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Memorandum

TO: MTC Commission

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FR: MTC Policy Advisory Council

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RE: Blue Ribbon Transit Recovery Task Force & Transformation Action Plan

At its Wednesday, October 14, 2020 meeting, the Policy Advisory Council received a presentation from SPUR/Seamless Bay Area on the Blue Ribbon Transit Recovery Task Force & the Bay Area Public Transit Transformation Action Plan.

After discussion, the Council voted unanimously in support of the four recommendations drafted by SPUR/Seamless Bay Area for consideration as part of the Blue Ribbon Transit Recovery Task Force & Transformation Action Plan that includes:

- A. Support the long-term goal of a connected, equitable, efficient, and rider-focused transit system across the Bay Area that has integrated service, fares, schedules, and customer information, and common identity;
- B. Identify governance and funding reforms, including legislation, that support creation of an effective transportation network manager in the Bay Area with the authority and mandate to integrate all forms of Bay Area transit;
- C. Fully analyze options for transit agency consolidations and their potential to support a more integrated, accessible, rider-focused system; and
- D. Bring on relevant subject matter experts with domestic and global expertise in effective transportation governance and organization to complete the analysis of governance and funding.