



Metro

Los Angeles County
Metropolitan Transportation
Authority
One Gateway Plaza
3rd Floor Board Room
Los Angeles, CA

Board Report

File #: 2025-1026, **File Type:** Motion / Motion Response

Agenda Number: 18.

OPERATIONS, SAFETY, AND CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE COMMITTEE NOVEMBER 20, 2025

Motion by:

DIRECTORS HAHN, BASS, DUTRA, DUPONT-WALKER, BUTTS, AND SANDOVAL

SUBJECT: WATER TAXI FROM SAN PEDRO TO LONG BEACH MOTION

RECOMMENDATION

APPROVE Motion by Hahn, Bass, Dutra, Dupont-Walker, Butts, and Sandoval that the Board direct the Chief Executive Officer to:

- A. Develop and issue an industry engagement process (i.e. reverse pitch) to identify private and public operator interest, capabilities, and partnership opportunities to deliver a water-taxi service between San Pedro and Long Beach during the 2028 Games;
- B. Assess short-term and special-event funding options, including public-private partnership cost-sharing, sponsorship models, federal maritime or mobility grants, and temporary operations funding, to support Games-time service. Such funding source options shall not be eligible for bus or rail operations; and
- C. Report back to the Board within 180 days with findings such as Public-Private-Partnership structures, a proposed implementation timeline, and any next steps.