Crenshaw Northern Extension

Regular Board Meeting: September 27, 2018

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Crenshaw Northern Extension Recommendation

- AUTHORIZE:
 - A. Preparation of an Advanced Alternatives Screening Study, including:
 - Public/stakeholder engagement
 - Alternatives refinement
 - Support for West Hollywood in preparing Funding & Delivery Strategic Plan
 - Initiation of Procurement Process for Project EIR including studies to facilitate subsequent NEPA review
 - B. The CEO to increase Contract Modification Authority (CMA) with AECOM Technical Services, Inc. in the amount of \$400,000 for the Advanced Alternatives Screening Study

Follow-up to July Board Action

• July 26, 2018

- Board Received and Filed Crenshaw Northern Extension Feasibility/AA Study
- Directed staff to meet with cities of West Hollywood and Los Angeles to further review next steps and report back

• <u>September 12, 2018</u>

 Meeting with cities to review scope of next phase planning and environmental studies

Measure M Provisions and Feasibility/AA Study Alternatives

Schedule

- FY 2041 Groundbreaking
- FY 2047 Opening

Funding

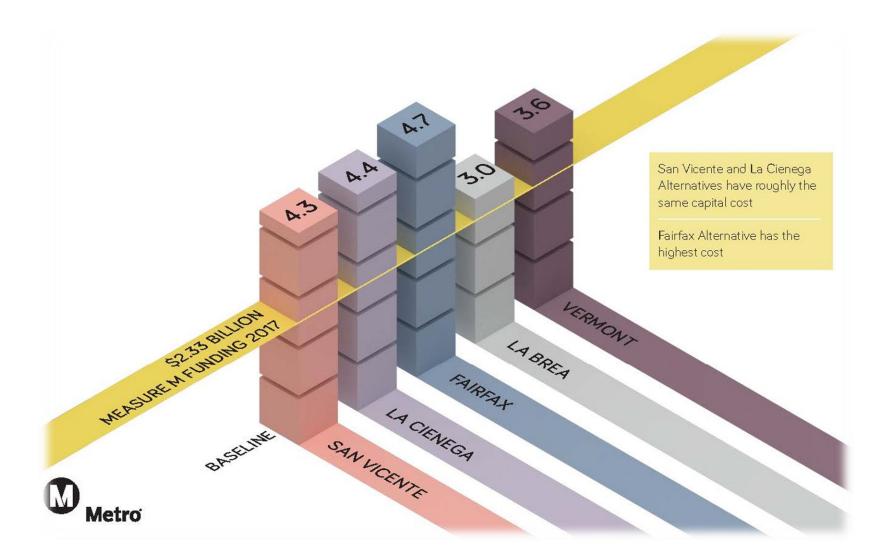
\$2.24 billion (2015\$)

Alternatives Evaluated

- San Vicente
- La Cienega
- Fairfax
- La Brea
- Vermont



Capital Cost of Alternatives (2017 \$ Billions)



Cities of West Hollywood and Los Angeles Requests of Metro

West Hollywood

- Find all reasonable approaches to streamline project readiness
- Prepare a Project EIR
- Additional studies to support combined CEQA/NEPA environmental review
- Screen out lower performing alternatives early

Los Angeles

- Public outreach needs to be adequate and address all alternatives
- West Hollywood should work with the City of Los Angeles on its Funding and Delivery Strategy
- Study land use and demographics, which would inform the process to winnow the alternatives

Key Considerations

Broader Outreach and Additional Study Needed

- Broader public engagement needed to inform alternative refinements
- May affect pace of project schedule
- Winnow and refine alternatives based on input and further technical analysis

<u>Acceleration Potential</u>

- Commitment demonstrated by West Hollywood and others, in consultation with Los Angeles and Metro, needed to advance a Funding and Delivery Strategic Plan
- Crucial in determining whether project warrants advancing into environmental review

Private Sector Ideation

 A Challenge Statement issued by Metro will garner how the private sector views the challenges and solutions for achieving greatly accelerated delivery

Schedule/Next Steps

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