Measure M Independent Taxpayer Oversight Committee

Transit Projects Update June 5, 2024

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Measure M Transit Projects



> Major Pillar Projects

- (1) Southeast Gateway Line
- (2) C Line Extension to Torrance
- (3) Sepulveda Transit Corridor
- (4) Eastside Transit Corridor Phase 2

> Other Projects in Planning

- Vermont Transit Corridor
- K Line Northern Extension



Southeast Gateway Line



Current Phase	Most Recent Cost Estimate
EIR Certified	IOS - \$7.1B
EIS per FTA	(YOE\$, forecast completion 2035)

Recent Activities

- Feb 2024: UPRR, Ports of Los Angeles/Long Beach, ACTA authorized MOU (now fully executed); Program Management Support Services (PMSS) awarded to WSP
- March 29: Release of Final EIS/R; 30-day public review period
- April 26: Board certification of Final EIR and approval of Project (CEQA action); approval of FLM plan

Next Actions

- Continue monthly coordination with PMOC
- Summer 2024: Record of Decision anticipated from FTA (NEPA action)
- Winter 2024: Completion of New Starts Project
 Development activities and request to enter Project
 Engineering



Eastside Transit Corridor Phase 2

FEIR



Recent Activities

- Jan-Mar 2024: FLM planning, stakeholder briefings, virtual infrastructure tours, pop-up events, community walk/wheel audits.
- Survey permits secured, Geotech
 & soil sampling
- April 26: Released Final EIR
- May 23: Board certified EIR (CEQA action, Project approval)



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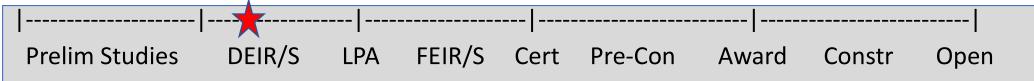
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 Continue to coordinate with FTA on NEPA and entry into Project Development phase

Sepulveda Transit Corridor



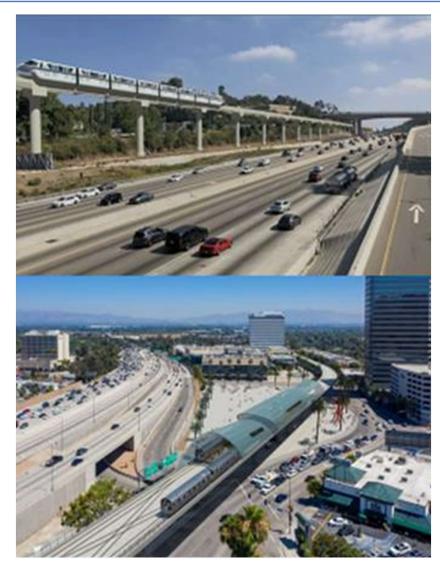
Current Phase	Most Recent Cost Estimate
EIR	\$5.7B (2015\$)

Recent Activities

- PDA designs advanced to level sufficient for environmental review
- Environmental technical analysis underway
- Completion of May community meetings
 - 2 in-person in Van Nuys and Westwood
 - 1 virtual

Next Actions

- Continue to complete environmental technical studies
- Draft EIR release anticipated early 2025



C (Green) Line Extension to Torrance



Current Phase	Most Recent Cost Estimate
Final EIR	\$891M (2015\$)

Recent Activities

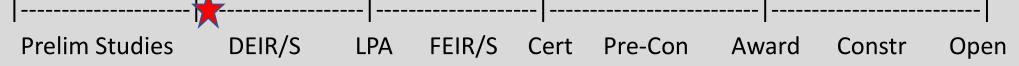
- Sept: Project update to Metro Board Committees: Planning & Programming, Executive Management Committee
- Dec-Jan: Supported Supervisor Mitchell's outreach efforts per November request and validated comments against prior input
- April: Presentation of staff recommended Hybrid option as the Locally Preferred Alternative (LPA)
- May: Board selection of LPA

Next Actions

 June: Request Board approval of contract modification for Final EIR with adopted LPA



Vermont Transit Corridor



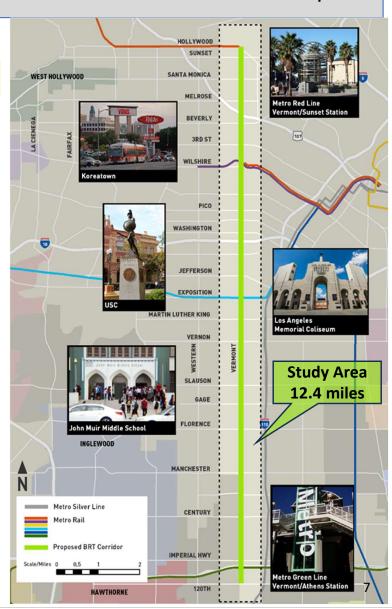
Current Phase	Most Recent Cost Estimate
Environmental	\$425M (2015\$)

Recent Activities

- Metro Operations leading near-term bus service improvements (anticipated Summer 2025)
- Feb/Mar 2024 Conducted 3 Equity & Cultural Asset Workshops and 4 Community meetings
- Meetings with elected officials, Neighborhood Councils, CBOs, and other key stakeholder
- Early coordination with and involvement by City of LA to deliver BRT elements by 2028
- Design work underway

Next Actions

 Continue planning and design for BRT, informed by CBO/outreach efforts



K Line (Crenshaw) Northern Extension



Current Phase	Most Recent Cost Estimate
EIR	\$2.24B (2015\$)

Recent Activities

- Preparation of Draft EIR chapters
- Published 2023 outreach summary and FAQ (website and newsletter)
- Continue to identity cost and funding opportunities, phasing scenarios
- Pop-up events at CicLAvia

Next Actions

- Continue to develop Draft EIR suitable for public release
- Work on strategic funding framework for delivery
- Continue stakeholder engagement

