



ALAMEDA-CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT DISTRICT

AGENDA

Board of Directors - Regular Meeting

AC Transit General Offices
2nd Floor Board Room
1600 Franklin Street, Oakland, CA 94612

Wednesday, October 9, 2019 at 5:00 PM
Closed Session - 4:30 PM (Items 7A-7D)

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

JOE WALLACE, PRESIDENT (WARD 1)
ELSA ORTIZ, VICE PRESIDENT (WARD 3)
GREG HARPER (WARD 2)
MARK WILLIAMS (WARD 4)
DIANE SHAW (WARD 5)
H. E. CHRISTIAN PEEPLES (AT-LARGE)
JOEL YOUNG (AT-LARGE)

BOARD OFFICERS

MICHAEL A. HURSH, GENERAL MANAGER
DENISE C. STANDRIDGE, GENERAL COUNSEL
LINDA A. NEMEROFF, DISTRICT SECRETARY

1. CALL TO ORDER**2. ROLL CALL****3. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Any person may directly address the Board at this time on any items of interest to the public that is within the subject matter and jurisdiction of the Board. Speakers wishing to address a specific agenda item will be invited to address the Board at the time the item is being considered. Two (2) minutes are allowed for each item.

4. MODIFICATIONS TO THE AGENDA**5. CONSENT CALENDAR**

5.A. Consider approving Board of Directors minutes of September 25, 2019. [19-266](#)
Staff Contact: Linda Nemeroff, 891-7284

5.B. Consider receiving the Accessibility Advisory Committee minutes of July 9, 2019. [19-299](#)
Staff Contact: Ramakrishna Pochiraju, 891-5448

5.C. Consider authorizing the General Manager or his designee to file and execute applications with the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) for the Fiscal Year 2020-21 Sustainable Transportation Planning Grant Program to support two planning efforts. [19-317](#)
Staff Contact: Claudia Allen, 891-5465

6. REGULAR CALENDAR**Planning Items - Chair Peebles**

6.A. Consider receiving the monthly report on the construction progress and operational readiness of the East Bay Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) project. [19-316](#)
Staff Contact: Ramakrishna Pochiraju, 891-5448

Operations Items - Chair Shaw

6.B. Consider approving amendments to Board Policies 460 and 466; Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Policy and Small and Small Local Business Enterprise (SBE/SLBE) Policy, respectively. [19-198](#)
Staff Contact: Phillip Halley, 891-7164

Board Administrative Matters:

6.C. Consider adopting Board Policy No. 475 - Requests for Use of Rolling [19-258](#)

Stock. [Requested by President Wallace on 6/12/19.]

Staff Contact: Denise Standridge, 891-4833

- 6.D. Consider rescinding the contract award for Procurement 2019-1487 for Tempo Bus Rapid Transit livery production and installation. [18-313b](#)

Staff Contact: Denise Standridge, 891-4833

7. CLOSED SESSION/REPORT OUT

The items for consideration are listed below and will be reported on by the General Counsel as necessary at the end of the meeting.

7.A. Conference with Legal Counsel – Existing Litigation

(Government Code Section 54956.9 (a)) (two cases)

Quarterly Litigation Report:

- Edwards v. AC Transit, et al., ACSC No. RG17-885627;
- Blacksher v. Amalgamated Transit Union, et al., ACSC No. HG16-840726;
- Henderson v. AC Transit, et al., ACSC No. RG18-914096;
- Henderson v. AC Transit, et al., ACSC No. RG19-007545;
- McNaulty v. AC Transit, ACSC No. RG18-933966; and
- Pearl v. AC Transit, ACSC No. RG19-015118.

7.B. Conference with Legal Counsel – Potential Litigation

(Government Code Section 54956.9(b))

7.C. Conference with Labor Negotiators

(Government Code Section 54957.6):

Agency Designated Representative:

- General Manager Michael Hursh;
 - Acting Executive Director of Human Resources Nathaniel Kramer;
- Employee Organizations: ATU Local 192, AFSCME Local 3916, IBEW Local 1245,
Unrepresented Employees

7.D. Public Employee Performance Evaluation

(Government Code Section 54957)

Title: General Manager, General Counsel, District Secretary

8. AGENDA PLANNING

- 8.A. Review of Agenda Planning Pending List. [19-020g](#)

9. GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

- 9.A. General Manager's Report for October 9, 2019. [19-218](#)

10. BOARD/STAFF COMMENTS

(Government Code Section 54954.2)

11. ADJOURNMENT

Next Meeting: October 23, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.

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