

ALAMEDA-CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT DISTRICT

Master Minute Order

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Officers Retreat 10/30/2024

Sponsors:

Attachments: STAFF REPORT, Presentation: MTC Scenarios Presentation, Presentation: MTA Regional

Funding Measure Concept Presentation, Presentation: Update on the Regional Revenue

Measure

Related Files:

Agenda Title:

Revenue Measure Update.

Presenters:

Stuart Cohen, SC Strategies Anthony Burton, SFMTA

Claudia Burgos, Director of Legislative Affairs and Community Relations

Legislative Action & Summary

Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Result:
Board of Directors/Board Officers Retreat	10/30/2024	The report was presented	
		for information only.	

Notes:

The following presentations were given:

- Stuart Cohen, SC Strategies, provided an overview of the various scenarios under consideration by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission.
- Anthony Burton gave an update on SFMTA's development of "Plan B' funding scenarios for transportation.
- Claudia Burgos, Director of Legislative Affairs and Community Relations, gave on update on the impacts of a regional measure on AC Transit.

Public Comment:

Laurel Paget-Seekins, Public Advocates, commented on the importance of equity in the MTC process and suggested a regional equity analysis of post-pandemic service levels. Paget-Seekins noted that providers should work together to build the case for citizens' initiatives while assessing how budget reductions impact worker job levels and transit provider service levels. Paget-Seekins agreed that the state needs to provide more funding for transit.

Warren Cushman, Community Resources for Independent Living, commented on MTCs processes and challenges in determining the most effective measures and ideas and thought the AC Transit Board's should weigh in and offer a leadership role with these scenarios and the MTA proposal. Cushman noted the importance of involving the community in the deliberations and discussions and hopes that AC Transit management will hear from the community and participate in the discussion.

Anthony Campana commented on the uncertain future of the transit system by the current MTC services and tax cut scenarios. Campana emphasized the need for a regional commitment to transit in order to better influence state- and federal-level support for transit-funding needs. Campana noted the idea of passing a robust regional measure that meets the needs of AC Transit and its operators with legislators to support a full funding restoration and a positive vision for the future.

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