



## **Meeting Minutes**

## **Metropolitan Transportation Commission**

Alfredo Pedroza, Chair Nick Josefowitz, Vice Chair

Wednesday, June 28, 2023 9:35 AM Board Room - 1st Floor

## Chair Pedroza called the meeting to order.

## 1. Roll Call / Confirm Quorum

Present: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner

Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner

Ronen, and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci, and Commissioner Thao

Vice Chair Josefowitz arrived during agenda item 4.

Non-Voting Commissioners Present: Commissioner Giacopini and Commissioner Schaaf

Non-Voting Commissioner Absent: Commissioner El-Tawansy

## 2. Pledge of Allegiance/ Acknowledgement of the Flag

## 3. Compensation Announcement (Clerk)

## 4. Chair's Report

**4a.** <u>23-0799</u> MTC Resolution No. 4589. Resolution of Appreciation for Peter Beeler on

the occasion of his retirement from MTC.

Action: Commission Approval

Steve Heminger and Randi Kinman were called to speak.

Vice Chair Josefowitz arrived during agenda item 4a.

Upon the motion by Commissioner Spering and seconded by Commissioner Glover, the Commission unanimously adopted MTC Resolution No. 4589. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

**4b**. 23-0794

MTC Resolution No. 4587. Resolution of Appreciation for Gary Louie, Nancy Louie, Debbie Atmaja, Mabel Melkonians and Lourdes Tang on the occasion of their retirement from MTC.

Action: Commission Approval

Upon the motion by Commissioner Spering and seconded by Commissioner Chavez, the Commission unanimously adopted MTC Resolution No. 4587. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

**4c.** <u>23-0940</u> Update to Committee Assignments - Regional Network Management Appointments

Action: Commission Approval

Upon the motion by Commissioner Chavez and seconded by Commissioner Rabbitt, the Commission unanimously approved the appointment of Janice Li (BART Board President), Diane Shaw (AC Transit Board Vice President), and Chad Edison (CalSTA Chief Deputy Secretary for Transit) to the Regional Network Management Committee. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

**4d.** 23-0950 Designation of Commissioners as Transit Representatives

Action: Commission Approval

Upon the motion by Commissioner Chavez and seconded by Commissioner Glover, the Commission unanimously approved the designation of Commissioners listed in Attachment A as Transit Representatives. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

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## 5. Policy Advisory Council Report

**5a.** Policy Advisory Council's Report

Action: Information

Adina Levin was called to speak.

## 6. Executive Director's Report (Fremier)

**6a.** <u>23-0801</u> Executive Director's Report

Action: Information

Alix Bockelman gave the report on behalf of Andrew Fremier.

Adina Levin was called to speak.

#### 7. Commissioner Comments

Commissioner Papan commented on the bump in BART ridership over the past weekend for Pride events.

#### 8. Consent Calendar

Upon the motion by Commissioner Papan and seconded by Commissioner Glover, the Commission unanimously approved the Consent Calendar by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

**8a.** 23-0800 Approval of the Commission Minutes of the May 24, 2023 Meeting

Action: Commission Approval

**8b.** 23-0474 MTC Resolution No. 4517, Revised. Draft Fiscal Year 2022-23 Operating

and Capital Budget, Amendment No. 2

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Derek Hansel

## Joint MTC ABAG Legislation Committee

**8c.** <u>23-0716</u> MTC Resolution No. 4590. Revised Draft 2023 MTC Public Participation

Plan

Action: MTC Commission Approval

Presenter: Alex Eisenhart

## **Programming and Allocations Committee**

**8d.** <u>23-0714</u> MTC Resolution No. 4053, Revised. Revision to Lifeline Transportation

Cycle 3 Program of Projects.

Action: Commission Approval

**Presenter:** Drennen Shelton

**8e.** <u>23-0764</u> MTC Resolution Nos. 4169, Revised, 4263, Revised, and 4513, Revised.

Extends BATA Project Savings and AB 664 Funds and Programs FY

2022-23 AB 664 Funds.

Action: Commission Approval

**Presenter:** Margaret Doyle

8f. 23-0757 MTC Resolution No. 4523, Revised. Allocation of \$2.6 million, in

FY2022-2023 Transportation Development Act (TDA) funds to Solano County Transit (SolTrans) to support transit operations and capital projects

in the region.

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Luis Garcia

**8g.** <u>22-1769</u> MTC Resolution No. 4545, Revised. 2023 Transportation Improvement

Program (TIP) Amendment 2023-13.

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Adam Crenshaw

**8h.** 23-0579 MTC Resolution No. 4569. Adoption of the \$43.6 million FY2023-24

Regional Measure 2 (RM2) Operating and Marketing Assistance Program.

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Raleigh McCoy

8i. <u>23-0755</u> MTC Resolution No. 4568. Adoption of the \$10.8 million FY2023-24

Regional State Transit Assistance (STA) Program

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Raleigh McCoy

**8j.** <u>23-0756</u> MTC Resolution No. 4575. Allocation of FY2023-24 Transportation

Development Act (TDA) funds to County Controllers for TDA administration

and to MTC for TDA administration and planning

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Luis Garcia

8k. 23-0736 MTC Resolution Nos. 4202, Revised, 4505, Revised, and 4540, Revised.

Revisions to the One Bay Area Grant programs (OBAG 2 and 3) and Carbon Reduction Program (CRP), including programming \$59 million to projects within the OBAG 3 Regional Growth Framework and Climate Initiatives programs and reprogramming \$3.7 million in OBAG 2 Santa

Clara County Program balances to various projects.

Action: Commission Approval

**Presenter:** Thomas Arndt

**8I.** 23-0763 MTC Resolution Nos. 4456, Revised, and 4510, Revised. Transit Capital

Priorities Program Revisions FYs 2020-21 - 2023-24

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Margaret Doyle

8m. <u>23-0758</u> MTC Resolution Nos. 4570, 4571, 4572, and 4573. Transportation

Development Act (TDA), State Transit Assistance (STA), Regional

Measure 2 (RM2), and AB 1107 Allocation

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Luis Garcia

## **Committee Reports**

# 9. Joint MTC Planning Committee with the ABAG Administrative Committee (Spering)

**9a.** 23-0743 Plan Bay Area 2050 Implementation: 2023 Local Grant Award

Recommendations - Climate Initiatives and Growth Framework

Implementation Programs

Approval of \$36.4 million in grants to support local implementation of Plan Bay Area 2050, including construction and planning for Mobility Hubs and Parking Management, and planning and technical assistance for Priority Development Areas (PDAs) and Priority Production Areas (PPAs).

Action: MTC Commission Approval

Presenter: Krute Singa and Mark Shorett

Randi Kinman was called to speak.

Upon the motion by Commissioner Spering and seconded by Commissioner Chavez, the Commission unanimously approved the Climate Initiatives and Growth Framework Implementation grant recommendations as well as the associated programming revisions to MTC Resolution Nos. 4202, Revised; 4505, Revised; and 4540, Revised. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

## 10. Joint MTC ABAG Legislation Committee (Canepa)

**10a.** 23-0796 Assembly Bill 761 (Friedman): Transit Transformation Task Force

Establishes a statewide task force to identify transit funding needs to support ridership growth, recommend policies aimed at increasing transit ridership and the customer experience, and recommend new rider-focused state performance metrics.

Action: Support / MTC Commission Approval

Presenter: Georgia Gann Dohrmann

Upon the motion by Chair Pedroza and seconded by Commissioner Spering, the Commission unanimously adopted a support position for AB 761. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

**10b.** 23-0814 Assembly Bill 1377 (Friedman): Homelessness Assistance on Transit

Expands reporting requirement for recipients of state Homeless Housing, Assistance and Prevention Program funds to include a summary of efforts to improve service delivery to unsheltered individuals on transit systems within the recipient's jurisdiction.

Action: Support / ABAG Executive Board Approval Support / MTC Commission Approval

Presenter: Georgia Gann Dohrmann

Upon the motion by Chair Pedroza and seconded by Commissioner Chavez, the Commission unanimously adopted a support position on AB 1377. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

**10c.** 23-0798 Assembly Bill 1657 (Wicks): Statewide Housing Bond

Places a \$10 billion general obligation (GO) bond on the March 2024 statewide ballot for a variety of housing production and preservation programs.

<u>Action:</u> Support / ABAG Executive Board Approval Support / MTC Commission Approval

Presenter: Julie Snyder

Upon the motion by Chair Pedroza and seconded by Commissioner Glover, the Commission unanimously adopted a support position for AB 1657. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

## 11. Programming and Allocations Committee (Chavez)

**11a.** <u>23-0580</u> MTC Resolution No. 4320, Revised. Clipper® START Pilot Update and

Extension

Results of the evaluation for the Clipper® START means-based transit fare discount program pilot and recommended extension of the pilot program until June 30, 2025.

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Melanie Choy and Judis Santos

Aleta Dupree was called to speak.

Upon the motion by Commissioner Chavez and seconded by Commissioner Fleming, the Commission unanimously adopted MTC Resolution No. 4320, Revised. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

11b. 23-0760 MTC Resolution Nos. 4583, 4584, 4585, 4586, 4591, 4592, 4593, 4594, and 4595. Allocation of \$271.6 million in Regional Measure 3 (RM3) capital funds to STA, BAIFA, CCTA, TAM, and NVTA

Recommended allocation of a total \$271.6 million in RM3 capital funds to I-80 Express Lanes in Solano County (STA); I-80 Express Lanes in Solano County - Toll Systems (BAIFA); I-680/SR-4 Interchange Improvements (CCTA); US-101 Marin-Sonoma Narrows (TAM); I-80/I-680/SR-12 Interchange (STA); I-80 Westbound Truck Scales (STA); Vine Transit Maintenance Facility (NVTA); SR-29 Soscol Junction (NVTA); and Mokelumne Trail Bike/Ped Overcrossing (CCTA).

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Craig Bosman

Upon the motion by Commissioner Chavez and seconded by Commissioner Spering, the Commission unanimously adopted MTC Resolution Nos. 4583, 4584, 4585, 4586, 4591, 4592, 4593, 4594, and 4595. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 15 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Fleming, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and Commissioner Spering

Absent: 3 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci and Commissioner Thao

## 12. Commission Approval

**12a.** <u>23-0734</u> MTC Resolution No. 4576 - Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24 Operating and

Capital Budget

A request that the Commission approve MTC Resolution No. 4576 for Commission approval authorizing the FY 2023-24 MTC Operating and

Capital Budgets.

Action: Commission Approval

Presenter: Derek Hansel

Commissioner Fleming was absent during the vote for agenda item 12a.

Upon the motion by Commissioner Rabbitt and seconded by Commissioner Chavez, the Commission unanimously adopted MTC Resolution No. 4576. The

motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 14 - Chair Pedroza, Vice Chair Josefowitz, Commissioner Abe-Koga, Commissioner Ahn, Commissioner Chavez, Commissioner Glover, Commissioner Mahan, Commissioner Miley, Commissioner Moulton-Peters, Commissioner Noack, Commissioner Papan, Commissioner Rabbitt, Commissioner Ronen and

Commissioner Spering

Absent: 4 - Commissioner Canepa, Commissioner Dutra-Vernaci, Commissioner Fleming and

Commissioner Thao

## 13. Public Comment / Other Business

Aleta Dupree was called to speak.

## 14. Adjournment / Next Meetings:

The next meeting of the Metropolitan Transportation Commission is scheduled to be held at 9:35 a.m. on Wednesday, July 26, 2023. Any changes to the schedule will be duly noticed to the public.