

# **AGENDA**

#### Legislative and Communications Committee Meeting

**Committee Members** 

Lisa A. Bartlett, Chairwoman Gene Hernandez, Vice Chairman Barbara Delgleize Michael Hennessey Mark A. Murphy Harry S. Sidhu Donald P. Wagner Orange County Transportation Authority
Headquarters
Conference Room 07
550 South Main Street
Orange, California
Thursday, July 15, 2021 at 9:00 a.m.

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## Guidance for Public Access to the Board of Directors/Committee Meeting

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# Guidance for Public Access to the Board of Directors/Committee Meeting (Continued)

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#### Call to Order

#### Roll Call

# Pledge of Allegiance

Director Hernandez

#### 1. Public Comments

# **Special Calendar**

# 2. Conference Call with State Legislative Advocate Moira Topp Moira Topp/Lance M. Larson

An update of Legislative items in Sacramento will be provided.

# **Consent Calendar (Item 3)**

All items on the Consent Calendar are to be approved in one motion unless a Committee Member or a member of the public requests separate action or discussion on a specific item.

## 3. Approval of Minutes

Approval of the minutes of the Legislative and Communications Committee meeting of June 17, 2021.





## **Regular Calendar**

### 4. State Legislative Status Report

Alexis Leicht/Lance M. Larson

#### Overview

The Orange County Transportation Authority provides regular updates to the Legislative and Communications Committee on policy issues directly impacting its overall programs, projects, and operations. A summary is provided on legislation the Orange County Transportation Authority has supported that authorizes transit agencies to use onboard camera technology to discourage illegal parking in transit-only lanes and at transit stops. An update is provided on fiscal year 2021-22 state budget and associated budget trailer bills.

#### Recommendation

Receive and file as an information item.

## 5. Federal Legislative Status Report

Dustin J. Sifford/Lance M. Larson

#### Overview

The Orange County Transportation Authority regularly updates the Legislative and Communications Committee on policy issues directly impacting the agency's programs, projects, and operations. Updates are provided on a potential infrastructure package, efforts to reauthorize federal surface transportation programs, and the annual federal funding process.

#### Recommendation

Receive and file as an information item.

#### **Discussion Items**

- 6. Chief Executive Officer's Report
- 7. Committee Members' Reports



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### 8. Closed Session

There are no Closed Session items scheduled.

## 9. Adjournment

The next regularly scheduled meeting of this Committee will be held at **9:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 19, 2021**, at the Orange County Transportation Authority Headquarters, Conference Room 07, 550 South Main Street, Orange, California.