



Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the AC Transit Board of Directors invites all interested persons to attend Public Hearings on **September 6, 2023 at 6:00 PM, September 13, 2023 at 6:00 PM, October 4, 2023 at 6:00 PM, October 25, 2023 at 6:00 PM, and, if necessary, on November 8, 2023 at 6:00 PM** at AC Transit's General Office, 2nd Floor Board Room located at 1600 Franklin Street in Oakland, California 94612, relative to the following:

TRANSITION TO A SEVEN-WARD ELECTION SYSTEM PURSUANT TO ELECTIONS CODE SECTION 10010

Public Hearings will be held to receive input on communities of interest, District maps, and election sequencing for the formation of seven new wards for the election of members of the the District's Board of Directors which are proposed to be phased in beginning with the General Election in November 2024.

The Board of Directors will discuss, consider and take action on one or more district map(s). Actions include modification of ward boundaries, sequencing of elections and such other matters as may be related to the transition from five wards with two at-large seats to a seven-ward election system.

Public Hearings may be accessed in person at the address listed above or by teleconference/video conference via Zoom or telephone call:

Zoom link <https://actransit.zoom.us/j/98487175063> (all languages)
English Phone Number: (669) 900 6833; Webinar ID: 984 8717 5063
Spanish Phone Number: (707) 304-7195, Conference ID: 647 528 554#
Chinese Phone Number: (707) 304-7195, Conference ID: 983 252 334#

Spanish and Chinese interpreters will be provided at the hearings. Upon request, a sign language interpreter or interpreter for languages other than those listed in this notice may be provided, but must be requested by calling (510) 891-7201 at least 72 hours in advance of a hearing. For TDD for hearing impaired, call 711, California Relay Service, and specify (510) 891-4700.

PUBLIC COMMENT can be submitted in writing and/or live in-person or by video/teleconference at the hearing. Written comments for the hearing must be submitted as follows:

- By email to myvoice@actransit.org by 3:00 PM the day of the hearing.
- Via online eComment by 5:30 PM the day of the hearing (Go to <https://actransit.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx> and click on the eComment link for the selected hearing date).
- By U.S. Mail to: AC Transit Board of Directors, 1600 Franklin Street, Oakland, California, 94612 by 5:00 PM for receipt on the Monday prior to the hearing.
- By voicemail: (510) 891-7192, Press 1 for English, Press 2 for Spanish or Press 3 for Chinese by 5:00 PM the Monday prior to the hearing.

It is anticipated that the Board will render a decision on this matter as early as November 8, 2023. Information concerning the hearings will be published 72 hours in advance of each hearing on AC Transit's Public Meetings web page at <https://actransit.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>, and is available in printed and alternate formats by calling the District Secretary's Office at (510) 891-7201.