VIA has implemented enhanced security procedures for the protection of its patrons, representatives and employees, visitors and the public.



NOTICE & AGENDA OF THE VIA METROPOLITAN TRANSIT BOARD OF TRUSTEES VIDEOCONFERENCE MEETING

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2020 AT 5:00 P.M.

Statement to Public Regarding VIA Virtual Meetings

This meeting of the VIA Metropolitan Transit Board of Trustees (Board) will be conducted as an audio/video conference at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 27, 2020. In keeping with proper social distancing measures in order to slow the spread of COVID-19 and avoid meetings that bring many people into congregate settings, the Board will not meet in person. Instead, this videoconference Board meeting will be conducted pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act as temporarily modified and suspended by the Office of the Governor on March 16, 2020 in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and associated declarations of emergency.

Accessing the Virtual Meeting:

This Board meeting will be held via Zoom. Members of the public may access this meeting via the free-of-charge video conference link or by calling one of the toll-free numbers provided.

Meeting Link: https://zoom.us/j/92015053530

Toll Free Numbers:

iPhone one-tap US:

- 1-346-248-7799 plus ext. code 996 8400 4237#
- 1-669-900-6833 plus ext. code 996 8400 4237#

Telephone (US): Dial (for higher quality, dial a number based on your current location):

- 1-346-248-7799; or
- 1-669-900-6833; or
- 1-253-215-8782; or
- 1-312-626-6799; or
- 1-929-205-6099; or
- 1-301-715-8592

Webinar ID: 920 1505 3530

International numbers available: https://zoom.us/u/adnpt1KjL1

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Public Comments:

Members of the public who wish to address the Board during the Citizens to Be Heard portion of the meeting may do so by registering to speak online or by phone.

- <u>CLICK HERE</u> to register online;
- Call **210-380-0942** to register by phone. When registering by phone, registrants may leave a message stating their name, contact information and the subject(s) on which they wish to address the Board.

Registration to speak opens Monday, October 26, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. and ends at 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, October 27, 2020.

The Board meeting will begin at 5:00 p.m. on October 27, 2020. Each registrant will be invited to speak in the order of registration.

- Please note that registrants <u>will not</u> receive an individual confirmation notice nor a special link to
 access the meeting. Registrants are to use the information provided in this notice to access the
 meeting. (See Accessing the Virtual Meeting.)
- Any registrant who does not timely request to address the Board will not be allowed to speak. Each person must be available to speak when called or will lose the opportunity to address the Board.

A recording of this meeting will be made available to the public.

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Announcements
- 3. Citizens to be Heard

NOTE: Each speaker is allowed a maximum of three minutes to address the VIA Board of Trustees during the Citizens To Be Heard portion of the meeting or prior to the VIA Board's consideration of an item. Speakers are requested to first state their names and any organization(s) they represent.

AGENDA ITEMS FOR REVIEW, CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION:

4. Consent Agenda

Items for Approval:

- A. Approval of Minutes
 - 1. September 22, 2020 Board Meeting
 - 2. August 25, 2020 Board Meeting
- B. Dissolve Air Flotation Unit and Support Equipment Replacement To ratify the award of a contract to replace VIA's Dissolve Air Flotation unit and support equipment located in VIA's bus yard
- C. Issuance of Refunding Bonds (OOF) For information, discussion and possible action regarding the issuance of refunding bonds

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D. Audit Plan – For information, discussion, and possible action relating to the FY2021 Audit Plan

E. Federal Transit Administration (FTA) FY 20 Pilot Program for Transit Oriented Development (TOD) Planning Grant – For information, discussion and possible action regarding the FTA Pilot Program for TOD Planning Grant

Informational Reports Presented at Board Work Session:

- F. August 2020 VIA Financial Report Review of the financial results for the month of August 2020
- G. Board Activity Requests For information and discussion regarding the board activity requests
- H. Keep San Antonio Moving Outreach Update (IGR) For information and discussion related to the outreach for the Keep San Antonio Moving plan
- 5. Fleet/Facilities Renewable Natural Gas (RNG) Partnership Opportunity (OOF) For information, discussion and possible action regarding the RNG Partnership Opportunity
- 6. **COVID-19 and Financial Projection Update** For information and discussion regarding COVID-19 and the financial projection
- 7. **Proposed January 2021 Service Changes** (PPD) For information and discussion regarding the January 2021 service changes
- 8. **Passenger Information Update** (OOF) For information and discussion regarding passenger information
- 9. *Legal Briefing
- 10. Adjourn

NOTE: Whenever open meeting policies provide for a closed session in matters concerning legal advice, real estate, contracts, personnel, or security, the Board may find a closed session to be necessary. For the convenience of the citizens interested in an item preceded by an asterisk (*), notice is given that a closed session is contemplated.