS	03	To be stored on CD or zip disk
QUALITY OF WORK COMMITTEE RECORDS	01	N/A	OPS	01	
SAFETY AND HEALTH COMMITTEE RECORDS	01	N/A	OPS	01	
SECURITY – OFFICER DAILY LOGS	30 DAYS	30 DAYS	OPS	60 DAYS	
SECURITY – INCIDENT REPORTS	30 DAYS	11 MO	OPS	01	
SPARC COMMITTEE RECORDS	01	N/A	OPS	01	
VEHICLE ACCIDENT / INCIDENT REPORT PACKETS	ACTNA	06	OPS	ACT+06	
Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
PARACRUZ RECORDS:					
ACCIDENT REPORTS	01 MO N/A	06	OPS	06+01MO <u>06</u>	
ADA FILES	03	02	OPS	05	
ALPHA LISTS OF ELIGIBLE PASSENGERS	01	02	OPS	03	
APPEALS RECORDS	ACT	04	OPS	ACT+04	
CUSTOMER SERVICE REPORTS	01	IND	OPS	IND	
DAILY ASSESSMENT CALENDAR	01	02	OPS	03	
DAILY PASSENGER LISTS	01	05	OPS	06	
EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL FILES	ACT	07	PARACRUZ	ACT+07	

Attachment A

Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District Records Retention Schedule

Record Series Title	Years Active	Years Inactive	Office of Record	Total Yrs. Retention	Comment
PARACRUZ RECORDS (CONTINUED):					
IMMEDIATE NEED REQUESTS	01	02	OPS	03	
MANIFESTS	01	05	OPS	06	
MONTHLY RECERTIFICATION NOTICES	01	02	OPS	03	
PAYROLL RECORDS	ACT	IND	PARACRUZ	IND	
PROCESSED CERTIFICATIONS AND RECERTIFICATIONS	01	02	OPS	03	
SUBSCRIPTION RIDE RECORDS	02	06	OPS	08	STORED IN TRAPEZE
TELEPHONE RECORDINGS	01	01	OPS	02	
VIDEO RECORDINGS	03 DAYS	00	OPS	03 DAYS	Stored on DVR- until overwritten
VISITOR STATUS REQUESTS	01	02	OPS	03	

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Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District Records Retention Schedule

CODES:	DEFINITIONS:
ACT	WHILE ACTIVE (INCLUDES "VEHICLE LIFE"; "EMPLOYMENT PERIOD")
ADM	ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT
CFRA	CALIFORNIA FAMILY RIGHTS ACT
DEPT	DEPARTMENT
FINANCE	FINANCE DEPARTMENT
FMLA	FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE ACT
GR	IF GRANT-FUNDED (KEEP FOR MINIMUM OF 3 YEARS AFTER CLOSE OF GRANT AND 3 YEARS AFTER CLOSE OF ANY LITIGATION ON PROJECT)
HR	HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
IND	INDEFINITE
LEGAL	LEGAL DEPARTMENT
LOS	LIFE OF SYSTEM
LOV	LIFE OF VEHICLE
IT	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
MAINT	MAINTENANCE DEPARTMENT
МО	MONTH
NA	NOT APPLICABLE
OPS	OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT
PA	POTENTIALLY ARCHIVAL
PDL	PREGNANCY DISABILITY LEAVE
PURCH	PURCHASING
UC	UPON COMPLETION
V	VITAL RECORD
WC	WHEN CREATED
WU	WHEN USEFUL
YRS	YEARS

SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT

DATE: December 16, 2011

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Margaret Gallagher, District Counsel

SUBJECT: CONSIDERATION OF CANCELLATION OF SELECTION OF CHART

INC. AND SUBSTITUTE IN ITS PLACE PRENTEX ALLOY

FABRICATORS AS THE CONTRACTOR FOR THE PURCHASE OF A 15,000 GALLON VERTICAL LNG FUEL STORAGE TANK IN AN

AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$657,975

I. RECOMMENDED ACTION

Cancel the Selection of Chart Inc. as the Contractor for the purchase of a 15,000 gallon vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank, and authorize the General Manager to execute a contract with Prentex Alloy Fabricators in an amount not to exceed \$657,975 for the purchase of a 15,000 gallon vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank

II. SUMMARY OF ISSUES

- Santa Cruz METRO has a need to expand its LNG fueling capacity as METRO's CNG powered buses continue to increase in numbers.
- A competitive procurement was conducted to solicit bids from qualified firms.
- Two firms submitted bids for Santa Cruz MTRO's review. METRO staff and the engineering contractor reviewed the submitted bids.
- On November 18, 2011, Santa Cruz METRO's Board of Directors awarded the bid to Chart, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$290,022.50. However, Chart, Inc. refused to execute the contract unless modifications were made to three sections of the contract which are considered substantial modifications
- METRO staff recommends that the Board of Directors cancel the selection of Chart Inc. and substitute in its place Prentex Alloy Fabricators, Inc. as the Contractors for the purchase of the LNG fuel storage tank in an amount not to exceed \$657,975.

III. DISCUSSION

Santa Cruz METRO is in need to expand the CNG fueling capacities as METRO's fleet of CNG powered buses continues to increase in number. Currently the fueling station at 1200B River Street has only one storage tank for LNG fuel. This facility was designed for expansion and the addition of a second fuel storage tank. A second fuel tank is needed to insure adequate supply of LNG fuel for the increase in daily fueling requirements to the CNG bus fleet and to insure an adequate supply should any delivery problems arise.

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On October 3, 2011, Santa Cruz METRO invitation for Bid No. 12-17 was mailed to eighteen firms, was legally advertised, and a notice was posted on Santa Cruz METRO's web site. On November 3, 2011, bids were received and opened from two firms. On November 18, 2011, the Board of Directors awarded the contract to Chart Inc. METRO's Purchasing Agent forwarded the contracts to Chart for execution. Instead of executing the contracts "as is", Chart modified the contract in three areas summarized as follows (See Attachment C for complete description of modifications):

- 1. Warranty: METRO's contract required a warranty for parts and labor for a period of one year from the date of acceptance. Chart modified the contract to include a warranty for equipment manufactured by Chart to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of one year after initial use or 18 months from shipment whichever expires first except that parts sold as spares or for replacement are only warranted for 90 days. Additionally, Chart indicated that its warranties would not cover "Buyer-furnished designs..." or if Chart determined that the tank was "improperly installed or repaired." These exceptions arguably eviscerated the required warranty. Chart also required METRO to defend, indemnify and hold Chart harmless from any third party claims arising out of the "use" of the furnished tank should any failure to conform to the applicable warranties stated above occur during the warranty periods.
- **2. Limitation of Liability:** METRO's contract includes an indemnification and hold harmless provision against the contractor which is not limited to any amount. Chart modified the contract to limit its damages arising out of the contract and any provision thereof including for breach of warranty, negligence, tort, strict liability, and indemnification to the contract purchase price paid to Chart. This provision would cap Chart's potential liability to \$290,022.50.
- **3. Termination for Convenience:** METRO's contracts generally are required to have a termination for convenience clause allows METRO to terminate a contract when it is in its best interest to do so. The contract also provides for what will happen if METRO takes this action. Chart wants to modify the contract to include language that will require METRO to pay Chart the contract price for the completed supplies and the total of the costs incurred in the performance of the work terminated including the costs of settling and paying terminated settlement proposals under terminated subcontracts, and a sum as profit and any storage transportation and other costs incurred reasonably necessary for the preservation, protection or disposition of any termination inventory.

These modifications change the scope of the contract placing the burden of liability on METRO rather than on the Contractor. Therefore, METRO staff is recommending that the Board of Directors cancel the selection of Chart Inc. as the Contractor for the purchase of the LNG tank and instead select Prentex Alloy Fabricators, Inc.

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IV. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Funds to support this contract are included in the Metro Base PTMISEA budget.

V. ATTACHMENTS

Attachment A: List of Bidders and Bid Summary

Attachment B: Contract with Prentex Alloy Fabricators, Inc.

Attachment C: Chart Inc.'s Contract Modifications

Note: the IFB along with its Exhibits and any addendum are available for review at the Santa Cruz METRO's Administration's Office located at 110 Vernon Street, Santa Cruz.

Attachment A

Bid Results for IFB No. 12-17 For 15,000 Gallon Vertical LNG Storage Tank

Opened November 3, 2011 at 2:00 PM

Bidder	Unit Price	Tax	Extended		
Chart Inc. of New Prague, MN					
1. Tank	\$248,500	\$21,122.50	\$269,622.50		
2. Freight Charges	\$10,400		\$10,400		
Optional additional year of warranty	\$10,000		\$10,000		
Total Base Bid (Items 1 and 2)		in an	\$280,022.50		
Prentex Alloy Fabricators of Dallas, TX					
1. Tank	\$585,000	\$49,725	\$634,725		
2. Freight Charges	\$23,500		\$23,500		
Optional additional year of warranty	Included				
Total Base Bid (Items 1 and 2)			\$657,975		

Attachment B

CONTRACT FOR PROCUREMENT OF ONE 15,000 GALLON, VERTICAL LNG FUEL STORAGE TANK (12-17)

THIS CONTRACT is made effective on December 16, 2011 between the SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT, a political subdivision of the State of California ("Santa Cruz METRO"), and PRENTEX ALLOY FABRICATORS, INC. ("Contractor").

1. RECITALS

1.01 Santa Cruz METRO's Primary Objective

Santa Cruz METRO is a public entity whose primary objective is providing public transportation and has its principal office at 110 Vernon Street, Santa Cruz, California 95060.

1.02 Santa Cruz METRO's Need for one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank

Santa Cruz METRO requires the purchase of one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank to be used for standard purposes. In order to obtain said one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank, Santa Cruz METRO issued an Invitation for Bids, dated October 3, 2011 setting forth specifications for such one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank. The Invitation for Bids is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit A.

1.03 Contractor's Bid Form

Contractor is a supplier of one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank desired by Santa Cruz METRO and whose principal place of business is 3108 Sylvan Avenue, Dallas, Texas. Pursuant to the Invitation for Bids by Santa Cruz METRO, Contractor submitted a bid for Provision of said one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit B.

1.04 Selection of Contractor and Intent of Contract

On December 16, 2011, Santa Cruz METRO selected Contractor as the lowest responsive, responsible bidder to provide said one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank. The purpose of this Contract is to set forth the provisions of this procurement.

1.05 Contractor and Supplier Synonymous

For the purposes of this Contract, the terms "contractor" and "supplier" are synonymous.

Santa Cruz METRO and Contractor agree as follows:

2. INCORPORATED DOCUMENTS AND APPLICABLE LAW

2.01 Documents Incorporated in This Contract

The documents listed below are attached to this Contract and by reference made a part hereof. This is an integrated Contract. This writing constitutes the final expression of the parties' Contract, and it is a complete and exclusive statement of the provisions of that Contract, except for written amendments, if any, made after the date of this Contract in accordance with Section 13.14 of the General Conditions of the Contract.

a) Exhibit A

Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District's "Invitation for Bids" dated October 3, 2011 including Addendum No. 1 dated October 20, 2011.

b) Exhibit B (Bid Form)

Contractor's Bid Form to Santa Cruz METRO for one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Fuel Storage Tank, signed by Contractor and dated November 2, 2011.

2.02 Conflicts

Where in conflict, the provisions of this writing supersede those of the above-referenced documents, Exhibits A and B. Where in conflict, the provisions of Exhibit A supersede Exhibit B.

2.03 Recitals

The Recitals set forth in Article 1 are part of this Contract.

3. TIME OF PERFORMANCE

3.01 General

Contractor shall perform work under this Contract at such times to enable it to meet the time schedules specified in the Specifications Section of the IFB. The Contractor shall not be responsible for delays caused by force majeure events described in Section 2 of the General Conditions of the Contract.

3 02 Term

The term of this Contract commences on the execution of the contract and shall remain in force for a one (1) year period thereafter. Santa Cruz METRO and

Contractor may extend the term of this Contract at any time for any reason upon mutual written consent

4. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

4.01 Terms of Payment

Upon written acceptance, Santa Cruz METRO agrees to pay Contractor as identified in the Bid Form, Exhibit B, not to exceed \$657,975 for satisfactory completion of all work under the terms and provisions of this Contract within thirty (30) days thereof. Contractor understands and agrees that if he/she exceeds the \$657,975 maximum amount payable under this contract, that it does so at its own risk.

4.02 Invoices

Contractor shall submit invoices with a purchase order number provided by Santa Cruz METRO on a monthly basis. Contractor's invoices shall include detailed records showing actual time devoted, work accomplished, date work accomplished, personnel used, and amount billed per hour. Expenses shall only be billed if allowed under the contract. Telephone call expenses shall show the nature of the call and identify location and individual called.

Said invoice records shall be kept up-to-date at all times and shall be available for inspection by Santa Cruz METRO (or any grantor of Santa Cruz METRO, including, without limitation, any State or Federal agency providing project funding or reimbursement) at any time for any reason upon demand for not less than four (4) years after the date of expiration or termination of the contract. Under penalty of law, Contractor represents that all amounts billed to Santa Cruz METRO are (1) actually incurred; (2) reasonable in amount; (3) related to this contract; and (4) necessary for performance of the services. No expenses shall be paid by Santa Cruz METRO unless specifically allowed by this contract.

5. NOTICES

All notices under this Contract shall be deemed duly given upon delivery, if delivered by hand; or three (3) days after posting, if sent by registered mail, receipt requested; to a party hereto at the address hereinunder set forth or to such other address as a party may designate by notice pursuant hereto.

Santa Cruz METRO CONTRACTOR

Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Attention: General Manager Attention: David Wester

Prentex Alloy Fabricators, Inc. 3108 Sylvan Avenue Dallas, TX 75212

6. <u>AUTHORITY</u>

Each party has full power and authority to enter into and perform this Contract and the person signing this Contract on behalf of each has been properly authorized and empowered to enter into it. Each party further acknowledges that it has read this Contract, understands it, and agrees to be bound by it.

Signed on
SANTA CRUZ METRO—SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT
Leslie R. White General Manager
CONTRACTOR – PRENTEX ALLOY FABRICATORS, INC.
By David Wester, President
Approved as to Form:
Margaret Rose Gallagher Santa Cruz METRO Counsel



Chart Inc. Distribution & Storage Group

407 Seventh Street N W New Prague, MN 56071-1000 Phone: 952.758 4484 Fax: 952 758 8255 www.chart-ind.com

December 2, 2011

Erron Alvery Santa Cruz Metro 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060

Dear Erron,

Attached are five (5) signed copies of the contract between the Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District and Chart Inc. as requested.

Please note, 2.02 Conflicts, has been changed and initialed by Roger W. Hansen.

Feel free to contact us with any questions.

Regards,

Kristi R. Reker

Kristi. R. Reker Project Administration

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Enclosures

cc:

Kevin Jirak Gary Mikkelson

CONTRACT FOR PROCUREMENT OF ONE 15,000 GALLON, VERTICAL LNG STORAGE TANK (12-17)

THIS CONTRACT is made effective on November 18, 2011 between the SANTA CRUZ METROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICT, a political subdivision of the State of California ("Santa Cruz METRO"), and CHART, INC. ("Contractor").

1 RECITALS

1.01 Santa Cruz METRO's Primary Objective

Santa Cruz METRO is a public entity whose primary objective is providing public transportation and has its principal office at 110 Vernon Street, Santa Cruz, California 95060.

1.02 Santa Cruz METRO's Need for one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank

Santa Cruz METRO requires the purchase of one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank to be used for standard purposes. In order to obtain said one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank, Santa Cruz METRO issued an Invitation for Bids, dated October 3, 2011 setting forth specifications for such one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank. The Invitation for Bids is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit A.

1.03 Contractor's Bid Form

Contractor is a supplier of one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank desired by Santa Cruz METRO and whose principal place of business is 407 7th Street NW, New Prague, Minnesota. Pursuant to the Invitation for Bids by Santa Cruz METRO, Contractor submitted a bid for Provision of said one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit B.

1.04 Selection of Contractor and Intent of Contract

On November 18, 2011, Santa Cruz METRO selected Contractor as the lowest responsive, responsible bidder to provide said one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank. The purpose of this Contract is to set forth the provisions of this procurement.

1.05 Contractor and Supplier Synonymous

For the purposes of this Contract, the terms "contractor" and "supplier" are synonymous.

Santa Cruz METRO and Contractor agree as follows:

2 INCORPORATED DOCUMENTS AND APPLICABLE LAW

2 01 Documents Incorporated in This Contract

The documents listed below are attached to this Contract and by reference made a part hereof. This is an integrated Contract. This writing constitutes the final expression of the parties' Contract, and it is a complete and exclusive statement of the provisions of that Contract, except for written amendments, if any, made after the date of this Contract in accordance with Section 13.14 of the General Conditions of the Contract.

a) Exhibit A

Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District's "Invitation for Bids" dated October 3, 2011 including Addendum No 1 dated October 20, 2011.

b) Exhibit B (Bid Form)

Contractor's Bid Form to Santa Cruz METRO for one 15,000 Gallon, Vertical LNG Storage Tank, signed by Contractor and dated November 3, 2011.

2.02 Conflicts

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Where in conflict, the provisions of this writing supersede those of the above-referenced documents, Exhibits A and B. Except for the terms contained in Chart Inc /Attachment #1 to Part I / Bid Form of Exhibit B (Bid Form) where in conflict the provisions of Exhibit A supersede Exhibit B.

2 03 Recitals

The Recitals set forth in Article 1 are part of this Contract.

3 TIMEOFPERFORMANCE

3.01 General

Contractor shall petform work under this Contract at such times to enable it to meet the time schedules specified in the Specifications Section of the IFB The Contractor shall not be responsible for delays caused by force majeure events described in Section 2 of the General Conditions of the Contract.

3.02 Term

The term of this Contract commences on the execution of the contract and shall remain in force for a one (1) year period thereafter. Santa Cruz METRO and

Contractor may extend the term of this Contract at any time for any reason upon mutual written consent.

4. <u>COMPENSATION</u>

4.01 Terms of Payment

Upon written acceptance, Santa Cruz METRO agrees to pay Contractor as identified in the Bid Form, Exhibit B, not to exceed \$290,022.50 for satisfactory completion of all work under the terms and provisions of this Contract within thirty (30) days thereof. Contractor understands and agrees that if he/she exceeds the \$290,022.50 maximum amount payable under this contract, that it does so at its own risk.

4.02 Invoices

Contractor shall submit invoices with a purchase order number provided by Santa Cruz METRO on a monthly basis. Contractor's invoices shall include detailed records showing actual time devoted, work accomplished, date work accomplished, personnel used, and amount billed per hour. Expenses shall only be billed if allowed under the contract. Telephone call expenses shall show the nature of the call and identify location and individual called.

Said invoice records shall be kept up-to-date at all times and shall be available for inspection by Santa Cruz METRO (or any grantor of Santa Cruz METRO, including, without limitation, any State or Federal agency providing project funding or reimbursement) at any time for any reason upon demand for not less than four (4) years after the date of expiration or termination of the contract. Under penalty of law, Contractor represents that all amounts billed to Santa Cruz METRO are (1) actually incurred; (2) reasonable in amount; (3) related to this contract; and (4) necessary for performance of the services. No expenses shall be paid by Santa Cruz METRO unless specifically allowed by this contract.

5. NOTICES

All notices under this Contract shall be deemed duly given upon delivery, if delivered by hand; or three (3) days after posting, if sent by registered mail, receipt requested; to a party hereto at the address hereinunder set forth or to such other address as a party may designate by notice pursuant hereto.

Santa Cruz METRO

CONTRACTOR

Santa Cruz Metropolitan Transit District 110 Vernon Street Santa Cruz, CA 95060 Chart, Inc. 407 7th Street NW New Prague MN 56071

Attention: General Manager

Attention: Kevin Jirak

6. **AUTHORITY**

Each party has full power and authority to enter into and perform this Contract and the person signing this Contract on behalf of each has been properly authorized and empowered to enter into it. Each party further acknowledges that it has read this Contract, understands it, and agrees to be bound by it.

Signed on	- -
SANTA CRUZ METRO—SANTA CRUZ MET	ROPOLITAN TRANSIT DISTRICI
Leslie R. White General Manager	

CONTRACTOR - CHART INC.

Roger W. Hansen Vice President-General Manager, Bulk Gas Products

Approved as to Form:

Margaret Rose Gallagher

Santa Cruz METRO Counsel

Chart Inc. / Attachment # 1 to Part I / Bid Form

Warranty Unless a different warranty is agreed to in writing by Chart, Chart warrants to Buyer that all Equipment manufactured by Chart shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of 1 year after initial use (or placement into storage) or 18 months after the date of shipment, whichever expires first, except that parts sold as spares or for replacement are warranted for 90 days after the date of shipment or until the expiration of the warranty offered by their original manufacturer, whichever expires first All resale products and components only carry the warranty offered by their original manufacturer. Chart warrants Services against defects in workmanship for a period of 90 days from date of their completion. These warranties do not cover Buyer-furnished designs, goods, equipment, services or materials and do not apply to any Equipment or Services or parts thereof which Chart determines: (1) to have been improperly installed or repaired; (2) to have been altered or modified in any way without Chart's prior written approval; (3) to have been subjected to misuse, abuse, excessive external forces, negligence or accident; (4) to have been installed, stored, used, or operated in a manner contrary to Chart's instructions, specifications and drawings, outside the specified design conditions, or not used in accordance with normal operating and maintenance instructions; (5) are purchased as used Equipment, a prototype or a sample; or (6) resulted from normal wear and tear, corrosion or erosion. Each of the foregoing shall act to void any existing warranty. Proper installation of normal maintenance parts does not constitute a modification. Buyer agrees to defend, indemnify and hold Chart harmless from any third party claims arising out of the use, resale, or lease of said furnished Equipment or Services Should any failure to conform to the applicable warranties stated above occur during the warranty periods specified above then Buyer shall appropriately decontaminate the Equipment and provide Chart with prompt written notice identifying the problem, but in no event shall such notice be more than 30 days after discovery of such failure Provided that Buyer has fulfilled all of its obligations under the Agreement and complied with the procedures set forth in this Section 7, Chart shall inspect said Equipment within 10 business days after receipt of Buyer's notice Chart's sole obligation, and Buyer's sole remedy, is for Chart to correct such nonconformity by, at Chart's option: (1) repair or replacement of the nonconforming Equipment or parts thereof; or (2) refund the purchase price of the nonconforming Equipment or parts thereof, and (3) in the case of nonconforming Services, re-perform the Services or refund the price there for Repairs or replacements made pursuant to warranty shall be warranted for the time remaining in the original warranty period or 30 days, whichever is longer Chart will make all arrangements to either transport such Equipment to and from Chart's repair or factory facility or go to Buyer's site, at Chart's sole option; provided, however, that Chart shall not be responsible for providing working access to the defect, including disassembly and reassembly of Equipment or for transportation costs to and from Chart's repair or factory facility, all of which shall be at Buyer's risk and expense. If it is determined by Chart that such failure was not covered by the warranty stated above, then Chart will invoice Buyer, and Buyer agrees to pay, for all such inspection and other expenses. THE FOREGOING WARRANTIES AND REMEDIES ARE EXCLUSIVE AND IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER CLAIMS OF RELIEF AND WARRANTIES OF QUALITY, PERFORMANCE AND DESIGN WRITTEN, ORAL OR IMPLIED, AND ALL OTHER WARRANTIES INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES OF MERCHANTABILITY AND FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR THOSE ARISING FROM COURSE OF DEALING OR USAGE OF TRADE, ALL OF WHICH ARE HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMED BY CHART AND ALL EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURERS

Limitation of Liability NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY IN THIS AGREEMENT, IN NO EVENT SHALL CHART, ITS AFFILIATES, SUPPLIERS AND SUBCONTRACTORS BE LIABLE TO BUYER OR TO ANY THIRD PARTY FOR ANY SPECIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO LOSS OF PROFITS, LOSS OF USE, COST OF CAPITAL, COST OF SUBSTITUTE EQUIPMENT, DOWNTIME COSTS, COST OF DELAYS, OR FOR ANY PENALITIES, WHETHER ANY SUCH CLAIM FOR THE SAME IS BASED ON CONTRACT, WARRANTY, TORT, NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNIFICATION OR OTHERWISE. NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY IN THIS AGREEMENT, CHART'S TOTAL LIABILITY ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT FOR ANY CLAIMS WHETHER IN CONTRACT, WARRANTY, NEGLIGENCE, TORT, STRICT LIABILITY, INDEMNIFICATION OR OTHERWISE, OR FOR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE ARISING OUT OF, CONNECTED WITH THIS AGREEMENT OR THE PERFORMANCE OR BREACH THEREOF, OR FROM ANY DESIGN, SALE, INSTALLATION, OPERATION OR USE OF THE EQUIPMENT OR PERFORMANCE OF ANY SERVICES UNDER THIS AGREEMENT, SHALL IN NO EVENT EXCEED THE PURCHASE PRICE PAID TO CHART BY BUYER FOR THE SPECIFIC EQUIPMENT OR PART THEREOF OR FOR THE SERVICES GIVING RISE TO THE CLAIM

PART IV GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

2. TERMINATION 2 01.01 TERMINATION FOR CONVENIENCE Add as a new sub section (10) Santa Cruz METRO shall pay Contractor the contract price for the completed supplies and the total of the costs incurred in the performance of the work terminated, the costs of settling and paying terminated settlement proposals under terminated subcontracts, a sum as profit and any storage transportation, and other costs incurred, reasonably necessary for the preservation, protection, or disposition of any termination inventory