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Omnitrans Seeks Input on Three Service Initiatives

(San Bernardino, CA) Omnitrans will host four virtual public hearings this month to gather public feedback on the impacts of COVID-19 pandemic-related service adjustments, its seven-step service resumption priority plan, and the agency's proposed five-year Short Range Transit Plan.

"As we mark the one-year mark of the pandemic, we are pleased to have begun restoring service frequency to our busiest routes and look forward to moving beyond recovery into the next five years," said CEO/General Manager Erin Rogers. "The purpose of these hearings is to ensure that our proposals align with community expectations and needs."

As the region begins to reopen, Omnitrans has created a seven-step plan to continue to resume service following pandemic service reductions. The steps include restoration of school service and the addition of route frequency on various routes and days of the week The agency will detail the plan for community members in order to get their feedback on prioritization of each step. Plan details can be found at Omnitrans.org/publichearings21.

Omnitrans' final service resumption plan and Short Range Transit Plan, including any adjustments made as a result of public comment, are expected to go before the Omnitrans Board of Directors for approval in June.

In addition to the virtual public hearings below, comments may be submitted by phone at (909) 379-7342, by email at Planning@omnitrans.org, or by mail to the Omnitrans Strategic Development Dept., 1700 West Fifth Street, San Bernardino, CA 92411. The comment period will close at 5:00 pm on April 9, 2021.

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Monday, March 22, 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Click here for Zoom meeting | Meeting ID: 883 6959 6221

Friday, March 26, 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Click here for Zoom meeting | Meeting ID: 868 6118 3399

Saturday, March 27, 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Click here for Zoom meeting | Meeting ID: 891 9138 9390

Tuesday, March 30, 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Click here for Zoom meeting | Meeting ID: 889 9773 7077

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