

MEETING NOTICE & AGENDA

DATE: Thursday, March 21, 2019

TIME: 4:00 P.M.

PLACE: Yuba County Board of Supervisors Chambers

Yuba County Government Center

915 8th Street

Marysville, California

Staff Introduction of Ms. Janet Frye as Yuba-Sutter Transit's Our New Administrative Assistant II, Board Clerk & Office Manager

I. Call to Order & Roll Call

Cardoza, Fletcher, Hudson, Leahy (Chair), Samayoa, Shaw, Sullenger and Whiteaker (Vice-Chair)

II. Public Business from the Floor

Members of the public may address the Authority on items of interest that are within the Authority's jurisdiction and are <u>not</u> on the agenda for this meeting. Public comment regarding agenda items will be permitted as each agenda item is considered by the Board.

III. Consent Calendar

All matters listed under Consent Calendar are considered to be routine and can be enacted in one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items prior to the time the Board votes on the motion unless members of the Board, staff or public request specific items to be discussed or removed from the Consent Calendar for specific action.

- **A.** Minutes from the Meeting of February 21, 2019. (Attachment)
- **B.** Disbursement List for February 2019. (Attachment)
- C. Monthly Performance Report for February 2019. (Attachment)

IV. Reports

A. <u>Preliminary Draft Yuba-Sutter Transit Operating and Capital Budget for FY 2020.</u>
Discussion and possible direction for consideration in final draft budget. (Attachment)

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RECOMMENDATION: Direct staff as desired.

B. <u>Authorizing Resolution for Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Grant Documents</u>. (Attachment)

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution No. 1-19 authorizing the Transit Manager to

execute all federal grant and contract documents under Sections

5307, 5309, 5310, 5311, 5317 and 5339

C. <u>Annual Authorization for the Transit Manager to Certify as Counsel for Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Grants.</u> (Attachment)

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution No. 2-19 authorizing the Transit Manager to

certify as counsel for FTA grants.

D. <u>Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) Project Authorizing Resolution</u>. (Attachment)

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution No. 3-19 authorizing execution of the related

Certifications and Assurances including the designation of the Transit Manager as the Authorized Agent; and, authorizing the submission of the LCTOP funding request as proposed or amended.

E. Project & Program Updates.

- 1. Quantum Automatic Rear-Facing Wheelchair Securement System
- 2. Computer Assisted Dispatch/Automatic Vehicle Location (CAD/AVL) Project
- 3. Operations and Maintenance Service Contract Request for Proposals (RFP)

RECOMMENDATION: Information only.

- V. Correspondence/Information
- VI. Other Business
- VII. Adjournment

THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 18, 2019 AT 4:00 P.M. IN THE YUBA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS

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AGENDA ITEM III – A

YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY MEETING MINUTES FEBRUARY 21, 2019

I. Call to Order & Roll Call

Present: Cardoza, Fletcher, Hudson, Leahy (Chair), Samayoa, Shaw, Sullenger and Whiteaker (Vice-Chair)

Absent:

II. Public Hearing

A. Proposed Sacramento Commuter & Midday Express Service Changes.

Martin introduced the item by stating that the comments that have been received since the draft Sacramento service plan was posted are included in the staff report as Exhibit C, but the handout includes those comments that have been received since the agenda for this meeting was posted. Another comment was received by email just before the meeting. That comment from Mr. Joel Phelps requested that the last evening Highway 99 schedule not be adjusted five minutes earlier to help with his connection from light rail. Martin noted that the posted time for the last downtown stop on this schedule (5:35 pm) was actually unchanged from the current last downtown stop time.

Martin summarized the major proposed service changes to include a new morning Highway 70 schedule and a new afternoon Highway 70 schedule to provide additional capacity where buses are now regularly operating at or near capacity. Staff is also recommending that the 6th 99 afternoon schedule be eliminated and that the remaining six afternoon Highway 99 schedules be adjusted by five or 10 minutes to narrow the resulting frequency gap. He continued by noting that other adjustments being recommended include the adjustment of the travel times to and from Marysville/Yuba City as well as within downtown Sacramento.

Director Leahy opened the public hearing at 7:04 pm.

Heather Esemann of Yuba City stated how much she and others enjoy the bus especially the new buses and the free Wi-Fi. She then suggested that the 7th PM 99 schedule should be left as it is instead of moving it five minutes earlier with the elimination of the 6th PM 99 schedule. She also requested the addition of a new morning schedule that would depart Yuba City between 6:55 and 8:00 am. She added that her vehicle had recently been vandalized at the Bogue Road Park & Ride Lot as someone drilled a hole in her gas tank and that of a friend as well. As a result, she would like to see more security at the lot. She also noted that the Bogue lot was also full and needed to be expanded.

Paul Tonn of Yuba City suggested that the 1st AM 99 schedule be moved up 5 minutes earlier to better facilitate connections to light rail.

There were no more comments and Director Leahy closed the public hearing at 7:14 pm.

Director Whiteaker addressed the vandalism issue suggesting that maybe law enforcement could be beefed up in the area. Director Samayoa suggested that technology be used to allow passengers to

track their bus so they would know if it is running late. Martin responded that this feature will soon be available on all fixed route buses.

Martin addressed the comments from Mr. Tonn and others regarding the 1st AM 99 schedule as those changes are included in the final draft service plan. Regarding Ms. Esemann comments regarding the vandalism, Martin stated that this has long been a concern and that the Board invested over \$160,000 to address security issues at the three park and ride lots (Bogue Road, Plumas Lake and McGowan) where this had been a problem in the past. While 3 or 4 cars have had their gas tanks drilled in the last ten days, vandalism did drop dramatically with the installation of video surveillance systems in those lots. He continued to state that staff is doing their best to keep them operational, but the systems are limited and staff is looking for ways to improve the situation all of which have a cost. Director Cardoza suggested that staff investigate the cost of providing security patrols at these facilities and bring it back to the Board for consideration.

Director Cardoza made a motion to approve the changes to the Sacramento service as proposed effective either April 1, 2019 or July 1, 2019 depending on the source of funding. Director Samayoa seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

Director Samayoa left the meeting at 7:29 pm.

III. Public Business from the Floor

None.

IV. Consent Calendar

Director Whiteaker made a motion to approve the consent calendar. Director Cardoza seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

V. Reports

A. Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) Funding Projects.

Martin stated that an Ad-Hoc Committee that was formed for this purpose met in January and are now recommending Board approval of the two submitted projects for LCTOP funding. Martin noted that Dr. Delmy Spenser was present to speak on behalf of Yuba College in support of the proposed Yuba College Sutter Center Campus Shuttle. Dr. Spencer stated that Yuba College whole heartedly supports this project and has committed staff resources to assist in the collection of data from the student body. Martin stated that, as planned, this bus would operate every 30 minutes each school attendance day between the Walton Terminal and the Sutter Campus with a stop near River Valley High School for students who are co-enrolled. Martin added that with state approval this service could begin as early as the Spring 2020 semester noting that the service could be changed or discontinued between semesters if the service is not warranted.

Martin stated that the second proposed project is the funding of the Enhanced Peak Hour Sacramento Commuter Service that was just approved. This includes the new morning and afternoon Highway 70 schedules and the new non-stop service between the Caltrans District 3 office in Marysville and the Gateway Oaks stop in Sacramento. Using LCTOP funds instead of local transportation funds would require the implementation date be delayed until July 1st.

Director Whiteaker made a motion to authorize the submittal of projects for LCTOP funding as proposed. Director Cardoza seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

B. Proposed Fare and Fare Policy Adjustments.

Martin summarized the proposed fare and fare policy adjustments noting that they have been reviewed by an ad hoc committee who recommended that the Board set a public hearing in regards to those proposed adjustments.

Director Whiteaker made a motion to set a public hearing for 4:00 pm on Thursday, April 18, 2019 to receive comments on proposed fare and fare policy changes. Director Cardoza seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

C. FY 2020 Budget Preview.

Martin stated that year-to-date expenditures are on budget, but revenues are down a bit because of reduced fare receipts due to lower than anticipated ridership. Martin added that the outlook for next year looks better primarily due to SB1 not being repealed.

D. Feather River Air Quality Management District (FRAQMD) AB 2766 Grant Agreements.

Martin stated these standard FRAQMD agreements can be acted upon in one motion.

Director Whiteaker made a motion to authorize execution of FRAQMD Grant Agreements #VF18-01, #VF18-02 and #VF18-03 as submitted. Director Cardoza seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

E. Authorization to Fill the Vacant Administrative Assistant I/II Position.

Martin stated that Sandra Anderson, who has been with Yuba-Sutter Transit for nine years, has resigned noting that she has served with distinction and will be sorely missed. Staff is now requesting that the Board adopt the amended Administrative Assistant I/II job description and authorize the Transit Manager to fill the vacant Administrative Assistant I/II position as proposed.

Director Cardoza made a motion to adopt the amended Administrative Assistant I/II job description and authorize the Transit Manager to fill the vacant Administrative Assistant I/II position as proposed. Director Whiteaker seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

F. June Board Meeting Date Change.

Martin requested that the Regular June 20, 2019 meeting be cancelled and that a Special Meeting be set for June 13, 2019.

Director Whiteaker made a motion to cancel the Regular Meeting of June 20, 2019 and set a Special Meeting at 4:00 pm on Thursday, June 13, 2019 as proposed. Director Cardoza seconded the motion and it carried unanimously.

G. Feather River Air Quality Management District (FRAQMD) Grant Close-Out Report for the Expanded Live Oak Service.

Martin stated this is an information item and that this report is required as a FRAQMD funding condition noting that the same funding will be provided for another year through December 2019.

H. Mid-Year Performance Report.

Martin noted that a yellow handout has been provided to correct a spreadsheet error.

I. Project & Program Updates.

1. Quantum Automatic Rear-Facing Wheelchair Securement System Demo – February 28th

A press release handout was provided for the February 28th demonstrations of an automatic rear-facing wheelchair securement system that passengers can control themselves. Martin encouraged the Board to come to one of the workshops which will be held at the Yuba County Government Center Transit Center (11:00 am) and at the FREED office (1:30 pm) that day.

2. Connect Card Implementation (New Bel Air Sales Outlet)

Martin stated that the new Bel Air Sales Outlet has been open since last month.

3. Computer assisted Dispatch/Automatic Vehicle Location (CAD/AVL) Project

Martin stated that this project was discussed earlier.

4. Staff Vacancy – Program Analyst I/II Position

Martin introduced Amy White, the new Program Analyst, who will begin work tomorrow.

V. <u>Correspondence/Information</u>

None

VI. Other Business

Director Leahy suggested that staff contact Transdev regarding the local provision of Jump bikes.

VII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:58 p.m.

THE NEXT MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR <u>THURSDAY</u>, <u>MARCH 21, 2019</u> AT 4:00 P.M. IN THE YUBA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS CHAMBERS

P:COMMON/YST AGENDA ITEMS/YST BOARD MINUTES/YST MINUTES 2018/YST MINUTES FEBRUARY 2019

YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT DISBURSEMENT LIST MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2019

CHECK NO.		AMOUNT	VENDOR	PURPOSE
EFT	\$	3,659.90	PERS HEALTH	HEALTH INSURANCE
EFT	\$	1,307.69	PRINCIPAL MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE	L/D/LTD INSURANCE
EFT	\$	269.54	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE	WATER
EFT	\$	34.48	CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE	FIRE SUPPRESSION
EFT	\$	36.78	PG&E	ELECTRIC #2
EFT	\$	771.81	PG&E	GAS
EFT	\$	120.48	UTILITY MANAGEMENT SERVICES	SEWER
EFT	\$		CALPERS 457 PLAN	EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION
EFT	\$		CARDMEMBER SERVICES	RABOBANK CREDIT CARD
EFT	\$		ELAVON	MERCHANT SERVICE FEE - FEBRUARY
EFT	\$		PRIMEPAY	PAYROLL FEE
EFT	\$		PAYROLL	PAYROLL
16359	\$	•	ADAM HANSEN	VISION REIMBURSEMENTS
16360	\$		ADVANCED DOCUMENT CONCEPTS	COPY MACHINE - DECEMBER
16361	\$		ALL SEASONS TREE & TURF CARE	LANDSCAPING MAINTENANCE & WEED CONTROL
16362	\$	•	ANDERSON'S AUTOMATIC GATE SERVICE	SERVICE CALL ON FUEL GATE
	Ф \$			ADVERTISING/PROMOTION
16363			APPEAL DEMOCRAT	
16363	\$		APPEAL DEMOCRAT	PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
16364	\$		BITIMEC INTERNATIONAL, INC.	WASHBAY PARTS
16365	\$		CETRA LANGUAGE SOLUTIONS	TRANSLATE PASSENGER POLICIES INTO SPANISH
16366	\$	•	CONNECT CARD REGIONAL SERVICE CENTER	
16367	\$	•	FM GRAPHICS, INC.	PRINTING OF TICKET SHEETS
16368	\$		HANCOCK PETROLEUM ENGINEERING	REPLACED/REPAIR FUEL PUMPS & FILTERS
16369	\$		HUNT & SONS, INC.	BUS FUEL
16370	\$		JIM WHITEAKER	AD-HOC COMMITTEE MEETING 1/24
16371	\$		MANNY CARDOZA	AD-HOC COMMITTEE MEETING 1/24
16372	\$		MICHAEL LEAHY	AD-HOC COMMITTEE MEETING 1/24
16373	\$		QUILL CORPORATION	JANITORIAL SUPPLIES
16374	\$	1,100.00	R.C. JANITORIAL SERVICE	JANITORIAL SERVICES
16375	\$	•	ROY E. GLAUTHIER	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
16376	\$	16,771.73	SC FUELS	BUS FUEL
16377	\$	88.00	SIMONE REED	VISION REIMBURSEMENTS
16378	\$	473.30	STANLEY SECURITY SOLUTIONS, INC.	SECURITY SERVICES
16379	\$	138.51	STAPLES CREDIT PLAN	OFFICE SUPPLIES
16380	\$	211.59	SUTTER COUNTY LIBRARY	CONNECT CARD/TICKET SHEET COMMISSION
16381	\$	66.07	TEHAMA TIRE SERVICE	TIRES/TUBES
16382	\$	160.49	THRIFTY ROOTER	UNPLUGGED SHOP TOILET
16383	\$	272.79	TIAA COMMERICIAL FINANACE, INC.	COPIER LEASE
16384	\$	458,552.01	TRANSDEV SERVICES, INC.	CONTRACT SERVICES - DECEMBER
16385			VOID	
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16387	\$	650.00	ACTION FENCING	GATE REPAIRS
16388	\$		ADVANCED DOCUMENT CONCEPTS	POSTAGE LABELS
16388	\$		ADVANCED DOCUMENT CONCEPTS	COPY MACHINE - JANUARY
16389	\$		ALL SEASONS TREE & TURF CARE	WEED CONTROL
16390	\$		ALLIANT NETWORKING SERVICES, INC.	MARCH IT SERVICES
16391	\$		BRADLEY HUDSON	BOARD MEETING 2/22
16392	\$		COMCAST BUSINESS	TELEPHONE - FEBRUARY
16393	\$		COMCAST	INTERNET - FEBRUARY
16394	\$		DAVID SHAW	BOARD MEETING 2/22
16395	\$		DIGIITAL DEPLOYMENT	WEB SERVICES - FEBRUARY
16395	э \$		FLYERS ENERGY	BUS FUEL
16396	э \$	•	HUNT & SONS, INC.	BUS FUEL
16397	Ф \$		JIM WHITEAKER	BOARD MEETING 2/22
16399	\$	100.00	MANNY CARDOZA	AD-HOC MTG 2/6 & BOARD MEETING 2/22

16400	\$ 373.00	MCCUMBER'S GLASS, INC.
16401	\$ 50.00	MICHAEL LEAHY
16402	\$ 1,399.88	PREMIER PRINT & MAIL
16403	\$ 1,059.77	QU.EST
16404	\$ 153.34	QUILL CORPORATION
16405	\$ 100.00	RANDY FLETCHER
16406	\$ 17.30	RECOLOGY YUBA-SUTTER
16407	\$ 100.00	RICKY SAMAYOA
16408	\$ 50.00	RON SULLENGER
16409	\$ 14.31	SANDRA ANDERSON
16410	\$ 50.00	SHELBY'S PEST CONTROL
16411	\$ 156.12	SIMONE REED
16412	\$ 9.44	TEHAMA TIRE SERVICE
16413	\$ 471,588.13	TRANSDEV SERVICES, INC.
16414	\$ 519.60	URBAN SOLAR, INC.
16415	\$ 1,171.20	YP (YELLOW PAGES)
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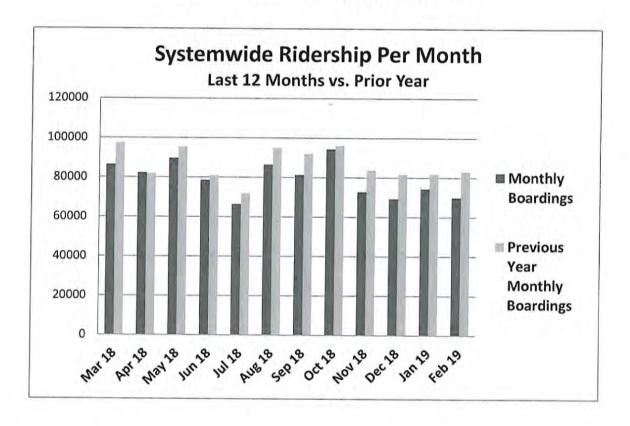
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HAZMAT FEE
AD-HOC MTG 2/6 & BOARD MEETING 2/22
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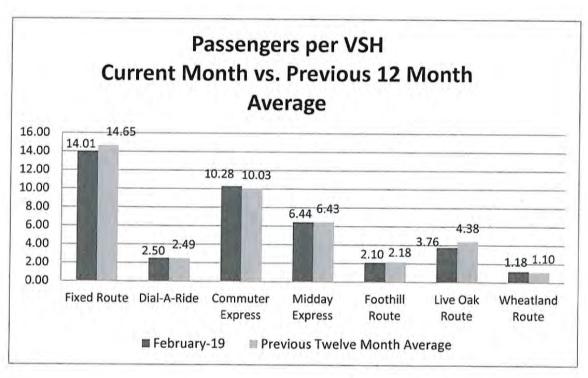
ANNUAL ADVERTISING

AGENDA ITEM III - C FEBRUARY 2019 PERFORMANCE REPORT

		Previous Twelve		Previous
Ridership:	February-19	Month Average	Fiscal YTD	Fiscal YTD
Fixed Route	54,490	63,479	482,864	551,390
Dial-A-Ride	4,445	5,203	39,743	44,170
Commuter Express	9,627	10,154	79,463	77,928
Midday Express	959	1,035	8,179	8,171
Foothill Route	155	178	1,555	1,343
Live Oak Route	274	340	2,919	2,276
Wheatland Route	47	45	439	323
Total Ridership:	69,997	80,433	615,162	685,601
Vehicle Service Hours:				
Fixed Route	3,888.39	4,333.16	34,189.77	34,258.21
Dial-A-Ride	1,777.47	2,090.83	16,236.89	16,723.18
Commuter Express	936.62	1,012.22	8,050.75	7,784.99
Midday Express	149.01	161.04	1,275.77	1,251.71
Foothill Route	73.78	81.49	640.14	641.82
Live Oak Route	72.83	77.57	616.34	589.47
Wheatland Route	39.87	40.79	341.30	303.65
Total VSH's:	6,937.97	7,797.10	61,350.96	61,553.03
Passengers Per Hour:				
Fixed Route	14.01	14.65	14.12	16.10
Dial-A-Ride	2.50	2.49	2.45	2.64
Commuter Express	10.28	10.03	9.87	10.01
Midday Express	6.44	6.43	6.41	6.53
Foothill Route	2.10	2.18	2.43	2.09
Live Oak Route	3.76	4.38	4.74	3.86
Wheatland Route	1.18	1.10	1.29	1.06
Total Passengers Per VSH:	10.09	10.32	10.03	11.14

FEBRUARY 2019 PERFORMANCE REPORT





AGENDA ITEM IV – A STAFF REPORT

PRELIMINARY DRAFT YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT OPERATING AND CAPITAL BUDGET FOR FY 2020

Background

Attached for Board review and discussion is the preliminary draft Yuba-Sutter Transit operating and capital budget for FY 2020. The Yuba Sutter Transit Authority Joint Powers Agreement (JPA) stipulates that a proposed budget be submitted to the Board by the end of March prior to the start of each fiscal year and that a final budget be adopted by the end of May. This adoption schedule is designed to provide early notice to the member jurisdictions of the annual apportionment of Local Transportation Fund (LTF) contributions for inclusion in their own budget process. This submittal meets the JPA requirement, abut it is still very much a work in progress. As planned, a revised draft budget with detailed descriptions of each revenue and expense account will be presented at the April meeting and a final draft budget is scheduled for adoption consideration at the regular monthly meeting on May 16th.

Current Year Budget Estimates

Projected year-end operating expenses for FY 2019 are now expected to be almost identical (up just 0.28 percent or \$20,536) compared to the budgeted amount of \$7,423,800. Representing nearly 10 percent of the operating budget, fuel has been the most volatile line item over the years, but projected year-end expenditures are now the same as the amount budgeted though this situation can change quickly if fuel prices suddenly spike upward. The most significant revenue figures are the projected drop in passenger fare receipts due to decreased ridership. As a result, a contribution of approximately \$32,000 from Yuba-Sutter Transit's deferred Local Transportation Fund (LTF) revenue is now projected to be needed to balance the year-end budget.

Preliminary FY 2020 Budget Projections

The preliminary draft FY 2020 budget does represent a departure from the essentially status quo nature of past budgets though, as always, it should still be viewed at this early date as a starting point for further analysis and discussion. It does include the approved State Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) Sacramento service changes (effective July 1st) and the Yuba College Sutter Campus student shuttle (effective January 2020) and an allowance for the proposed July 1st fare changes that will be the subject of an April 18th public hearing. It also includes assumptions regarding expected increased operating costs from the upcoming re-bid of the system service contract that would become effective October 1, 2019 and eliminating Yuba-Sutter Transit's unfunded accrued liability balance with CalPERS. As a result, the preliminary draft operating budget of \$7,925,300 for FY 2020 represents an increase of 6.8 percent (\$501,500) over the adopted FY 2019 budget.

As always, the largest piece of the operating budget is the service contract with Transdev Services, Inc. The five year term of the current service contract will expire on September 30, 2019. Staff is currently working with a consultant on a new Request for Proposal (RFP) process for the next contract which is expected to be brought to the Board for review and approval consideration at the April meeting. While the intent of this process will be the development of a "state-of-the-art" contract to create a sustainable relationship between Yuba-Sutter Transit and the future contractor, it does create some amount of uncertainty regarding the cost of those services.

For some perspective, all of the expenses related to the transit service contract combine to represent 72 percent of the proposed FY 2020 operating budget. Diesel fuel, which represents the next largest expense factor at 9 percent of the budget, is expected to be fairly stable in FY 2020 and the recent and pending delivery of new commuter, demand response and fixed route buses in 2018 and 2019 should result in some stability in tire and component expenses.

The most significant revenue assumptions in the preliminary draft operating budget include the impact of the proposed July 2019 fare increase along with some expectation of ridership stabilization following the final implementation of the Connect Card electronic fare payment program in July 2018. Based on these and other preliminary draft assumptions and a substantial increase in State Transit Assistance (STA) revenue, the amount of the Local Transportation Fund (LTF) contributions from the member jurisdictions is expected to remain stable in FY 2020 compared to the amount budgeted for FY 2019.

The preliminary draft capital budget of nearly \$5.6 million primarily includes the local fixed route bus replacement project that is expected to be completed by January 2020. A number of other major capital projects are expected to be completed by the end of FY 2019 including the replacement of ten Dial-A-Ride buses; the installation of an emergency back-up generator funded by the State Transit Safety and Security Grant program; and, bus stop enhancements and a computer assisted dispatch / automatic vehicle location (CAD/AVL) passenger information system funded by the State Low Carbon Transit Operations Program.

Other Considerations

In addition to the above, the preliminary draft FY 2019 budget includes several other significant expense and revenue assumptions for consideration:

- Continuation of the consulting agreement with the Regional Waste Management Authority in FY 2020.
- Continued funding from the Feather River Air Quality Management District (FRAQMD) for the deeply discounted monthly youth, senior and disabled discount pass program at a level similar to what is currently being provided. This

program will otherwise expire on March 31, 2020. Higher passenger out of pocket costs would likely have a significant impact on both ridership and fare revenue.

Recommendation

This submittal initiates the formal Yuba-Sutter Transit budget process each year and Board questions and input are invited as both the current and future budget year expense and revenue assumptions will continually be refined over the next two months. For this reason, staff is recommending that any significant discussion on this issue be delayed until the next regular meeting on April 18th at which time a revised draft budget with detailed descriptions of each revenue and expense account is expected to be provided for more discussion and further direction. If more detailed discussion is desired, a special meeting could be scheduled for early May in advance of the final budget presentation at the regular monthly meeting on May 16th.

Staff will be prepared at the meeting to discuss the above issues as well as the preliminary draft budget in as much detail as desired.

RECOMMENDATION: Direct staff as desired.

Attachment: Preliminary Draft Operating and Capital Budget for FY 2020

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YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY PRELIMINARY DRAFT FY 2019/2020 OPERATING BUDGET

PREPARED MARCH 14, 2019

FY 2019/2020	Preliminary Draft	200,000 730,000 70,500 90,000 53,000 5,500	5,400,000 15,000 \$6,864,000		400,000	160,000 325,000	2,500	12,000	25,000	15,000	30,000	2,000	2,000	4,800	10,000	000'9	\$1,061,300	\$7,925,300	
FY 2018/2019	Projected	220,000 717,000 60,000 90,000 5,000 5,500 294,000	5,140,000 14,000 \$6,590,500		390,000	170,000 28,464	5,500	8,000	90,000	15,000	15,000	5,000	3,000	4,800	12,000	000'9	\$812,764	\$7,403,264	
FY 2018/2019	Budget	220,000 717,000 92,500 90,000 53,000 5,500 292,000	5,093,000 15,000 \$6,578,000		404,000	189,500	2,500	12,000	103,000	15,000	33,000	5,000	5,000	4,800	10,000	10,000	\$845,800	\$7,423,800	
FY 2017/2018 F		194,959 689,361 94,687 140,056 50,091 5,182 282,051	5,013,837 13,163 \$6,483,387		389,937	183,256 22,353	2,318	5,460	26,384 77,275	8,653	14,729	4,191	4,791	3,700	4,703	4,008	\$781,917	\$7,265,304	
FY 2017/2018	Budget	190,000 699,000 70,000 60,000 5,000 5,500 284,500	4,960,000 12,000 \$6,331,000		383,700	186,300	2,500	12,000	40,000 114,000	15,000	15,000	000'9	7,000	4,800	20,000	11,000	\$850,300	\$7,181,300	
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*Carryover revenues available and required for cash flow, contingencies and local capital match

Total Deferred STA Revenue

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PRELIMINARY DRAFT CAPITAL BUDGET YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY FY 2019/2020

PREPARED MARCH 14, 2019

EXPENDITURES		FY 2017/2018 BUDGET		FY 2017/2018 AUDITED	ADOI	FY 2018/2019 ADOPTED BUDGET	- 4	FY 2018/2019 PROJECTED	DR	FY 2019/2020 DRAFT BUDGET
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Low Carbon Transit Operation Program	69	180,400	64	55,250	4	124,917	69	125,350	69	1016/01
Other Local	6/3		69	30,000	69		69		69	
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- Proposition 1B Transit Safety and Security Grants. Other than the FY 2017 parking lot lighting project, the last major facility project was the remodel and expansion of the Facility security projects completed in FY 2019 are the emergency generator system (\$145,526) and access control projects (\$3,269). These projects are funded by State facility that was completed in FY 2012.
- The FY 2019 vehicle projects include the replacement of ten 2010 model Starcraft demand response/rural route buses (\$950,000: \$701,424 Federal / \$248,576 state), and \$53,966 for the completion of the replacement of seven 2006/2007 model Blue Bird commuter buses (total cost \$4,016,573, of which \$3,962,607 was recognized in FY 2018: \$4,016,573; \$626,165 Federal / \$3,390,408 state & local). The last major vehicle projects were the purchases of six demand response/rural route buses and eleven heavy duty local fixed route The FY 2020 vehicle project includes the replacement of eleven 2008 model NABI/Opus fixed route buses (\$5,500,000: \$4,450,000 Federal / \$489,107 state / \$560,893 local). buses that were both completed in FY 2014.
- completion of bus stop enhancements (\$125,350 state); and the State Proposition 1B Transit Safety and Security Grant funded technology project for CAD/AVL (\$228,456 state / Planned miscellaneous capital expenditures for FY 2020 include an allowance for facility and office equipment & furnishings (\$100,000 local). FY 2019 projects include the \$3,271 local).

AGENDA ITEM IV – B STAFF REPORT

AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION FOR FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA) GRANT DOCUMENTS

As a recipient of Federal financial assistance from the FTA, Yuba-Sutter Transit must maintain a current resolution designating the person or position within the organization authorized to execute and file federal grant and contract related documents. The attached resolution references all relevant federal funding sources. The Transit Manager position, or designee, is again being designated to represent Yuba-Sutter Transit for this purpose and the proposed resolution follows the currently prescribed language for such an authorization.

Staff will be prepared to discuss this routine resolution in detail at the meeting.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution No. 1-19 authorizing the Transit Manager, or

designee, to execute all federal grant and contract documents under

Sections 5307, 5309, 5310, 5311, 5317 and 5339.

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YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION NO. 1-19

Resolution authorizing the filing of applications with the Federal Transit Administration, an operating administration of the United States Department of Transportation, for Federal transportation assistance authorized by 49 U.S.C. chapter 53, title 23 United States Code, or other Federal statutes administered by the Federal Transit Administration.

- WHEREAS, the Federal Transportation Administration has been delegated authority to award Federal financial assistance for a transportation project;
- WHEREAS, the grant or cooperative agreement for Federal financial assistance will impose certain obligations upon the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority, and may require the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority to provide the local share of the project cost;
- WHEREAS, the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority has or will provide all annual certifications and assurances to the Federal Transit Administration required for the project;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS;

- 1. That the Transit Manager, or designee, is authorized to execute and file an application for Federal assistance on behalf of the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority with the Federal Transit Administration for Federal Assistance authorized by 49 U.S.C. chapter 53, Title 23, United States Code, or other Federal statutes authorizing a project administered by the Federal Transit Administration. The Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority has received authority from the State of California, Department of Transportation, the Designated Recipient, to apply for Urbanized and Non-Urbanized Area Formula and Non-Formula Program assistance pursuant to Sections 5307, 5309, 5310, 5311, 5317 and 5339.
- 2. That the Transit Manager, or designee, is authorized to execute and file with its applications the annual certifications and assurances and other documents the Federal Transportation Administration requires before awarding a Federal assistance grant or cooperative agreement.

<i>3</i> .	That the Transit Manager, or designee is authorized to execute grant and
	cooperative agreements with the Federal Transit Administration on behalf of
	the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY AND REGULARLY INTRODUCED, PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY AT THE REGULAR MEETING THEREOF HELD ON MARCH 21, 2019.

Mike Leahy	
Chairman of the Board of Directors	

Attest:

Janet Frye Secretary to the Board of Directors

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AGENDA ITEM IV – C STAFF REPORT

ANNUAL AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TRANSIT MANAGER TO CERTIFY AS COUNSEL FOR FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA) GRANTS

Since January 1, 1999, Federal Transit Administration (FTA) grants have been submitted and managed through an electronic award and management system. Since 1999, the Yuba-Sutter Transit Board of Directors has annually adopted resolutions authorizing the Transit Manager to certify as both the designated official and on behalf of counsel on electronic grant applications.

It is common practice for Transit Managers who certify as designated officials on grant applications to also certify on behalf of counsel on the current status of the agency's certifications and assurances. For small agencies like Yuba-Sutter Transit, legal counsel is typically off-site and it is inconvenient and costly for them to certify the application in person. In addition, the designated official would typically inform the counsel of the agency's compliance status prior to the certification anyway.

Staff will be prepared to discuss this issue in more detail at the meeting.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution No. 2-19 authorizing the Transit Manager to certify as counsel for FTA grants.

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YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY

RESOLUTION NO. 2-19

TRANSIT MANAGER AUTHORIZATION TO CERTIFY AS COUNSEL FOR FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION (FTA) GRANTS

WHEREAS,	The Federal Transit Administration has developed an electronic award and management system to enhance the ability to process and manage the grants program; and,
WHEREAS,	Transit Managers who currently certify as designated officials on grant applications are also permitted to certify on behalf of counsel on the current status of the agency's certifications and assurances to streamline the electronic grant process; and
WHEREAS,	The Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority Board of Directors did authorize the Transit Manager on March 21, 2019 to certify as counsel for this purpose:
hereby contin	EFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority Board of Directors does tue to authorize the Transit Manager to certify as counsel for Federal Transit Administration by the following vote:
Ayes:	
Noes:	
	GOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY AND REGULARLY INTRODUCED, PASSED AND BY THE YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY AT A MEETING HELD ON MARCH 21,
	Mike Leahy Chairman of the Board of Directors
ATTEST:	
Janet Frye	
Secretary to 1	the Board

AGENDA ITEM IV – D STAFF REPORT

LOW CARBON TRANSIT OPERATIONS PROGRAM (LCTOP) PROJECT AUTHORIZING RESOLUTIONS

Background

LCTOP was created to provide operating and capital assistance for transit agencies to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and improve mobility with a priority on serving State identified disadvantaged and low-income communities (DAC's). Agencies such as Yuba-Sutter Transit whose service area includes one or more disadvantaged communities must expend at least 50 percent of the money received on projects that will benefit those communities. Assembly Bill 1550 (2016) additionally requires that 10 percent of the funds must benefit low income households that are within disadvantaged/low-income communities or within ½ mile of a disadvantaged or low income community. Senate Bill 1119 (2018) increased project flexibility by allowing transit agencies to waive the requirement of expending 50 percent of the total allocation within and benefiting a DAC for the following:

- a) New or expanded transit service that connects with transit service serving disadvantaged communities, as identified in Section 39711 of, or in low-income communities, as defined in paragraph (2) of subdivision (d) of Section 39713 of, the Health and Safety Code.
- b) Transit fare subsidies and network and fare integration technology improvements, including, but not limited to, discounted or free student transit passes.
- c) The purchase of zero-emission transit buses and supporting infrastructure.

This is the fifth cycle of the LCTOP program. The Yuba-Sutter Transit allocation and projects for each cycle are shown below.

FY 2015	\$60,305 – North Beale Transit Center Improvements (Complete)
FY 2016	\$180,417 – Bus Stop Enhancement Project (In Progress)
FY 2017	\$82,455 – Connect Card Implementation Expenses (In Progress)
FY 2018	\$226,068 – Zero Emission Bus Purchase (To be reallocated to the Yuba College Sutter Campus Shuttle)
FY 2019	\$336,962 –Enhanced Peak Hour Sacramento Commuter Service

At the February 21st meeting, the Board authorized the submission of two projects for LCTOP funding. The first project was to reallocation the FY 2018 cycle of LCTOP funding from the purchase of zero emission buses for the proposed operation of student shuttle service for the Yuba College Sutter Campus. The second authorized project was to allocate the FY 2019 cycle of LCTOP funding for enhanced peak hour Sacramento Commuter service.

Current Action

Staff is now recommending Board adoption of the attached resolution for the two referenced projects for submission with the current LCTOP allocation request to be submitted to Caltrans by March 28th. Caltrans in coordination with the California Air Resources Board (ARB) will determine if proposals are eligible for funding before authorizing the release of funds to the various agencies for eligible expenditures starting July 1st.

Since the February meeting, to set a reasonable semester break in the term for the Yuba College shuttle service based on the combined value of \$563,030 in LCTOP funding from the two previous cycles and, staff has refined the two Board authorized projects as follows:

- 1. Yuba College Sutter Center Campus Shuttle: The 2015 Yuba-Sutter Transit Short Range Transit Plan (SRTP) examined a number of options for providing service to Yuba College's Sutter Center Campus in Yuba City. The maximum recommended service option, which was then envisioned to be funded in part through a small student fee each semester, includes service for a total of 36 weeks during the Spring and Fall Semesters from 7:15 am to 6:30 pm Monday-Thursday and from 7:15 am at 3:30 p.m. on Fridays. Service during the six week summer session would only operate Monday-Thursday as no summer classes are held on Fridays. Assuming no fare is charged, the annual cost of this service is estimated at \$170,607. Assuming June 2019 funding authorization, the shuttle would not start until January 2020 to allow enough time to finalize the schedule and routing; coordinate with Yuba College; and, advertise the service to students. As proposed, the service would operate through the summer semester of 2021 at a total projected cost of \$266,399. Ridership data would be closely monitored to determine if changes or discontinuation of the service is warranted between semesters.
- 2. Enhanced Peak Hour Sacramento Commuter Service: This project includes an additional morning and afternoon schedule in the Highway 70 corridor and more direct express service between the Caltrans District 3 office in Marysville and the Gateway Oaks stop in Sacramento. This service is designed to alleviate crowding on existing Highway 70 schedules and expand the availability of service in the Highway 70 corridor to attract additional ridership. In addition, more direct express service to and from the Caltrans District 3 headquarters is expected to attract more ridership among Caltrans employees who now commute to Marysville from Sacramento. The total cost to operate the enhanced service from July 1, 2019 through September 30, 2021 is projected at \$296,631.

Staff will be prepared to discuss the proposed projects in detail at the meeting.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt Resolution No. 3-19 authorizing execution of the related Certifications and Assurances including the designation of the Transit Manager as the Authorized Agent; and authorizing the submission of the LCTOP funding request as proposed or amended.

YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY RESOLUTION NO. 3-19

AUTHORIZATION FOR THE EXECUTION OF THE CERTIFICATIONS AND ASSURANCES AND AUTHORIZED AGENT FORMS FOR THE LOW CARBON TRANSIT OPERATIONS PROGRAM (LCTOP) FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECTS:

YUBA COLLEGE SUTTER CAMPUS SHUTTLE & ENHANCED PEAK HOUR SACRAMENTO COMMUTER SERVICE

WHEREAS, the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority is an eligible project sponsor and may receive state funding from the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) for transit projects; and

WHEREAS, the statutes related to state-funded transit projects require a local or regional implementing agency to abide by various regulations; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 862 (2014) named the Department of Transportation (Department) as the administrative agency for the LCTOP; and

WHEREAS, the Department has developed guidelines for the purpose of administering and distributing LCTOP funds to eligible project sponsors (local agencies); and

WHEREAS, the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority wishes to delegate authorization to execute the Certifications and Assurances, Authorized Agent form and any amendments thereto to Keith Martin, Transit Manager;

WHEREAS, the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority wishes to implement the LCTOP projects listed above that will provide at least 50% of the funding to benefit disadvantaged communities and comply with Assembly Bill 1550 which requires 5% of the funds be allocated to a project that benefit low-income communities and 5% of the funds are allocated to a project that benefit these living within ½ mile of a low-income or disadvantaged community within Yuba and Sutter Counties;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority that the fund recipient agrees to comply with all conditions and requirements set forth in the Certification and Assurances and the Authorized Agent documents and applicable statutes, regulations and guidelines for all LCTOP funded transit projects.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Keith Martin, Transit Manager is authorized to execute all required documents of the LCTOP program and any Amendments thereto with the California Department of Transportation.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Yuba-Sutter Transit Authority that it hereby authorizes the submittal of the following project nominations and allocation requests to the Department for FY 2017-18 and FY 2018-19 LCTOP funds:

PROJECT NAME: YUBA COLLEGE SUTTER CAMPUS SHUTTLE

Amount of LCTOP funds requested: \$266,399 (Regional - \$250,661 / Local - \$15,738)

Project description: Provide operational funding for a new shuttle service from key transit center(s) to

the Yuba College Sutter Campus.

Contributing Sponsors: Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG)

DAC: The new shuttle service will connect to routes that serve disadvantaged communities in Yuba

City, Marysville, Linda and Olivehurst.

PROJECT NAME: ENHANCED PEAK HOUR SACRAMENTO COMMUTER SERVICE

Amount of LCTOP funds requested: \$296,631 (Regional - \$279,108 / Local - \$17,523)

Project description: Provide operational funding new morning and afternoon SR 70 service and

express Sacramento service for Caltrans District 3 employees.

Contributing Sponsors: Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG)

DAC: The Enhanced Peak Hour Commuter Service departs/returns from a disadvantaged community within the City of Marysville. It also serves downtown Sacramento which is also classified as a disadvantaged community.

Ayes:

Nos:

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY AND REGULARLY INTRODUCED, PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT AUTHORITY AT A REGULAR MEETING HELD ON MARCH 21, 2019.

Chair, Board of Directors

ATTEST:

Janet Frye, Secretary to the Board