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Approved Minutes
WRAC Mobility and Transportation Committee
Wednesday, January 17, 2024 – 7:00 to 8:30 PM
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1. **Call to Order and Committee Member Roll Call** – *Debbie Nussbaum (WWCC), Steve Lantz (PPCC), Alex Caryotakis (WLASNC), Jeffrey Tropp (DRNC), Kelsey Figone (MVCC), Michael Shaw (PNC), Jason Plummer (SoRoNC), Doug Mark (WWNC), Thelma Waxman (BCC), Barbara Broide (WNC) and Selena Inouye (VNC).*
2. **Public Comment for Items Not on the Agenda** - *none*
3. **Adoption of the Agenda & Approval of Minutes** – *postponed to February 2024*
4. **Special Orders**
 - a. Mobility and Transportation reports – *Jarrett Thompson CD 5 present: covered Metro Committees, LA City Council Transportation Committee, FAA extension on Burbank Airport EIS and Van Nuys Airport. He also discussed Metro's new Lyft bikeshare contract.*
5. **Old Business**
 - a. Further discussion/possible action regarding [previously passed MTC motions](#) - . *Parking Replacement ordinance motion for city lots converted for affordable housing doesn't have sufficient support from member Councils. May be dropped from next week's WRAC Board agenda.*
 - b. Further discussion/possible action regarding digital billboards: [Metro TCN](#), [STAP](#) and [IKE](#) programs
 - i. Metro TCN passed by the LA City Council; CD 5 and 11 voted against the motion
 - c. Further discussion/possible action regarding the Metro [Sepulveda Transit Corridor](#), [I-405 ExpressLanes](#) and the [Traffic Reduction Study](#) projects
 - i. Discussion re: congestion pricing (see attachments)
Brentwood CC is opposed and concerned with lack of alternatives and data. Wants to delay the DEIR until Sepulveda Corridor rail project is open. Needs a presentation to WRAC MTC and other interested NCs. The main goal is to raise money, not reduce traffic. Suggestions included low-income discounts and exemptions or low rates for residents near the corridors. Motion was approved 7-3 to delay initiation of further study of congestion pricing until Sepulveda Corridor studies are initiated.
 - ii. Sepulveda Corridor options: *In previous discussions WRAC MTC supported a station within the UCLA campus. Both monorail and heavy rail have alternatives with on-campus station. Selection between the monorail vs heavy rail will be made after the environmental studies are complete.*
6. **New Business**
 - a. Discussion/possible action regarding new City Council mobility/transportation motions and [CFMS](#) updates since the last MTC meeting, including, but not limited to:
 - i. [CF 23-1363](#): Venice Blvd / Arlington Ave / Fairfax Ave / Protected Bicycle Lanes
 - ii. [CF 23-0600-S54](#): 2023 Budget Recommendation / City Mobility Plan
 - iii. [CF 15-0719-S26](#): Mobility Plan 2035 / Healthy Streets LA Ballot Measure
- not discussed

- b. Discussion/possible action regarding the [LADOT Westside Mobility](#) project: Connect Del Rey corridor, Santa Monica to Westwood, West LA to Del Rey, and Santa Monica to Ballona Creek – *not discussed*
- c. Discussion/possible action regarding a WRAC motion in support of [CF 23-0914](#): Oversize Vehicle Parking Restrictions - . *Addresses issues related to recreational vehicles, homeless encampments, and homeless services. Concerns expressed about towed vehicle locations and fees. People are losing their homes when vehicles get towed.*

7. Reports

- a. Metro (Steve Lantz) - *The Gondola project status was discussed. Other matters were procedural or receive and file updates in nature. An update on bike sharing will be proposed once the new Metro vendor is up and running.*

8. Future Meetings and Agenda Items

- a. Next meeting: Wednesday, February 21, 2023 at 7:00 PM via Zoom
- b. *Tropp asked for the MTC to consider virtual, on-line parking reports to expedite parking enforcement.*

9. Public Comment and Announcements - none

10. Adjournment