# Metro Gold Line Foothill Extension Construction Authority

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# **BOARD MEETING**

October 13, 2021

12:00 PM

# https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6262775445

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# MEETING MODIFICATIONS DUE TO THE STATE AND LOCAL EMERGENCY RESULTING FROM THE THREAT OF COVID-19

Assembly Bill 361 (Rivas), signed by California Governor Gavin Newsom on September 16, 2021, authorizes local agencies to hold public meetings via teleconferencing and allows for members of the public to observe and address the meeting telephonically or electronically to promote social distancing due to the state and local emergency resulting from the threat of the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19).

To follow the provisions in AB 361 and ensure the safety of Board Members, staff, consultants and the public for the purpose of limiting the risk of COVID-19, in-person public participation at the Construction Authority Board Meeting will not be allowed. To allow for public participation, the Construction Authority Board will conduct its meeting through Zoom Video Communications. To participate in the meeting, download Zoom on any phone, tablet or computer device. Information to access the meeting is provided on the front of the agenda page.

#### **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

You may provide public comment at the time reserved during the meeting when the presiding officer calls for public comment. Speakers are limited to three (3) minutes, speaking once, on both on-agenda and off-agenda items. If there are any public hearings scheduled, individuals will be given an additional opportunity to comment under said items. To ensure that the public will be able to participate, the Board is providing three methods in which the public can submit their comments:

# OPTION 1: LIVE COMMENTS

Public is invited to participate via Zoom Video Communications, enter the Meeting ID# and Passcode indicated above at <a href="https://zoom.us/join">https://zoom.us/join</a>. If you wish to address the Board on any matter posted on the agenda or within subject matter jurisdiction, you should utilize one of the following protocols:

# **Utilizing "Chat" Feature**

- Step 1. Utilizing the Chat function send a message to the Clerk and let him know which item(s) you wish to comment on (aka: Public Comment, or Item No. 1 or 2),
- Step 2. Wait to be called on by the Clerk of the Board,
- Step 3. Unmute your audio,
- Step 4. Verbalize your comments (less than 3 minutes)

#### **Executive Officer:**

**Habib F. Balian** Chief Executive Officer

# **OPTION 2: E-MAIL**

Public Comments can be submitted via email to <a href="clowe@foothillgoldline.org">clowe@foothillgoldline.org</a> with the subject "Public Comment – <a href="mailto:linearing-nate">lnsert Board Meeting Date</a>". Public Comments received will be added to the associated Agenda Packet. Emails received in real time and prior to the commencement of Public Comment Period or Public Hearing and not already incorporated in the Agenda Packet will be read out loud (up to 3 minutes) by the Clerk of the Board.

# **OPTION 3: MAIL**

Public comments may be mailed to:

Metro Gold Line Foothill Extension Construction Authority ATTN: Clerk of the Board – Public Comments 406 E. Huntington Drive, Suite 202 Monrovia, CA 91016

The Clerk of the Board will read public comments received by mail out loud (up to 3 minutes) into the public record if received before 10:00 a.m. on the date of the meeting. Otherwise, public comments will be considered late correspondence and incorporated into the meeting minute record.

#### **OPTION 4: TELEPHONE**

Members of the public may participate in the meeting remotely through an electronic meeting via phone by dialing (669) 900-6833 enter ID: #626 277 5445 and Passcode 865260. When the Chair requests Public Comment, press \*9 on your phone to virtually raise your hand. Press \*6 to un-mute yourself to speak when the last four digits of your phone number or your name is called.

In compliance with the American with Disabilities Act, any person with a disability who requires modification or accommodation to participate in a meeting should contact Clerk of the Board's office at (626) 305-7002 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting.



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# **AGENDA**

# Items:

- 1. Call to order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Roll Call
- 4. Public Comment on items on or off the Agenda
- 5. CEO Monthly Report
- 6. Consent Calendar
  - a. Approval of September 22, 2021, minutes of Metro Gold Line Foothill Extension Construction Authority Board of Directors meeting
  - b. Receive and File a Report on Fiscal Year 2021 Annual Financial Report
- 7. General Board items:
  - a. Receive and File Project Technical Update: Utilities
  - b. Receive and file Real Estate Right of Way Acquisition Activity
    Reporting Update
  - c. Receive and file Real Estate Right of Way Program Update
  - d. Consideration of Resolution 2021-R-21 of the Board of Directors making Findings and Determinations under Assembly Bill 361 (AB 361) for the continuation of virtual meetings

- e. Receive and File Monthly Project Status Update as of September 2021
- 8. General Counsel's report
- 9. Board member comments
- 10. Adjournment

# **Upcoming Meetings:**

October 27, 2021 @ 12:00 PM - CANCELLED November 10, 2021 @ 12:00 PM November 24, 2021 @ 12:00 PM - CANCELLED December 8, 2021 @ 12:00 PM December 22, 2021 @ 12:00 PM - CANCELLED