AGENDA ITEM 1C Consent Item

MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 3, 2022

TO: El Dorado County Transit Authority

FROM: Brian James, Planning and Marketing Manager

SUBJECT: January 2022 Ridership Report

REQUESTED ACTION:

BY MOTION,

Receive and file the January 2022 Ridership Report

BACKGROUND

The El Dorado County Transit Authority (El Dorado Transit) staff typically reports monthly and fiscal year-to-date ridership at each Board meeting.

DISCUSSION

El Dorado Transit continues to experience ridership deficits compared to pre-pandemic levels, but ridership has leveled out or started to increase on some services. Systemwide passenger trips in January were up 39.0% compared to the previous year.

The County's Adult Day Services program remains closed and the Mother Lode Rehabilitation Enterprises (M.O.R.E.) program is continuing to significantly limit in-person attendance. Although still down from pre-pandemic, day-to-day ridership on the Dial-A-Ride service was up 30.1% in January compared to the previous year. ADA Paratransit demand jumped 68.3% in January.

Local Fixed Route ridership was up 18.6% in January, and Sacramento Commuter service ridership increased by 199.8% in January. The new Sacramento/Tahoe Connector route carried 710 passengers.

The January 2022 ridership report summary is attached, comparing the current fiscal year to the previous fiscal year.

January 2022 Ridership Report

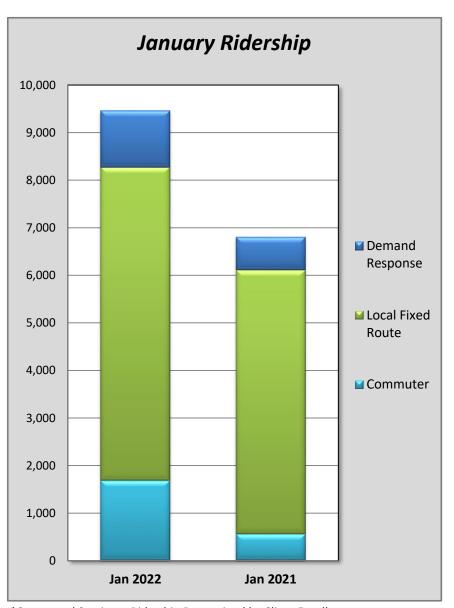


Demand Response	Jan 2022	Jan 2021	% Change
Dial-a-Ride	549	422	30.1%
Sac-Med	36	22	63.6%
ADA Paratransit	207	123	68.3%
M.O.R.E.*	397	124	220.2%
Senior Day Care*	0	0	0.0%
Total Demand Response	1,189	691	72.1%

Local Fixed Route	Jan 2022	Jan 2021	% Change
20 - Placerville	974	698	39.5%
25 - Saturday Express	243	318	-23.6%
30 - Diamond Springs	698	525	33.0%
35 - Diamond Springs Saturday	51	83	-38.6%
40 - Cameron Park	829	743	11.6%
50x - 50 Express	2,513	2,241	12.1%
60 - Pollock Pines	1,277	945	35.1%
Total Local Fixed Route	6,585	5,553	18.6%

Commuter	Jan 2022	Jan 2021	% Change
Sacramento Commuter	947	553	71.2%
Reverse Commuter	28	9	211.1%
Sacramento/Tahoe Connector	710	0	100.0%
Total Commuter	1,685	562	199.8%

	Jan 2022	Jan 2021	% Change
Systemwide	9,459	6,806	39.0%
Passengers per Revenue Hour	3.6	3.0	18.3%



*Contracted Services - Ridership Determined by Client Enrollment

Fiscal Year-to-Date Ridership Report July 2021 - December 2021

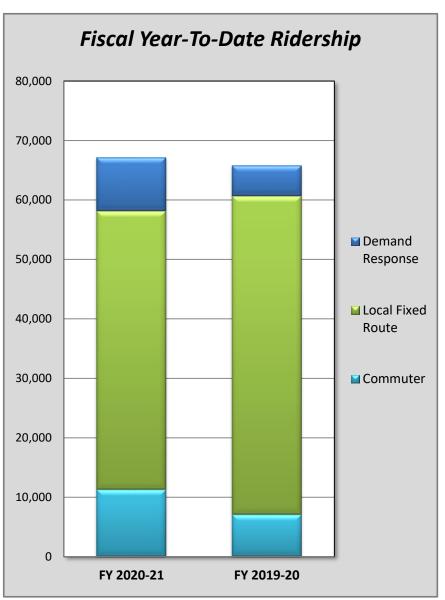


Demand Response	FY 2020-21	FY 2019-20	% Change
Dial-a-Ride	3,964	3,376	17.4%
Sac-Med	220	126	74.6%
ADA Paratransit	1,555	954	63.0%
M.O.R.E.*	3,294	696	373.3%
Senior Day Care*	0	0	0.0%
Total Demand Response	9,033	5,152	75.3%

Local Fixed Route	FY 2020-21	FY 2019-20	% Change
20 - Placerville	6,893	7,573	-9.0%
25 - Saturday Express	1,875	2,052	-8.6%
30 - Diamond Springs	5,158	5,776	-10.7%
35 - Diamond Springs Saturday	547	599	-8.7%
40 - Cameron Park	5,760	6,250	-7.8%
50x - 50 Express	19,126	21,234	-9.9%
60 - Pollock Pines	7,493	10,096	-25.8%
Total Local Fixed Route	46,852	53,580	-12.6%

Commuter	FY 2020-21	FY 2019-20	% Change
Sacramento Commuter	7,797	6,997	11.4%
Reverse Commuter	96	51	88.2%
Sacramento/Tahoe Connector	3,371	0	100.0%
Total Commuter	11,264	7,048	59.8%

	FY 2020-21	FY 2019-20	% Change
Systemwide	67,149	65,780	2.1%
Passengers per Revenue Hour	3.4	3.5	-4.8%



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