

**Metropolitan Transportation Commission
Programming and Allocations Committee**

September 13, 2017

Agenda Item 5a

MTC Resolution Nos. 4279, Revised, 4284, Revised, 4285, Revised, and 4286, Revised

Subject: Allocation of \$164 million in FY2017-18 Transportation Development Act (TDA) funds, State Transit Assistance (STA) funds, Regional Measure 2 (RM2), and Assembly Bill 1107 (AB1107) funds, to AC Transit, Fairfield, Golden Gate Transit, Petaluma, and Santa Rosa to support transit operations and capital projects in the region.

Background: This month's proposed actions continue the annual allocation process of these funds for FY2017-18. Entities requesting TDA, STA, AB1107 and RM2 allocations this month that exceed the \$1 million delegated authority limit are identified in the table below. Allocation requests that are less than \$1.0 million are approved separately through the Executive Director's Delegated Authority process. The allocation requests are consistent with the adopted MTC Fund Estimate (Resolution 4268, Revised for TDA, STA and AB1107 funds) and the RM2 Operating Program (MTC Resolution 4278). Allocation requests, greater than \$1.0 million, are summarized below:

Transit Operator/ Claimant	TDA Resolution No. 4284	STA Resolution No. 4285	AB 1107 Resolution No. 4286	RM2 Resolution No. 4279	Total
AC Transit	\$ 70,915,153	\$ 7,633,993	\$ 42,420,000	\$ 12,578,503	\$ 133,547,649
Fairfield	\$ 3,538,392	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,538,392
GGBHTD	\$ 13,087,080	\$ 3,775,956	\$ -	\$ 2,130,612	\$ 18,993,648
Petaluma	\$ 1,737,984	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,737,984
Santa Rosa	\$ 5,871,237	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,871,237
Total	\$ 95,149,846	\$ 11,409,949	\$ 42,420,000	\$ 14,709,115	\$ 163,688,910

Information regarding the operating budgets of the above operators is provided in Attachment A. As reported in June and July, most operators are seeing a reduction in ridership leading to a loss of farebox revenue. At the same time, the costs of labor and fringe benefits are increasing faster than inflation, particularly as pension and other post-employment benefit (e.g. health care) costs continue to increase rapidly. Small operators are facing increased costs for purchased transportation (contracted service) due to contract terms and also the need to attract and retain drivers. In addition, operators continue to budget conservatively for fuel and diesel prices that are expected to increase somewhat due to passage of Senate Bill 1.

The final payment from the State for FY2016-17 STA revenue was received in early August and total revenue was higher than projected. Despite this higher revenue, about \$600,000 in rescissions were necessary. One rescission for AC Transit in the amount of \$570,000 accounts for most of this amount. AC Transit's rescission is necessary because their allocation was made before later updates to the Fund Estimate were made. Eight other operators had fairly minor rescission amounts.

Issues:

- 1) With the exception of AC Transit, the annual operating cost increases at over 5% for this group of operators are well in excess of the service percentage increases.

By the end of FY2016-17, the seven largest seven transit operators are required to achieve a five percent cost reduction in one of three performance measures—Cost per Revenue Hour, Cost per Passenger or Cost per Passenger Mile—as approved in the Transit Sustainability Project (TSP). Staff will report on the progress of these operators toward achieving the reductions in Fall 2017; however, due to a one-year lag in data, the results for FY2016-17 will not be known until next summer.

- 2) The FY2017-18 Fund Estimate (MTC Res. 4268, Revised) will not be updated this month as is typical due to outstanding information on the State Transit Assistance (STA) program that is needed from the State Controller's Office (SCO). The next revision of the FY 2017-18 Fund Estimate will likely include increased revenue expected for the STA Revenue-Based program as a result of SB 1.

Recommendation: Refer MTC Resolution Nos. 4279, Revised, 4284, Revised, 4285, Revised, and 4286, Revised to the Commission for approval

Attachments: Attachment A – Transit Operator Budget Summary.
MTC Resolution Nos. 4279, Revised, 4284, Revised, 4285, Revised, and 4286, Revised

Operator	FY2016-17 Operating Budget	FY2017-18 Operating Budget	% Change	Revenue Vehicle Hours % Increase	FY2017-18 Operating Request ¹	Allocation Request as a % of Operating Budget	Highlight of FY2017-18 Budgets
AC Transit	\$424,447,564	\$447,669,095	5.5%	4.7%	\$135,776,225	30.3%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> AC Transit implemented half of the planned service increases approved as part of AC Go funded through Measure BB in Alameda County and accounting for two-thirds of the budget increase. Ridership was higher on routes with investments and productivity was only a little less than routes that did not receive additional investment. AC Transit will not implement Phase 3 of the AC Go recommended service increases in March 2018 as planned due to other efforts that require staff focus. The remaining one-third of the budget increase is due to higher wage and benefit costs.
Fairfield	\$ 10,707,037	\$ 11,701,878	9.3%	3.0%	\$4,340,146	37.1%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fairfield's addition of staff to assist with Transit Program administration accounts for 15% of the budget increase. The Fairfield Vacaville Train Station will open later this year and a new bus route will be added to serve the station, accounting for one-third of the budget increase. In order to raise wages for contracted bus operators to improve retention and service reliability, FAST increased the hourly payment for revenue hours of service, accounting for one-third of the budget increase.
GGBHTD (transit only)	\$101,866,306	\$111,924,500	9.9%	0.3%	\$ 20,270,593	18.1%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increases in the cost of wages and benefits account for half the budget increase. Projected fuel costs comprise one-third of the budget increase. GGBHTD began operation of the Tiburon Ferry service and the budget includes a whole year of operating costs and is accounted for in the labor and fuel costs. Golden Gate bus and ferry fares increased as part of the first year of a five-year fare program.

¹ The allocation request includes funds that will be allocated through Executive Director's Delegated Authority as allowed by MTC Resolution No. 3620, Revised. Allocations made by Delegated Authority are reported to the Commission quarterly.

Operator	FY2016-17 Operating Budget	FY2017-18 Operating Budget	% Change	Revenue Vehicle Hours % Increase	FY2017-18 Operating Request ¹	Allocation Request as a % of Operating Budget	Highlight of FY2017-18 Budgets
Petaluma	\$ 2,544,022	\$ 2,690,304	5.8%	-4.8%	\$ 1,946,855	72.4%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Petaluma is trying to “right size” their service. Ending service at 8:40 pm instead of until 10:10 pm, changing more holidays to holiday service, and other changes are leading to an overall decline in revenue vehicle hours. Service is being added to serve the SMART station and slightly offsets the service reduction. Increase in labor costs and recruitment for a new transit manager each account for one-third of the cost increase.
Santa Rosa	\$ 12,724,341	\$ 13,689,890	7.6%	0%	\$ 6,753,636	49.3%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Santa Rosa Transit is facing a structural deficit and the city will explore opportunities to address this deficit in the coming year. The City left open three vacant positions last year as a cost-savings measure. Santa Rosa implemented a redesign of the bus network in May 2017 which was approved early in August 2016. Santa Rosa will receive \$411K of Transit Performance Initiative funds to support implementation of the network redesign (see July 2017 staff report for more information).

¹ The allocation request includes funds that will be allocated through Executive Director’s Delegated Authority as allowed by MTC Resolution No. 3620, Revised. Allocations made by Delegated Authority are reported to the Commission quarterly.

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ABSTRACT

Resolution No. 4279, Revised

This resolution approves the allocation of the Regional Measure 2 operating and planning funds for FY 2017-18.

This resolution allocates funds to the Water Emergency Transportation Authority (WETA).

This resolution was revised on July 26, 2017 to allocate funds to San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA),

This resolution was revised on September 27, 2017 to allocate funds to AC Transit and Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transit District (GGBHTD).

Discussion of the allocations made under this resolution are contained in the MTC Programming and Allocations Committee Summary Sheets dated June 14, 2017, July 12, 2017, and September 13, 2017.

Date: June 28, 2017
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Re: Allocation of Regional Measure 2 funds for transit operations and planning for FY 2017-18

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
RESOLUTION No. 4279

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code Section 66500 *et seq.*, the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (“MTC”) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area; and

WHEREAS, Streets and Highways Code Sections 30950 *et seq.* created the Bay Area Toll Authority (“BATA”) which is a public instrumentality governed by the same board as that governing MTC; and

WHEREAS, on March 2, 2004, voters approved Regional Measure 2, increasing the toll for all vehicles on the seven state-owned toll bridges in the San Francisco Bay Area by \$1.00, with this extra dollar funding various transportation projects within the region that have been determined to reduce congestion or to make improvements to travel in the toll bridge corridors, as identified in SB 916 (Chapter 715, Statutes of 2004), commonly referred as Regional Measure 2 (“RM2”); and

WHEREAS, RM2 establishes the Regional Traffic Relief Plan and programs eligible for RM2 funding for transit operating and planning assistance as identified in Streets and Highways Code Section 30914(d).

WHEREAS, RM2 assigns administrative duties and responsibilities for the implementation of the Regional Traffic Relief Plan to MTC; and

WHEREAS, BATA shall fund the projects of the Regional Traffic Relief Plan by transferring RM2 authorized funds to MTC; and

WHEREAS, MTC adopted policies and procedures for the implementation of the Regional Measure 2 Regional Traffic Relief Plan on June 23, 2004, specifying the allocation criteria and project compliance requirements for RM 2 funding (MTC Resolution No. 3636, Revised); and

WHEREAS, MTC has reviewed the allocation requests submitted for RM2 transit operations and planning funds from the project sponsor(s) listed in Attachment A to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length funds; and

WHEREAS, project sponsors seeking RM2 funds are required to submit an Operating Assistance Proposal (OAP), pursuant to Streets and Highway Code Section 30914(e) to MTC for review and approval, which demonstrates a fully funded operating plan and consistency with the performance measures, as applicable; and

WHEREAS, Attachment A lists the projects requested by project sponsors for RM2 funding, project specific conditions, and amounts recommended for RM2 allocation by MTC staff; and

RESOLVED, that MTC approves staff's review of the OAP for the projects listed in Attachment A; and be it further


RESOLVED, that MTC approves the allocation of RM2 funds in accordance with Attachment A; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the allocation and reimbursement of RM2 funds as set forth in Attachment A are conditioned upon the project sponsor complying with the provisions of the Regional Measure 2 Regional Traffic Relief Plan Policy and Procedures as set for in length in MTC Resolution 3636, Revised; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the allocation and reimbursement of RM2 funds are further conditioned upon the project specific conditions as set forth in Attachment A; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that a certified copy of this resolution, shall be forwarded to the project sponsors.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION



Jake Mackenzie, Chair

The above resolution was entered into
by the Metropolitan Transportation
Commission at the regular meeting
of the Commission held in San Francisco,
California, on June 28, 2017.

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Attachment A
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**FY 2017-18 ALLOCATION OF REGIONAL MEASURE 2 FUNDS
FOR TRANSIT OPERATIONS AND PLANNING**

Funding for each route is limited to the amount identified in the FY2017-18 RM2 Operating Program (MTC Resolution 4278). All routes are required to meet performance standards identified in MTC's RM2 Policies and Procedures (MTC Resolution 3636) except for WETA's South San Francisco Ferry service which was given seven years (until FY 2018-19) to meet RM2 standards when MTC Res. 4228 was adopted on June 22, 2016.

Claimant	Project Description	Allocation Amount	Allocation Code	Approval Date	Project Number	Farebox Requirement	Org Key
WETA	Planning and Administration	3,000,000	01	06/28/17	11	n.a.	801851400
WETA	Ferry Operations	16,500,000	02	06/28/17	6	40% Peak service, 30% All Day Service	801850900
SFMTA	Metro 3rd Street Extension	2,500,000	03	07/26/17	8	n.a.	801851100
AC Transit	Express Bus Service	5,427,904	04	09/27/17	4	30% Peak, 20% All Day	801850400
AC Transit	Dumbarton Bus	2,816,976	05	09/27/17	5	20% All Day	801850500
AC Transit	Owl Bus Service	1,333,623	06	09/27/17	7	10%	801851000
AC Transit	Enhanced/Rapid Bus Service	3,000,000	07	09/27/17	9	n.a.	801851200
GGBHTD	Route 40	2,130,612	08	09/27/17	1	20% All Day	801850100
Total		36,709,115					

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ABSTRACT

Resolution No. 4284, Revised

This resolution approves the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 Transportation Development Act Article 4, Article 4.5 and Article 8 funds to claimants in the MTC region.

This resolution allocates funds to County Connection (CCCTA), TriDelta (Eastern Contra Costa Transit Authority), LAVTA (Livermore Amador Valley Transit Authority), and Vacaville.

This resolution was revised on July 26, 2017 to allocate funds to Napa Valley Transportation Authority, San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA), SolTrans, Sonoma County Transit, Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA), and WestCAT (WCCTA).

This resolution was revised on September 27, 2017 to allocate funds to AC Transit, Fairfield, Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transit District (GGBHTD), Petaluma, Santa Rosa.

Discussion of the allocations made under this resolution is contained in the MTC Programming and Allocations Committee Summary Sheets dated June 14, 2017, July 12, 2017, and September 13, 2017.

Date: June 28, 2017
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Referred by: PAC

Re: Allocation of Fiscal Year 2017-18 Transportation Development Act Article 4, Article 4.5 and Article 8 Funds to Claimants in the MTC Region

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 4284

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code Section 66500 et seq., the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (“MTC”) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area; and

WHEREAS, the Mills-Alquist-Deddeh Act (“Transportation Development Act” or “TDA”), Public Utilities Code Section 99200 et seq., makes certain retail sales tax revenues available to eligible claimants for public transportation projects and purposes; and

WHEREAS, MTC is responsible for the allocation of TDA funds to eligible claimants within the MTC region; and

WHEREAS, claimants in the MTC region have submitted claims for the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 TDA funds; and

WHEREAS, Attachment A to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists the amounts of and purposes for the fiscal year 2017-18 allocations requested by claimants, and is from time-to-time revised; and

WHEREAS, this resolution, including the revisions to Attachment A and the sum of all allocations made under this resolution, are recorded and maintained electronically by MTC; and

WHEREAS, Attachment B to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists the required findings MTC must make, as the case may be, pertaining to the various claimants to which funds are allocated; and

WHEREAS, the claimants to which funds are allocated under this resolution have certified that the projects and purposes listed and recorded in Attachment A are in compliance with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code

Section 21000 et seq.), and with the State Environmental Impact Report Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.); now, therefore, be it

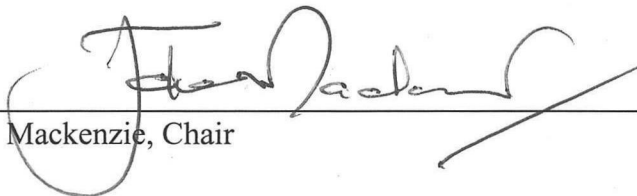
RESOLVED, that MTC approves the findings set forth in Attachment B to this resolution; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC approves the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 TDA funds to the claimants, in the amounts, for the purposes, and subject to the conditions, as listed and recorded on Attachment A to this resolution; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that pursuant to 21 California Code of Regulations Sections 6621 and 6659, a certified copy of this resolution, along with written allocation instructions for the disbursement of TDA funds as allocated herein, shall be forwarded to the county auditor of the county in which each claimant is located; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that all TDA allocations are subject to continued compliance with MTC Resolution 3866, Revised, the Transit Coordination Implementation Plan.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION



Jake Mackenzie, Chair

The above resolution was approved by the
Metropolitan Transportation Commission
at a regular meeting of the Commission held
in San Francisco, California, on June 28, 2017.

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Attachment A
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ALLOCATION OF TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT ARTICLE 4, 4.5 and 8 FUNDS
 DURING FISCAL YEAR 2017-18

All TDA allocations are subject to continued compliance with MTC Resolution 3866,
 the Transit Coordination Implementation Plan.

Claimant	Project Description	Allocation Amount	Alloc. Code	Approval Date	Apportionment Area	Note
5801 - 99233.7, 99275 Community Transit Service - Operations						
AC Transit	Transit Operations	3,617,066	19	09/26/17	Alameda County	
	Subtotal	3,617,066				
5802 - 99260A Transit - Operations						
LAVTA	Transit Operations	9,778,570	01	06/28/17	LAVTA	
CCCTA	Transit Operations	19,877,894	02	06/28/17	CCCTA	
ECCTA	Transit Operations	10,284,989	03	06/28/17	ECCTA	
Vacaville	Transit Operations	1,130,551	04	06/28/17	Vacaville	1
SFMTA	Transit Operations	2,413,293	17	07/26/17	San Francisco County	2
SFMTA	Transit Operations	45,852,571	18	07/26/17	SFMTA	
WCCTA	Transit Operations	2,714,320	07	07/26/17	WCCTA	
SolTrans	Transit Operations	4,919,435	08	07/26/17	Vallejo/Benicia	1
Sonoma County	Transit Operations	6,985,631	09	07/26/17	Sonoma County	
Sonoma County	Transit Operations	207,476	09	07/26/17	Petaluma	
VTA	Transit Operations	99,692,671	10	07/26/17	VTA	
VTA	Transit Operations	5,246,983	11	07/26/17	Santa Clara County	2
NVTA	Transit Operations	4,530,669	12	07/26/17	NVTA	
AC Transit	Transit Operations	48,203,711	20	09/26/17	AC Transit Alameda D1	
AC Transit	Transit Operations	12,666,018	21	09/26/17	AC Transit Alameda D2	
AC Transit	Transit Operations	6,428,358	22	09/26/17	AC Transit Contra Costa	
Santa Rosa	Transit Operations	5,871,237	23	09/26/17	Santa Rosa	
GGBHTD	Transit Operations	7,507,125	24	09/26/17	GGBHTD (Marin)	
GGBHTD	Transit Operations	5,579,955	25	09/26/17	GGBHTD (Sonoma)	
Petaluma	Transit Operations	1,737,984	26	09/26/17	Petaluma	
Fairfield	Transit Operations	555,902	27	09/26/17	Fairfield	3
Fairfield	Transit Operations	840,531	27	09/26/17	Suisun City	3
	Subtotal	303,025,874				
5803 - 99260A Transit - Capital						
LAVTA	Transit Capital	4,072,282	05	06/28/17	LAVTA	
Vacaville	Transit Capital	1,329,000	06	06/28/17	Vacaville	1
Soltrans	Transit Capital	3,025,171	13	07/26/17	Vallejo/Benicia	
NVTA	Transit Capital	1,919,000	14	07/26/17	NVTA	
Fairfield	Transit Capital	2,141,959	28	09/27/17	Fairfield	3
	Subtotal	12,487,412				
5807 - 99400C General Public - Operating						
Sonoma County	Transit Operating	2,174,320	15	07/26/17	Sonoma County	
Sonoma County	Transit Operating	41,495	15	07/26/17	Petaluma	
	Subtotal	2,215,815				
5812 - 99400D Planning & Admin - Operating						
NVTA	Planning and Administration	1,726,700	16	07/26/17	NVTA	
	Subtotal	1,726,700				
		TOTAL			323,072,867	

Note:

- (1) Allocation subject to approval of the County TDA Matrix by the Solano Transportation Authority on 6/14/17.
- (2) MTC finds that these Article 4.5 funds can be used to better advantage for Article 4 purposes.
- (3) Allocation subject to approval of the County TDA Matrix by the Solano Transportation Authority on 9/13/17.

Date: June 28, 2017
Referred by: PAC

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ALLOCATION OF FISCAL YEAR 2017-18
TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT ACT
ARTICLE 4, ARTICLE 4.5 AND ARTICLE 8
FUNDS TO CLAIMANTS IN THE MTC REGION

FINDINGS

The following findings pertain, as the case may be, to claimants to which Transportation Development Act funds are allocated under this resolution.

Transportation Development Act Article 4 Funds

Public Utilities Code § 99268 et seq.

1. That each claimant has submitted, or shall have submitted prior to the disbursement of funds, copies, to MTC and to appropriate agencies, of all required State Controller's reports and fiscal audit reports prepared in accordance with Public Utilities Code §§ 99243 and 99245; and
2. That the projects and purposes for which each claimant has submitted an application for TDA Article 4 funds to MTC are in conformance with MTC's Regional Transportation Plan (21 California. Code of Regulations § 6651), and with the applicable state regulations (21 California Code of Regulations § 6600 et seq.), and with the applicable MTC rules and regulations; and
3. That each claimant has submitted to MTC as part of its application for TDA Article 4 funds a budget indicating compliance with the 50% expenditure limitation of Public Utilities Code § 99268, or with the applicable fare or fares-plus-local-support recovery ratio requirement (Public Utilities Code §§ 99268.2, 99268.3, 99268.4, 99268.12, or 99270.5), as so attested to by the claimant's chief financial officer; and
4. That the sum of each claimant's total allocation of Transportation Development Act and State Transit Assistance funds does not exceed the amount that the claimant is eligible to receive, in accordance with the calculations prescribed by 21 California Code of Regulations § 6633.1, or § 6634; and

5. That pursuant to Public Utilities Code § 99233.7 funds available for purposes stated in TDA Article 4.5 can be used to better advantage by a claimant for purposes stated in Article 4 in the development of a balanced transportation system.

Transportation Development Act Article 4.5 Funds

Public Utilities Code § 99275

1. That each claimant has submitted, or shall have submitted prior to the disbursement of funds, copies, to MTC and to appropriate agencies, of all required State Controller's reports and fiscal audit reports prepared in accordance with Public Utilities Code §§ 99243 and 99245; and

2. That the projects and purposes for which each claimant has submitted an application for TDA Article 4.5 funds to MTC are in conformance with MTC's Regional Transportation Plan (21 California Code of Regulations § 6651), and with the applicable state regulations (21 California Code of Regulations § 6600 et seq.), and with the applicable MTC rules and regulations, including MTC Resolution No. 1209, Revised; and

3. That in accordance with Public Utilities Code § 99275.5(c), MTC finds that the projects and purposes for which each claimant has submitted an application for TDA Article 4.5 funds to MTC, responds to a transportation need not otherwise met in the community of the claimant; that the services of the claimant are integrated with existing transit services, as warranted; that the claimant has prepared and submitted to MTC an estimate of revenues, operating costs and patronage for the fiscal year in which TDA Article 4.5 funds are allocated; and that the claimant has submitted a budget indicating compliance with the applicable fare or fares-plus-local-match recovery ratio requirement (as set forth, respectively, in Public Utilities Code § 99268.5 or MTC Resolution No. 1209, Revised), as so attested to by the claimant's chief financial officer; and

4. That the sum of each claimant's total allocation of Transportation Development Act and State Transit Assistance funds does not exceed the amount that the claimant is eligible to receive, in accordance with the calculations prescribed by 21 California Code of Regulations § 6634; and

5. That each claimant is in compliance with Public Utilities Code §§ 99155 and 99155.5, regarding user identification cards.

Transportation Development Act Article 8 Transit Funds

Public Utilities Code §§ 99400(c), 99400(d) and 99400(e)

1. That each claimant has submitted, or shall have submitted prior to the disbursement of funds, copies, to MTC and to appropriate agencies, of all required State Controller's reports and fiscal audit reports prepared in accordance with Public Utilities Code §§ 99243 and 99245; and
2. That the projects and purposes for which each claimant has submitted an application for TDA Article 8 funds to MTC are in conformance with MTC's Regional Transportation Plan (21 California Code of Regulations § 6651), and with the applicable state regulations (21 California Code of Regulations § 6600 et seq.), and with the applicable MTC rules and regulations, including MTC Resolution No. 1209, Revised; and
3. That each claimant has submitted to MTC as part of its application for TDA Article 8 funds a budget indicating compliance with the applicable fare or fares-plus-local-match recovery ratio requirement (as set forth, respectively, in Public Utilities Code §§ 99268.5, 99268.12, or MTC Resolution No. 1209, Revised), as so attested to by the claimant's chief financial officer; and
4. That the sum of each claimant's total allocation of Transportation Development Act and State Transit Assistance funds does not exceed the amount that the claimant is eligible to receive, in accordance with the calculations prescribed by 21 California Code of Regulations § 6634.

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ABSTRACT

Resolution No. 4285, Revised

This resolution approves the allocation of State Transit Assistance (STA) funds for fiscal year 2017-18.

This resolution allocates funds to County Connection (CCCTA), Tri Delta Transit (ECCTA), and MTC.

This resolution was revised on July 26, 2017 to allocate funds to San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA), Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA), and WestCAT (WCCTA).

This resolution was revised on September 27, 2017 to allocate funds to AC Transit, and Golden Gate Bridge, Highway and Transit District (GGBHTD).

Discussion of the allocations made under this resolution is contained in the MTC Programming and Allocations Committee Summary Sheets dated June 14, 2017, July 12, 2017, and September 13, 2017.

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W.I.: 1514
Referred by: PAC

Re: Allocation of Fiscal Year 2017-18 State Transit Assistance to Claimants in the MTC Region

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 4285

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code § 66500 et seq., the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (“MTC”) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area; and

WHEREAS, the Mills-Alquist-Deddeh Act (“Transportation Development Act” or “TDA”), Public Utilities Code Section 99200 et seq., provides that the State Controller shall, pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 99310, allocate funds in the Public Transportation Account (“PTA”) to the MTC region to be subsequently allocated by MTC to eligible claimants in the region; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 99313.6, MTC has created a State Transit Assistance (“STA”) fund which resides with the Alameda County Auditor for the deposit of PTA funds allocated to the MTC region; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 99313.6(d), MTC may allocate funds to itself for projects to achieve regional transit coordination objectives; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Utilities Code Sections 99314.5(a) and 99314.5(b), claimants eligible for Transportation Development Act Article 4 and Article 8 funds are eligible claimants for State Transit Assistance funds; and

WHEREAS, eligible claimants have submitted applications to MTC for the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 STA funds; and

WHEREAS, Attachment A to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists the amounts of and purposes for the fiscal year 2017-18 allocations requested by claimants, and is from time-to-time revised; and

WHEREAS, this resolution, including the revisions to Attachment A and the sum of all allocations made under this resolution, are recorded and maintained electronically by MTC; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to 21 California Code of Regulations Section 6754, MTC Resolution Nos. 3837 and 4249, and Attachment B to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists the required findings MTC must make, as the case may be, pertaining to the various claimants to which funds are allocated; and

WHEREAS, the claimants to which funds are allocated under this resolution have certified that the projects and purposes listed and recorded in Attachment A are in compliance with the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.), and with the State Environmental Impact Report Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the California State Legislature is currently considering revisions to the TDA, which may change the administration of STA funds; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that MTC approves the findings set forth in Attachment B to this resolution; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC approves the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 STA funds to the claimants, in the amounts, for the purposes, and subject to the conditions, as listed and recorded on Attachment A to this resolution;

RESOLVED, that, pursuant to 21 Cal. Code of Regs. §§ 6621 and 6753, a certified copy of this resolution, along with written allocation instructions for the disbursement of STA funds as allocated herein, shall be forwarded to the Alameda County Auditor; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that all STA allocations are subject to continued compliance with MTC Resolution 3866, the Transit Coordination Implementation Plan; and, be it further

RESOLVED, this resolution incorporates any revisions to the TDA, either by statute or regulation, made hereafter.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION



Jake Mackenzie, Chair

The above resolution was approved by the
Metropolitan Transportation Commission
at a regular meeting of the Commission held
in San Francisco, California, on June 28, 2017.

Date: June 28, 2017
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ALLOCATION OF STATE TRANSIT ASSISTANCE FUNDS
 DURING FISCAL YEAR 2017-18

All STA allocations are subject to continued compliance with MTC Resolution 3866, Revised,
 the Transit Coordination Implementation Plan.

Claimant	Project Description	Allocation Amount	Alloc. Code	Approval Date	Appportionment Area
5820 - 6730A Operating Costs - Population-based Small Operator/Northern Counties					
CCCTA	Transit Operations	1,612,760	01	06/28/17	CCCTA
ECCTA	Transit Operations	1,069,516	02	06/28/17	ECCTA
	Subtotal	2,682,276			
5820 - 6730A Operating Costs - Revenue-based					
ECCTA	Transit Operations	2,624,596	03	06/28/17	BART
WCCTA	Transit Operations	2,353,641	07	07/26/17	BART
SFMTA	Transit Operations	31,943,432	05	07/26/17	SFMTA
VTA	Transit Operations	10,093,131	06	07/26/17	VTA
AC Transit	Transit Operations	7,633,993	08	09/27/17	AC Transit
GGBHTD	Transit Operations	3,775,956	09	09/27/17	GGBHTD
	Subtotal	58,424,749			
5820 - 6730A Operating Costs - Population-based MTC Regional Coordination					
MTC	Clipper Operations	11,080,700	04	06/28/17	MTC
	Subtotal	11,080,700			
	TOTAL	72,187,725			

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ALLOCATION OF FISCAL YEAR 2017-18 STATE TRANSIT ASSISTANCE FUNDS
TO CLAIMANTS IN THE MTC REGION

FINDINGS

The following findings pertain, as the case may be, to claimants to which State Transit Assistance funds are allocated under this resolution.

1. That each claimant has submitted, or shall have submitted prior to the disbursement of funds, copies, to MTC and to appropriate agencies, of all required State Controller's reports and fiscal audit reports prepared in accordance with PUC §§ 99243 and 99245; and
2. That the projects and purposes for which each claimant has submitted an application for TDA Article 8 funds to MTC are in conformance with MTC's Regional Transportation Plan (21 Cal. Code of Regs. § 6651), and with the applicable state regulations (21 Cal. Code of Regs. § 6600 et seq.), and with the applicable MTC rules and regulations; and
3. That each claimant has submitted to MTC as part of its application for TDA Article 4 funds a budget indicating compliance with the 50% expenditure limitation of PUC § 99268, or with the applicable fare or fares-plus-local-support recovery ratio requirement (PUC §§ 99268.2, 99268.3, 99268.4, 99268.12, or 99270.5), or with the applicable fare or fares-plus-local-match recovery ratio requirement (as set forth, respectively, in PUC §§ 99268.5, 99268.12, or MTC Resolution No. 1209, Revised), as so attested to by the claimant's chief financial officer; and
4. That each claimant is making full use of federal funds available under the Fixing America's Surface Transportation (FAST) Act, as amended; and
5. That the sum of each claimant's allocation of Transportation Development Act and State Transit Assistance funds does not exceed the amount the claimant is eligible to receive, in accordance with the calculations prescribed by 21 Cal. Code of Regs. § 6633.1 or § 6634; and

6. That MTC has given priority consideration to claims to offset reductions in federal operating assistance and the unanticipated increase in the cost of fuel, to enhance existing public transportation services, and to meet high priority regional, countywide, or area wide public transportation needs; and
7. That each claimant has made a reasonable effort to implement the productivity improvements recommended pursuant to PUC § 99244; and
8. That each claimant has submitted to MTC a copy of a certification from the California Highway Patrol verifying that the claimant is in compliance with Section 1808.1 of the Vehicle Code (“Pull Notice Program”), as required by PUC § 99251; and
9. That each claimant is in compliance with the eligibility requirements of PUC §§ 99314.6 or 99314.7; and
10. That each claimant has certified that it has entered into a joint fare revenue sharing agreement with every connecting transit operator, and that it is in compliance with MTC’s Transit Coordination Implementation Plan, pursuant to Government Code §§ 66516 and 66516.5, PUC §§ 99314.5(c) and §99314.7, and MTC Resolution No. 3866, Revised.

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ABSTRACT

Resolution No. 4286

This resolution approves the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 AB 1107 half-cent sales tax funds to San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA).

This resolution was revised on September 27, 2017 to allocate funds to AC Transit.

Discussion of the allocations made under this resolution is contained in the MTC Programming and Allocations Committee Summary Sheet dated July 12, 2017 and September 13, 2017.

Date: July 26, 2017
Referred by: PAC

Re: Allocation of Fiscal Year 2017-18 “AB 1107” Half-Cent Sales Tax Funds

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 4286

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code Section 66500 et seq., the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (“MTC”) is the regional transportation planning agency for the San Francisco Bay Area; and

WHEREAS, Public Utilities Code Section 29142.2(b) provides that, after deductions for certain administrative expenses, twenty-five percent (25%) of the proceeds from the one-half cent transactions and use tax collected within the San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District (hereinafter referred as “AB 1107” funds), shall, on the basis of regional priorities established by MTC, be allocated by MTC to the City and County of San Francisco for the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (“SFMTA”) and to the Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District (“AC Transit”), for transit services; and

WHEREAS, SFMTA and/or AC Transit has submitted a request for the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 AB 1107 funds for transit service projects and purposes in accordance with the regional priorities established by MTC; and

WHEREAS, Attachment A to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists the amounts of and purposes for the fiscal year 2017-18 allocations requested by SFMTA and/or AC Transit, and is from time-to-time revised; and

WHEREAS, this resolution, including the revisions to Attachment A and the sum of all allocations made under this resolution, are recorded and maintained electronically by MTC; and

WHEREAS, Attachment B to this resolution, attached hereto and incorporated herein as though set forth at length, lists findings pertaining to the allocations made under this resolution to SFMTA and/or AC Transit, as the case may be; and

WHEREAS, SFMTA and/or AC Transit has certified that its projects and purposes listed and recorded in Attachment A are in compliance with the requirements of the California


Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq.), and with the State Environmental Impact Report Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations Section 15000 et seq.); now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that MTC finds that the projects and purposes as listed and recorded in Attachment A are in conformance with MTC's Regional Transportation Plan; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that MTC approves the allocation of fiscal year 2017-18 funds under this resolution to SFMTA and/or AC Transit, in the amounts, for the purposes, and subject to the conditions, as listed and recorded on Attachment A.

RESOLVED, that all AB1107 allocations are subject to continued compliance with MTC Resolution 3866, the Transit Coordination Implementation Plan.

METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION



Jake Mackenzie, Chair

The above resolution was approved by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission at a regular meeting of the Commission held in San Francisco, California, on July 26, 2017.

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ALLOCATION OF AB 1107 FUNDS
DURING FISCAL YEAR 2017-18

All AB 1107 allocations are subject to continued compliance with MTC Resolution 3866,
the Transit Coordination Implementation Plan.

Claimant	Project Description	Fare Ratio Percentage		Allocation Amount	Alloc. Code	Approval Date
		FY 15-16	FY 17-18			
SFMTA	Transit Operations	84.9%	85.1%	50% of deposits to MTC's AB 1107 account.	1	07/26/17
AC Transit	Transit Operations	79.7%	80.5%	50% of deposits to MTC's AB 1107 account.	2	09/27/17

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ALLOCATION OF FISCAL YEAR 2017-18
AB 1107 FUNDS

FINDINGS

The following findings pertain to the allocation of funds under this resolution to AC Transit and/or SFMTA, as the case may be.

	<i>SFMTA</i>	<i>AC Transit</i>
1. In accordance with Public Utilities Code §29142.4(a), the operator is a participating member of the Clipper Executive Board and the Bay Area Partnership Board, established by MTC and which serve the function of a regional transit coordinating council.	<i>YES</i>	<i>YES</i>
2. In accordance with Public Utilities Code §29142(c), the operator has complied with the transit system standards established by MTC pursuant to Government Code §66517.5.	<i>YES</i>	<i>YES</i>
3. In accordance with Public Utilities Code § 29142.5, MTC may consider local support revenues in excess of the operator's base amount as fare revenues, as long as by doing so it will enable the operator to maintain or improve vital transit service within a coordinated fare structure. The audited financials submitted by the claimant for FY 2015-16 and included in the proposed FY 2017-18 budget demonstrate a fare ratio of greater than 33 percent when considering other local excess revenue.	<i>YES</i>	<i>YES</i>