



ALAMEDA-CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT DISTRICT

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ded Action: Consider receiving report on the strategy and next steps for Quick Build transit projects.
[Requested by Director Walsh - 2/10/21]

Sponsors:

Enactment Date:

Attachments: STAFF REPORT, Letter from East Bay Transit Riders
Union

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Board of Directors - Regular Meeting	05/26/2021	Received				Pass
Action Text:	MOTION: BECKLES/WILLIAMS to receive the report on the strategy and next steps for Quick Build transit projects. The motion carried by the following vote:					
Notes:	<i>[Written comment received prior to the meeting is incorporated into the file by reference.]</i>					

Transportation Planning Manager Jim Cunradi presented the staff report and gave an overview of next steps.

Public Comment:

John Minot, EBTRU, voiced support for the District's efforts related to quick build projects as they provide a significant benefit to bus service and ridership at little cost.

Derek Sagehorn, EBTRU, voiced support for the District's quick build projects and noted that not every Bay Area city has dedicated departments to plan or implement similar projects. Sagehorn expressed appreciation to the District for its efforts to improve city streets for riders and pedestrians.

Board Discussion:

Director Beckles expressed appreciation for the report and moved the item.

Director Shaw commented on the need to put someone in charge of quick build projects but observed that there was no new position in the budget to be able to do that. Mr. Cunradi acknowledged that staff was not looking to immediately fill the position since there are staff available that can be assigned to the projects if the grant funding becomes available. He added that if the program grows such that it scales up, the issue of dedicated staffing would need to be revisited.

Director Walsh thanked staff for the report and for identifying some of the structural issues that would limit the District moving forward. She shared Director Shaw's concern with staffing and thanked the advocates for their support.

Director Peeples thanked staff for the report and appreciated the work advocates are doing on AC Transit's behalf. He added that staff's reports provide a lot of opportunities to receive grant funding.

Ayes: 7 President Ortiz, Vice President Young, Director Walsh, Director Beckles,
Director Williams, Director Shaw, Director Peeples
