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### MST HIGHLIGHTS Board of Directors Meeting October 17, 2022

### APPROVED REMOTE TELECONFERENCE MEETINGS

The Monterey-Salinas Transit (MST) Board approved resolution 2023-07 proclaiming a state of emergency and authorizing teleconference meetings in accordance with the Brown Act.

### RECOGNIZED OCTOBER EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

The MST Board adopted Resolution 2023-08 recognizing Bill Casey, Coach Operator, as the October 2022 Employee of the Month for his outstanding contribution to MST and to the entire community.

### RECEIVED COVID-19 INCIDENT RESPONSE AND RECOVERY PLANNING UPDATE

The MST Board received a report from the General Manager/CEO on activities related to COVID-19 pandemic incident response and recovery planning.

### **RECEIVED 50<sup>th</sup> YEAR ANNIVERSARY PRESENTATION**

The MST Board received a presentation from Ikuyo-Yoneda-Lopez, Marketing Manager, on MST's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebratory Events.

### APPROVED INCENTIVE POOL FOR MSTEA AND CONFIDENTIAL UNIT

The MST Board approved a 3.0% FY 2022 Incentive Pay to eligible Monterey-Salinas Transit Employee Association (MSTEA) and Confidential Unit Employees (excluding the General Manager/CEO).

### APPROVED AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION (ATU) AGREEMENT WITH MST

The MST Board approved the Collective Bargaining Agreement (CBA) between Amalgamated Transit Union Local 1225 (ATU) employees and Monterey-Salinas Transit District (MST).

### APPROVED LEGISLATIVE ADVOCACY SERVICES CONTRACT

The MST Board approved entering into a contract with Shaw Yoder Antwih Schmelzer & Lange for legislative advocacy services in an amount not to exceed \$72,000 per year for the 2023-2024 legislative session with an option to extend an additional two (2) years at \$78,000 per year.

### **NEXT MST BOARD MEETING**

The next regular MST Board meeting is scheduled on November 14, 2022.



### TRANSPORTATION AGENCY FOR MONTEREY COUNTY

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### **HIGHLIGHTS**

September 28, 2022



### **Caltrain Provides Update on the Salinas Rail Extension Project**

The TAMC Board of Directors received an update on the Salinas Rail Extension project from Caltrain's Director of Strategy and Policy, Sam Sargent. Mr. Sargent shared information about the ongoing discussion that Caltrain is having with the Transportation Agency in developing a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for the extension of rail service from Gilroy to Salinas.

After providing an overview of Caltrain's history as a commuter rail operator and reviewing their current service levels and ridership, Mr. Sargent concluded his presentation by stating that the next steps in developing the MOU include:

- Further evaluation of the Salinas extension with TAMC.
- Secure funding for zero emission rail vehicles for service south of San Jose. Otherwise, diesel equipment currently used for Gilroy service would be used for the Salinas extension.
- The TAMC-Caltrain MOU would be based on Caltrain's four principles:
  - 1. Service extension must be cost-neutral for Caltrain;
  - 2. No changes to Caltrain mainline service;
  - 3. TAMC and Caltrans assume all risks and liabilities of service extension; and
  - 4. Service extension makes no changes to the Peninsula Corridors Joint Powers Board governance structure.

TAMC is pursuing a phased implementation of the Monterey County Rail Extension Project which will extend passenger rail service from Santa Clara County south to Salinas. Phase 1, known as the Kick Start Project, includes circulation improvements at the Salinas train station, a train layover facility in Salinas, and track improvements at the Gilroy station and between Salinas and Gilroy. The Salinas train station circulation improvements have been constructed. The Salinas layover facility and Gilroy track improvements are now in final design.



### Board Adopts Measure X Senior and Disabled Program Guidelines and Releases Call for Projects

The TAMC Board of Directors adopted the Measure X Senior and Disabled Transportation Program guidelines for the third round of grant awards and authorized the release for a call for projects for fiscal years 2023/24 through 2025/26.

The adopted guidelines included changes that were based upon input provided by the Measure X Citizens Oversight Committee and the Monterey-Salinas Transit Mobility Advisory Committee. The most notable change is a new grant workshop for prospective applicants.

The program implementation timeline is as follows:

### 2022

September 28 Call for projects
October 12 TAMC grant workshop

December 1 Applications due at 12pm

Dec. 15-21 Grant review, field visits

2023

January 17 Draft Program of Projects presented to the Measure X Citizens

**Oversight Committee** 

January 25 Draft Program of Projects presented to the MST Mobility Advisory

Committee

February 22 TAMC Board of Directors adopt Program of Projects for fiscal years

2023/24, 2024/25 and 2025/26

March 29 TAMC executes grant agreements

Measure X allocates \$15 million over 30 years to this program, approximately \$500,000 per year, to increase transportation services for seniors and persons with disabilities to support their ability to live independently in their homes and communities.

Click here for the program guidelines:

https://www.tamcmonterey.org/senior-disabled-transportation-program

### New Representatives Appointed to Serve on the Measure X Citizens Oversight Committee

The TAMC Board of Directors appointed three new members to serve on the Measure X Citizens Oversight Committee. Brent McFadden, Deputy Superintendent, Monterey County Office of Education (MCOE) will serve as the education representative, and Daren Fort, Director of Maintenance Operation and Transportation of MCOE will serve as the alternate representative. Steve Snodgrass will serve as the North Monterey County representative.

The Measure X Citizens Oversight Committee's purpose is to be an additional layer of accountability so that the public is assured that the Transportation Agency, the County of Monterey, and the participating cities are operating consistent with the terms of the Measure X, the Transportation Safety and Investment Plan Ordinance. Measure X is anticipated to generate an estimated \$600 million over thirty years through a retail transaction and use tax of a three-eighths' of one percent (3/8%).

### TAMC Board Approves Measure X Funding Agreement with the City of Pacific Grove

The TAMC Board of Directors approved and authorized TAMC's Executive Director to enter into a Measure X Funding Agreement with the City of Pacific Grove, subject to approval by Agency Counsel. The agreement in an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000 is to fund the Project Approval and Environmental Document phase of the Cedar, Sunset and Congress Intersection Improvements project. This funding agreement between the City of Pacific Grove and TAMC allows the City's project costs to be funded and reimbursed through Measure X.

The Cedar, Sunset and Congress Intersection Improvements project will construct safety and multimodal improvements at the Congress, Sunset and Cedar 5-way intersection south to 19<sup>th</sup> and Sunset in Pacific Grove. This 5-way intersection is near Pacific Grove High School and Forest Grove Elementary School. The purpose of the project is to design and construct an intersection that is safe for all users.

Collection of Garbage, Recyclables, and Yard Trimmings will NOT occur on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 25. If your regular collection day falls on or after this holiday, your collection will be delayed by one day.

Christmas Day and New Year's Day fall on Saturday, which does not cause a delay in service for residential customers.

For more information, please contact GreenWaste Customer Service at 831-920-6707.

La recolección de basura, reciclables y recortes de jardín NO ocurrirá el día de Acción de Gracias, el jueves 25 de noviembre. Si su día de recolección regular cae en este día festivo o después, su servicio de recolección se retrasará por un día.

El día de Navidad y el día de Año Nuevo caen en sábado, lo que no provoca un retraso en el servicio pa los clientes residenciales.

Para más información, por favor comuníquese con servicio al cliente de GreenWaste al 831-920-6707.

SERVICE FOR FRIDAY CUSTOMERS	SATURDAY 27	SERVICE	DECEMBER SATURDAY	NO SERVICE	JANUARY SATURDAY
SERVICE FOR THURSDAY CUSTOMERS	FRIDAY 26	REGULAR SERVICE	DECEMBER FRIDAY 24	REGULAR	DECEMBER FRIDAY 31
NO SERVICE	THURSDAY 25	REGULAR SERVICE	DECEMBER THURSDAY	REGULAR	DECEMBER THURSDAY
REGULAR SERVICE	wednesday 24	REGULAR	DECEMBER WEDNESDAY	REGULAR	DECEMBER WEDNESDAY 29
REGULAR SERVICE	TUESDAY 23	REGULAR	DECEMBER TUESDAY	REGULAR	DECEMBER TUESDAY 28
REGULAR SERVICE	MONDAY 22	REGULAR SERVICE	DECEMBER MONDAY	REGULAR	DECEMBER MONDAY
NO SERVICE	SUNDAY 21	NO	DECEMBER SUNDAY 19	NO	DECEMBER SUNDAY 26
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831.920.6707 Phone | 877.203.8970 Toll-Free | peninsulacs@greenwaste.com | www.greenwaste.com

### Holiday Tree Collection

Single-family customers can recycle your evergreen curbside with GreenWaste Recovery January 3-21, 2022.

- Remove all tinsel, decorations, and non-wood stands.
- Cut trees to 6-foot lengths.
- No flocked trees (fake snow), please!

Multi-family customers can drop off your tree free after Christmas to the end of January at MRWMD's tree drop-off located at 14201 Del Monte Blvd in Marina.

### Recicle Arboles Navideños

Los clientes unifamiliares pueden reciclar su arbolito navideño con GreenWaste Recovery del 3-21 de enero, 2022.

- Quite todos los adornos, decoración navideña y soportes que no sean de madera.
- Corte los árboles en trozos de 6 pies.
- No se aceptan árboles con nieve sintética, ¡por favor!

Los clientes multifamiliares pueden entregue su arbolito navideño gratis después de Navidad hasta finales de enero en el epósito de árboles de MRWMD ubicado en 14201 Del Monte Blvd en Marina.

## Important Holiday Collection Schedule Information

Información Importante Horario De Recolección De Días Feriados



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