Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

Motion Response – Parks Access Plan

Planning and Programming Committee October 19, 2016





Motion (June 23 – Item 52)

Board Requests:

- > Action Plan to Improve Parks Access, to Include:
 - > Assessment of Current Service
 - > Identification of Funding
 - > Potential Support Efforts
 - > Ways to Promote/Expand Service
- > Report Back for October Board Cycle



Proposed Work Approach



- > 6-9 Month Duration (after procurement)
- > Engage a Stakeholder Working Group
- > Define Universe of "Parks" to be Addressed
- > Study Access Issues
- > Identify Project Opportunities/Support Investment Decisions
- > Build from Prior Planning Work
- > Come Back to Board with Recommended Next Steps



Preliminary Assessment

Parks Access Issues for Metro:

- Substantial Prior Work and Data (esp. LA County Parks Needs Assessment)
- > Range of Prior/Current Access Projects (e.g. park shuttles)
- > Many Parks can currently be Accessed by Transit, More Study Required
- > Some Grants/Funding Programs Available
- > Metro Funding Subject to On-Going Processes (e.g. LRTP)



Thank You



