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Transportation and Safety
Committee

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Special Transportation and Safety Committee Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, March 12, 2024

7:00pm

Teleconference meeting

Online: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81745577243>

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Agenda documents: <https://drive.google.com/drive/u/1/folders/1ncB6i738hlxHu57CrS0Mlqv34vjU4z5c>

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Meeting Agenda

Items may be taken out-of-order without objection

1. Call to Order and Roll Call
2. Committee Member Announcements
3. Government Reports by Public Officials or Representatives
4. General Public Comment on Non-agenda Items

Comments from the public on non-agenda items within the Committee’s subject-matter jurisdiction. Each speaker will be allowed two minutes.

5. Initial Public Comment on Agenda Items

For those wishing to speak at the beginning of the meeting and/or who need to leave early. Members of the public are only entitled to comment once per agenda item.

6. *Discussion and Possible Action:* Approval of Minutes of June 7, 2023 Transportation and Safety Committee Special Meeting:

Draft Minutes:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1vw_52fojbJfz3Bjp6DpVWh3A-wpuNRWQPryla86ExTE/edit?usp=sharing

7. *Discussion and Possible Action:* Statement Against Pending Westside Regional Alliance of Councils-Recommended Motion "Oppose Metro Congestion Pricing on the Westside without Robust North/South Transit Options in Place"

WRAC Motion:

<https://westsidecouncils.com/motion/9660/>

LA Metro Traffic Reduction Study November 2023 Presentation:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1W0Vzb7YCAmaS4jIWnItC6j06mXki3Uot/view?usp=drive_link

8. *Discussion and Possible Action:* Strategy for Implementing the Westwood Connected Plan and Impact of Measure HLA, Including Prioritizing Traffic Calming Locations, Intersections for Crossing Improvements, and a North-South Bicycle Route

Westwood Connected Summary:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1uRR9-9bOOoIXkHFkZsmhshJ-dKf1OnD0KC2icwC9PBM/edit?usp=drive_link

Mobility Plan 2035 Bicycle, Pedestrian, Transit Maps:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1cp4eQ7JP5FFANimtURfrvJLykJ61hXvZ/view?usp=drive_link

9. *Discussion and Possible Action:* Addition of "Except Bikes" Exception/Sign to the Timed "No Through Traffic" Signs on Kelton Ave at Wilkins Ave and on Midvale Ave at Wilkins Ave

10. *Discussion and Possible Action:* E-bike Rebates/Subsidies; Community Impact Statement for Council File 23-1056:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/18OibnXP_C02znC_WIRzwN4GiwTPU4nADjs5zakfQUac/edit?usp=sharing

Council File 23-1056:

<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=23-1056>

11. *Discussion and Possible Action:* Restoration of Westwood FlyAway Bus Service; Approval of Community Impact Statement for Council File 20-0271 and Neutral on Council File 22-0877:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1G7sJaYiGf7dCUpYtTW1BAMVbd1CotryAaOMv9nT2O58/edit?usp=sharing>

Council File 20-0271:

<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=20-0271>

Council File 22-0877:

<https://cityclerk.lacity.org/lacityclerkconnect/index.cfm?fa=ccfi.viewrecord&cfnumber=22-0877>

12. *Discussion and Possible Action:* Support for AB 2503, Exempting Railroad Electrification and Siding Projects from CEQA

Assembly Bill 2503:

https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billTextClient.xhtml?bill_id=202320240AB2503

13. *Discussion:* Interest from Potential New Committee Members

14. *Discussion:* Setting Time for Regular Transportation and Safety Committee Meetings

15. *Discussion:* Potential Future Meeting Topics

16. Adjournment

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