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Information Item

MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 23, 2019

TO: El Dorado County Transit Authority
Transit Advisory Committee

FROM: Brian James, Planning and Marketing Manager

SUBJECT: Draft Western El Dorado County Short- and Long-Range Transit Plan

REQUESTED ACTION:
BY MOTION,

No action. Information item.

BACKGROUND

The El Dorado County Transportation Commission (EDCTC) received a Federal Transit Administration Section 5304 Strategic Partnerships Transit Planning Grant to develop the Western El Dorado County Short- and Long-Range Transit Plan (SLRTP). The EDCTC awarded LSC Transportation Consultants, Inc. (LSC) a contract in September 2018 to prepare the SLRTP.

The development of a SLRTP lays the groundwork necessary to identify and plan for the implementation of service improvements and capital projects. The short-range plan covers five (5) years, while the long-range plan covers twenty (20) years. The SLRTP reports on anticipated changes in demographics, evaluates existing services, reviews and recommends goals and objectives, responds to gaps in service and analyzes potential cost-effective service revisions.

LSC had a project kick-off with EDCTC and the El Dorado County Transit Authority (El Dorado Transit) on November 2, 2018. They then conducted the following public activities:

January 2019 -	On-board surveys
February 20, 2019 -	Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting at the El Dorado Hills CSD
February 28, 2019 -	Public meetings at the Placerville Library and the El Dorado Hills Library
March 2019 -	Online surveys
August 27, 2019 -	Stakeholder Advisory Committee meeting at El Dorado Hills Fire Station
August 28, 2019 -	Public meetings at the Placerville Library

DISCUSSION

An administrative draft of the SLRTP will be available at the Transit Advisory Committee meeting for members to review recommendations and provide comments. The full draft SLRTP will be presented at the El Dorado Transit Board meeting on November, 7, 2019.