Metropolitan Transportation Commission Executive Committee

October 26, 2022 Agenda Item 3c - 22-1435

Regional Rail Partnerships Study

Subject:

Staff will present draft preliminary findings from the Regional Rail Partnerships study and receive feedback to inform the final study deliverables and potential next steps.

Background:

In December 2021, MTC and regional partners launched the Regional Rail Partnerships Study. This study is a collaborative effort spanning rail operators and other public agencies involved with passenger rail service in the Bay Area.

The objectives of the study are to explore and make recommendations on how agencies can collaborate and coordinate more efficiently and effectively on rail decision making, system organization/operations and project delivery. MTC and its rail partners committed to working together to explore how evolution across these areas can have a positive impact on the rail network – whether that is a better experience for riders, reduction of risk, increased attractiveness to funding partners, or improved value for money. Note that the findings from this study are an input to the Network Management Business Case. Staff will be at your October 26, 2022 Executive Committee meeting to present draft preliminary findings and receive feedback to inform the final study deliverables and potential next steps.

Issues:

None identified.

Recommendation:

Information

Attachments:

• Attachment A: Regional Rail Partnerships Study Presentation

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