

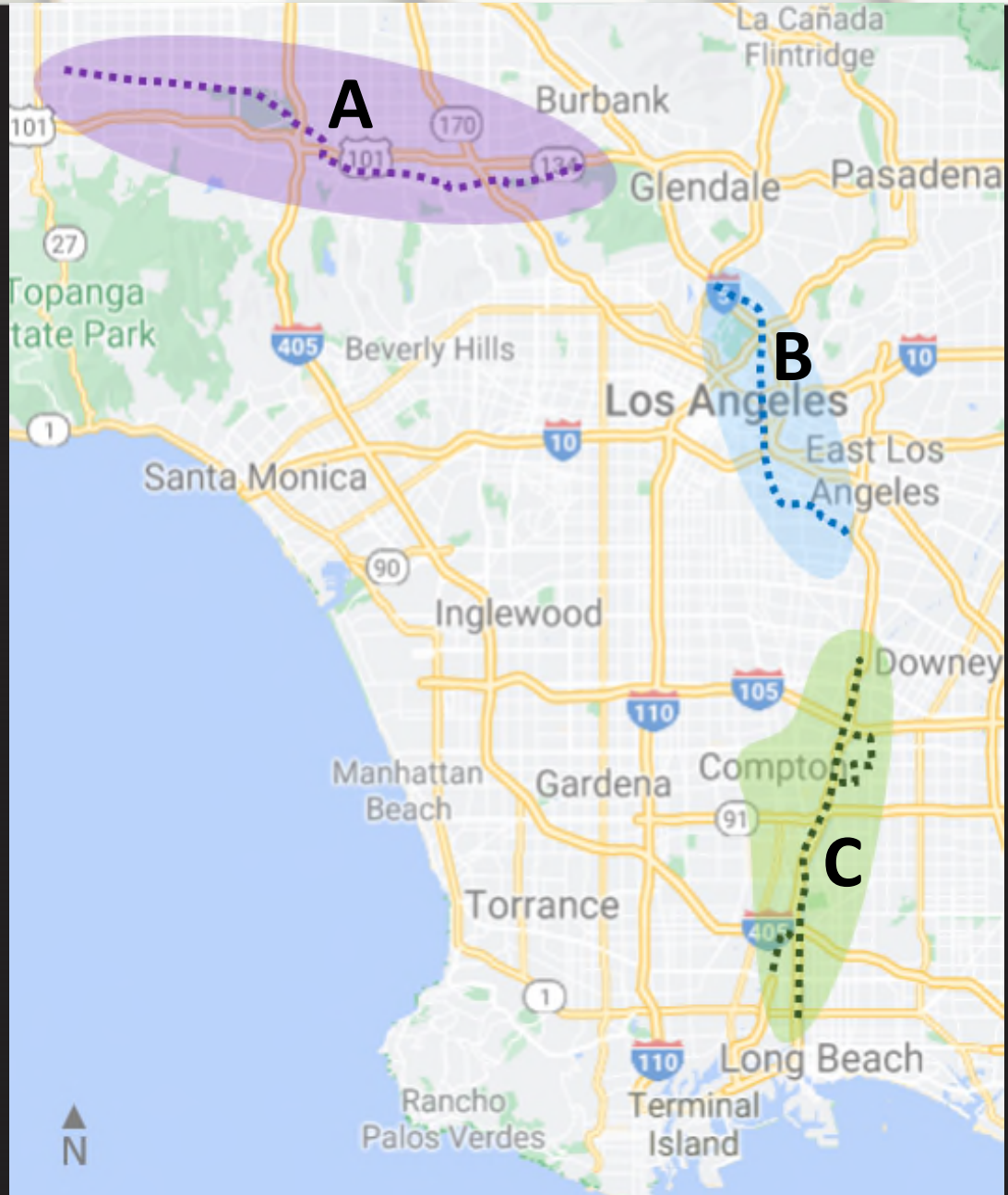


RESPONSE TO JUNE 2021 BOARD MOTION 49: LA RIVER BIKE PATH PROJECT DELIVERY

*Executive Management Committee
November 18, 2021
Item 35, Legistar file 2021-0556*

Map of Three LA River Projects

- A. LA Riverway in the San Fernando Valley
- B. LA River Path through downtown Los Angeles
- C. Lower LA River Bike Path in the Gateway Sub-region



Recommendation

AUTHORIZE the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) to:

- A. **NEGOTIATE** and enter into a funding agreement between Metro and the City of Los Angeles in the amount not to exceed \$60 million for design and construction of the LA Riverway in the San Fernando Valley.
- B. **NEGOTIATE** and conditionally enter into a Cooperative Agreement with LACDPW, City of Los Angeles and City of Vernon for Metro to manage and coordinate on final design and construction of the LA River Path through downtown Los Angeles. The conditions to be negotiated include:
 - 1. Accessibility to right of way owned by each entity for construction permits
 - 2. Commitment from each entity on cooperative engagement on securing additional funding when needed;
 - 3. Metro will partner with City, County, and Federal agencies with ownership and responsibility in the LA River corridor in regards to the overall management structure of the completed project, but will not assume any financial responsibility for operating and maintaining the completed project.
- C. **ENTER** into a Funding Agreement with LACDPW in the amount not to exceed \$773,870 to support LACDPW to perform and lead the environmental clearance for the Lower LA River Bike Path.