

January 24, 2022

Board of Directors
Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District

Directors,

We were pleased to see \$5 million allocated to AC Transit workers in "appreciation pay" in the budget adjustment to be considered at the January 26th Board meeting. We understand this to be the hazard pay that workers have been asking for. While we do not know further details on the distribution and timing, we appreciate the move to properly credit operators and other workers for the difficult and dangerous work they have been doing throughout the pandemic to keep our community moving, and support passage of this pay allocation.

John Minot, on behalf of EBTRU Campaign Director East Bay Transit Riders Union