

Appendix I

Take-Ones



You are invited

You are invited to a public scoping meeting to initiate the Westside Subway Extension project, the next phase of Metro's study evaluating ways to improve mobility on the Westside of Los Angeles.

These meetings start the Draft Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report (Draft EIS/EIR) process. Moving forward for analysis in the Draft EIS/EIR are two Build Alternatives – a Wilshire Subway (Alternative 1) and a Wilshire/West Hollywood Subway (Alternative 11) – as well as a No Build Alternative and a Transportation Systems Management Alternative.

The Draft EIS/EIR for the Westside Subway Extension follows the 18-month Alternatives Analysis Study (AA) of the Westside Extension Transit Corridor. The AA looked

at whether a transit improvement was needed in the area, and evaluated a variety of transit improvements and alignments. The AA included extensive public input and recommended the two Build alternatives for further evaluation in the Draft EIS/EIR. In January 2009, the Metro Board approved the AA and authorized the Draft EIS/EIR.

The public scoping meetings provide the public an opportunity to comment on the project purpose, alternatives, and the potential effects of construction and operation that should be considered in the Draft EIS/EIR. Metro and the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) will be preparing a joint document that meets the requirements of both the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

We want to hear your thoughts on this next phase of the study. Please join us at a public scoping meeting to provide your suggestions about what you would like Metro to study in the Draft EIS/EIR. Content presented at these meetings will be identical, so make sure to attend at the time and location most convenient for you.

For additional information or questions, please visit the Westside Subway Extension project website at metro.net/westside or contact the project information line at 213.922.6934. You can also find us on Facebook.

Wilshire/Fairfax area

Los Angeles County Museum of Art, West
 Monday, April 13, 6 – 8pm
 Terrace Room, 5th Fl
 5905 Wilshire Bl, Los Angeles
 Served by Metro lines 20, 720, 920, 217 and 780.
 Validated parking is available in the Museum's underground structure located at Sixth St and Ogden Dr.

City of West Hollywood

Plummer Park
 Tuesday, April 14, 6 – 8pm
 7377 Santa Monica Bl (at Plummer Pl), West Hollywood
 Served by Metro Line 4. Free vehicle and bike parking is available at the location.

City of Beverly Hills

Beverly Hills Public Library
 Thursday, April 16, 6 – 8pm
 Beverly Hills Public Library, Auditorium, 2nd Fl
 444 N Rexford Drive, Beverly Hills
 Served by Metro Line 4, 14, 16, 704. Free 2-hour parking is available in the adjacent structure.

Westwood area

Westwood Presbyterian Church
 Monday, April 20, 6 – 8pm
 Westwood Presbyterian Church
 10822 Wilshire Bl, Los Angeles
 Served by Metro lines 20, 720 and 920.
 Free parking is available at the location.

City of Santa Monica

Santa Monica Public Library
 Thursday, April 23, 6 – 8pm
 601 Santa Monica Bl, Santa Monica
 Served by Metro Lines 4, 20, 33, 333, and 720 and Santa Monica Big Blue Bus Lines 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, and 10.
 Validated vehicle and bike parking is available.

Agenda

- Open House**
6 – 6:30pm
- Project Update Presentation**
6:30 – 7:15pm
- Question & Answer Session**
7:15 – 8pm

Reuniones públicas de la Extensión del Subterráneo hacia el Oeste

13, 14, 16, 20 y 23 de abril de 2009

