

ALAMEDA-CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT DISTRICT

Master Minute Order

File Number: 19-171a

Report ID: 19-171a Type: Public Hearing Status: Hearing Held

> Meeting Body: Board of Directors -Agenda Section:

Regular Meeting

Report Created: 07/10/2019

Final Action:

Recommended Action: Hold Public Hearing to receive public comment regarding set proposed service changes FΥ 2019/20. The proposed for changes

include:

Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Elimination of Line 1 and replacement

with BRT, truncation of Line 801, and service on new streets for

Lines 14 and 47.

Proposed service changes to Lines 71, 376, 60, and 96, and

associated service on new streets.

Meeting Date: 08/07/2019

Agenda Number: 3.A.

Enactment Date: Sponsors:

Attachments: STAFF REPORT, Att.1. Service Change Proposals,

Att.2. Public Hearing Notice FINAL, Att.3. Service

Change Outreach

Enactment Number:

Hearing Date: Effective Date:

History of Legislative File

Acting Body: Date: Action: Sent To: Due Date: Return Result: Date:

Board of Directors -Special Meeting Notes:

08/07/2019 Hearing held

[A Summary of Public Outreach was provided to the Board at the meeting and is incorporated into the file by reference.]

President Wallace welcomed everyone to the public hearing and advised that a decision on the proposals would not be made until the September 11th Board Meeting at the earliest. He then called on Assistant General Counsel Jill Sprague to outline the rules of order and procedures for public speakers.

President Wallace opened the Public Hearing at 2:13 p.m. The meeting was turned over to the Manager of Service Planning, Michael Eshleman, for the staff presentation. Questions from the Board followed and are summarized in the record of the 6:00 p.m. hearing.

Eight persons presented testimony concerning the proposed service changes. A summary of the testimony given is incorporated into the minutes by reference as Exhibit A. Written comments received up to the close of the hearing are incorporated into the file by reference.

At 2:30 p.m. President Wallace announced that the public hearing would stand in recess until 6:00 p.m.

Board of Directors - Regular Meeting

08/07/2019 Hearing held

Notes:

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At 6:16 p.m., President Wallace welcomed everyone to the public hearing and advised that a decision on the proposals would not be made until the September 11th Board Meeting at the earliest. He then called on General Counsel Denise Standridge to outline the rules of order and procedures for public speakers.

President Wallace reconvened the Public Hearing and 6:21 p.m. The meeting was turned over to Manager of Service Planning Michael Eshleman for the staff presentation. Members of the Board inquired about changes to the Line 801 Owl Service and the transfer of passengers from that line to Bus Rapid Transit as well as the effectiveness of the changes to service in Parchester Village in Richmond.

Vice President Ortiz requested that staff research and analyze how we can implement the changes to Line 801 without additional costs for riders. She added that her concern was that under staff's proposal, working class people would be inconvenienced by having to transfer from one bus to another in the middle of the night and would be required to pay to transfer buses. Director Shaw added that she would like to know the number of riders impacted by the change and what measures would be put in place to ensure riders make their connection at the San Leandro BART Station and are not left stranded with no other way to get to Fremont. Mr. Elshleman advised that there are 165 weekday riders who are either on the bus or who board at San Leandro BART; weekend ridership is approximately 265 riders each day. With regard to the changes in Parchester Village, Director Harper commented that not everyone likes buses running by their house and suggested a survey of residents.

Six persons presented testimony concerning the proposed service changes. A summary of the testimony given is incorporated into the minutes by reference as Exhibit A. Written comments received up to the close of the hearing are

incorporated into the file by reference. The public hearing closed at 6:38 p.m.