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City of San Diego, City of Santee, and the County of San Diego.

Attention ASAC Committee Members:

Due to construction in the MTS Board Room, the December 11, 2014 ASAC Meeting will be held in the Executive Conference Room, which is adjacent to the Board Room on the 10th Floor of the main MTS office, located at:

1255 Imperial Avenue, Suite 1000 San Diego, CA 92101.

The meeting will also include a brief ride along in an MTS Access bus outfitted with a new Mobile Data Terminal tablet computer. The ride should take no longer than 30 minutes.

RSVP by the close of business on Wednesday, December 10, 2014 to Lisa Madsen via telephone (619) 595-7038 or email <u>Lisa.Madsen@sdmts.com</u>, to ensure enough vehicles are available.



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MTS ACCESSIBLE SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

SRTP 880.1 (PC 50850)

Thursday, December 11, 2014 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

James R. Mills Building Executive Conference Room, 10th Floor 1255 Imperial Avenue, San Diego CA 92101

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<u>Item</u>		Recommended <u>Action</u>
1.	Roll Call	
2.	Approve September 11, 2014 Meeting Minutes (materials enclosed)	Approve
3.	Public Comment Public comments are limited to 3 minutes per person.	Information
4.	Member Comment	Information
5.	ADA Paratransit Reports	Information
	• <u>Operators</u>	
	MTS Access (John Lewis)	
	<u>Certification</u>	

ADARide (Art Hulscher)



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6. <u>Fixed-Route Reports</u>

- Operators
 - MTS Bus (Belinda Fragger)
 - MTS Contract Services, Veolia Transportation (**Bill Lewis**)
 - San Diego Trolley, Inc. (**Tom Doogan**)
- 7. 2014 ASAC Meeting Calendar (see Attachment G) Approve
- 8. Ride Along on MTS Access Bus Outfitted with a Mobile Data Terminal Information
- 9. Next Meeting Date: March 5, 2014 at 1:30 p.m.

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MINUTES

- 1. <u>Call to Order and Roll Call</u> Mr. Jim Byrne called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m. A roll call sheet listing the committee members in attendance is included (see Attachment A).
- 2. <u>Approval of June 12, 2014 Meeting Minutes</u> It was moved and seconded to approve the June 12, 2014 meeting minutes.

3. <u>Public Comment</u>

Ms. Jennifer Restle commented on accessibility concerns at the new Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Stations along Park Boulevard. Ms. Restle also discussed concerns regarding drivers referring to disabled passengers inappropriately, such as saying "I have a wheelchair" instead of "we have a passenger in a wheelchair". Mr. Todd Lordson noted that it would have been more appropriate for the driver to have used person-first language. Mr. Jim Byrne noted that we would refer her concerns regarding accessibility to Steve Celnicker, the MTS liaison to the City of San Diego for all traffic engineering concerns.

Mr. Paul Polishuk presented his Preliminary Study on Wheelchair Accessible Transportation in the City and County of San Diego.

4. <u>Member Comment</u>

Mr. Jim Byrne noted that Mr. Todd Lordson has joined MTS as the Manager of Paratransit Operations. Mr. Lordson previously worked at the Regional Center for 18 years.

Mr. Ruben Ceballos commented that SB 862 could potentially provide funding for travel training. Mr. Ceballos also inquired as to why there are only audible systems at certain Trolley stations. Mr. Ceballos also asked if additional signage could be added to the San Diego State transit center to direct passengers to the MTS Access bus stop. Mr. Jim Byrne noted that he would be able to provide Mr. Ceballos with a response on travel training, and the SDSU bus stop issue, and that Tom Doogan would be able to respond to his concerns regarding Trolley stop announcements.

5. ADA Paratransit Reports

<u>MTS Access</u> - Mr. John Lewis presented the MTS Access reports for July and August 2014 (see Attachment B).

<u>ADARide</u> – Mr. Art Hulscher presented the ADARide certification reports for July and August 2014 (see Attachment C).

6. Fixed-Route Reports

<u>MTS Bus</u> – Ms. Belinda Fragger presented the MTS Bus Ramp Deployment Report for July and August 2014 (see Attachment D).

<u>MTS Contract Services (Transdev)</u> – Mr. Bill Lewis presented the MTS Contract Services Ramp Deployment Report for July and August 2014 (see Attachment E).

<u>San Diego Trolley, Inc.</u> – Mr. Tom Doogan presented the San Diego Trolley Lift Deployment Report for the months of July and August 2014 (see Attachment F).

7. Update on Current Planning Projects

Ms. Janelle Carey presented an update on current planning projects. On October 12th, MTS will have a major service change, with three new routes beginning service. Route 170 will travel from Downtown San Diego to City Heights Transit Plaza. Rapid Route 215 will travel from Downtown San Diego to San Diego State University. Rapid Route 235 will travel from Rancho Bernardo Transit Center to the University of California, San Diego. There will also be minor service changes to other routes. Mr. Ruben Ceballos asked if this information had been posted on the MTS website. Ms. Carey stated that the information would be posted online and on vehicles in the next week.

8. <u>Adjourn</u>

Mr. Todd Lordson adjourned the meeting at 2:20 p.m.

Attachments:

- A. Roll Call Sheet
- B. MTS ADA Paratransit Report
- C. ADARide Certification Report
- D. MTS Bus
- E. MTS Contract Services
- F. MTS San Diego Trolley, Inc.

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METROPOLITAN TRANSIT SYSTEM ACCESSIBLE SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE (ASAC) MEETING ROLL CALL

MEETING (DATE): 9/11/14

CALL TO ORDER (TIME): 1:30 p.m.

ADJOURN: 2:20 p.m.

BOARD MEMBER		Alternate		AGENCY
Lorie Bragg				ASAC Chairwoman
Ruben Ceballos	~			Access to Independence
Arun Prem		Leticia Corona	✓	FACT (CTSA)
Debbie Marshall	~			Developmental Disabilities Board – Area 13
Rene Alvarez	~	Bill Lewis	✓	Veolia Transportation - Contracted Bus Routes
Art Hulscher	~	Cindy Hall		ADA Ride
Anthony Ferguson	✓			San Diego Regional Center
Charles Lungerhausen				Paratransit Consumer
Kevin Kelly		Marion Connaughton		San Diego Center for the Blind
Belinda Fragger	~	Amanda Denham	1	MTS Bus
John Lewis	✓	Rafael Villegas		First Transit, Inc. (MTS Access)
				Hearing Impaired
Audrey Porcella		Danielle Kochman	✓	SANDAG
Floyd Willis	~			County of San Diego AIS
Connery Cepeda		Mike Pickford	✓	Caltrans
Tom Doogan	~			MTS Trolley
Jim Byrne	~			MTS Bus
Todd Lordson	~			MTS Contracted Services
Lisa Madsen	~			MTS Contracted Services
Karen Landers				MTS Legal

SIGNED BY THE CLERK OF THE BOARD: <u>Asa Madsen</u> CONFIRMED BY THE GENERAL COUNSEL: <u>Maddae</u>

MTS Access ASAC Report FY 15

	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Total
Total Passengers	38,759	37,862					Î	1					76,621
Wheelchair Boardings	9,317	9,327											18,644
On Time Performance (%)	93%	93%									1		93%
Valid Complaints	2	4											6
Invalid Complaints	8	5				<u> </u>							13
Compliments	2	3											5
Calls Received	28,800	29,548											58,348
% Abandoned Calls	1.88%	2.17%											2.03%
Average Call Time	0:02:10	0:02:13											0:02:11
Average Hold Time	0:00:15	0:00:16											0:00:15









ADARide Certification Summary Report FY 15

	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Total
New Applicants	292	198											490
Re-Certifications	137	79											216
Total	429	277											706
Ineligible	10	10											20
Restricted (Conditional & Trip-By-Trip)	42	41											83
Temporary	78	50											128
Unrestricted	299	176											475
Total	429	277											706







MTS Bus Ramp Deployment Report FY 15

	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Total
Total Passengers	2,336,042	2,270,454							A				4,606,496
Total Ramp Boardings	26,318	26,231											52,549
Percentage of Ramp Boardings	1.13%	1.16%											1.14%
Total Ramp Unserved Passengers	240	190										-	430
Percentage of Ramp Unserved Passengers	0.91%	0.72%											0.82%
Pass-Up Ramp Inoperable	10	12											22
Pass-Up WC Space Full	183	135											318
Pass-Up Bus Full	47	43											90









MTS Contract Services Ramp Deployment Report FY 15

	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Total
Total Passengers	2,168,678	2,330,313											4,498,991
Total Ramp Boardings	12,105	11,822											23,927
Percentage of Ramp Boardings	0.56%	0.51%											0.53%
Total Ramp Unserved Passengers	31	32											63
Percentage of Ramp Unserved Passengers	0.26%	0.27%											0.26%
Pass-Up Ramp Inoperable	3	3											6
Pass-Up WC Space Full	23	23											46
Pass-Up Bus Full	5	6											11









San Diego Trolley Lift Deployment Report FY 15

Total - All Lines	Jul-14	Aug-14	Sep-14	Oct-14	Nov-14	Dec-14	Jan-15	Feb-15	Mar-15	Apr-15	May-15	Jun-15	Tota
Total Passenger								1			,		3,399,0
Lift Uses	10,539	10,037											20,57
Lift Failures	3	14											17
Delays - S/D Onl	y 769	889											1,65
Pass - Ups (Capaci	ty) 247	215											462
Delays - S/D + Other		22											40
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MTS Accessible Services Advisory Committee (ASAC) 2015 Meeting Schedule

All meetings will be held at MTS in the Board Room, 10th Floor, 1255 Imperial Ave., San Diego, CA at 1:30 p.m.

Meeting Date	Mailout Date
March 5, 2015	February 26, 2015
June 11, 2015	June 4, 2015
September 10, 2015	September 3, 2015
December 10, 2015	December 3, 2015



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