

**Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority
Board Resolution**

**Authorization for the Execution of the Certifications and Assurances and
Authorized Agent Forms for the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program
(LCTOP) for the Following Project:**

**Crenshaw/LAX Transit Corridor Operations Project and/or Fareless System
Initiative Pilot - \$22,690,757**

WHEREAS, the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) is an eligible project sponsor and may receive state funding from the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) for transit projects; and

WHEREAS, the statutes related to state-funded transit projects require a local or regional implementing agency to abide by various regulations; and

WHEREAS, fourteen Los Angeles County LCTOP recipients (Contributing Sponsors) have submitted "Letters of Intent" to transfer \$1,800,369 in PUC 99314 FY2020-21 LCTOP funds to Metro for Metro's FY 2020-21 LCTOP Project; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 862 (2014) named the Department of Transportation (Department) as the administrative agency for the LCTOP; and

WHEREAS, the Department has developed guidelines for the purpose of administering and distributing LCTOP funds to eligible project sponsors (local agencies); and

WHEREAS, Metro wishes to delegate authorization to execute these documents and any amendments thereto to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO), or his designee; and

WHEREAS, Metro wishes to implement the following LCTOP project listed above;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority that the fund recipient agrees to comply with all conditions and requirements set forth in the Certification and Assurances and the Authorized Agent documents and applicable statutes, regulations and guidelines for all LCTOP funded transit projects.



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NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the CEO or his designee is authorized to execute all required documents of the LCTOP program and any Amendments thereto with the California Department of Transportation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority that it hereby authorizes the submittal of the following project nomination and allocation request to the Department in FY 2020-21 LCTOP funds:

Project Name: Crenshaw/LAX Transit Corridor Operations Project and/or Fareless System Initiative Pilot

LCTOP Funds Requested: \$22,690,757 comprised of Metro's allocation of \$20,890,388 and PUC 99314 allocations transferred to Metro from 14 Los Angeles County LCTOP Contributing Sponsors totaling \$1,800,369 for Metro's FY 2020-21 LCTOP Project.

Description: Pre-revenue service testing and a portion of the first year of operations of the Crenshaw/LAX Transit Corridor light rail service, combined, as approved, with Metro's Fareless System Initiative Pilot.

Benefit to Priority Populations: The project alignment will operate through both disadvantaged communities as defined by SB 535 (2012) and/or low-income communities as defined by AB 1550 (2016). In addition, all eight new light rail stations are located within areas that meet the State's definition for disadvantaged and/or low-income communities. Therefore, the project will enable reduction of air pollutants and toxic air contaminant emissions as defined by the State by providing greater access to the regional transit system.

Contributing Sponsors: Antelope Valley Transit Authority, City of Arcadia, City of Claremont, City of Commerce, City of Culver City, Foothill Transit Zone, City of Gardena, City of La Mirada, City of Montebello, City of Norwalk, City of Redondo Beach, City of Santa Clarita, City of Santa Monica and City of Torrance.



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CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, duly qualified and acting as the Secretary of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct representation of the Resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Board of Directors of the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority held on Thursday, April 22, 2021.

By: _____
Interim Board Secretary, Los Angeles
County Metropolitan Transportation
Authority

Dated:

(SEAL)



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