



Los Angeles – San Diego – San Luis Obispo Rail Corridor Agency
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

OCTOBER 5, 2024, Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) MEETING MINUTES

The Los Angeles – San Diego – San Luis Obispo (LOSSAN) Rail Corridor Agency (Agency) TAC met on October 5, 2024, at the Orange County Transportation Authority offices, Conference Room 8.

Committee members in attendance:

Brent Boy, MTS
Anna Devers, SANDAG
Alexis Murillo Felix, OCTA
Aubrey Smith, VCTC
Aaron Bonfilio, SBCAG
Whitney Rush, SBCAG
Lance Okuno, SLOCOG

Welcome and Introductions

Mr. James Campbell, LOSSAN Operations Officer, opened the October 5, 2024, LOSSAN Agency TAC meeting and welcomed the TAC members to the Orange County Transportation Authority offices, Conference Room 8.

1. Public Comments

CONSENT CALENDAR

- 2. Approval of Minutes**
- 3. Fiscal Year 2023-24 Fourth Quarter Los Angeles – San Diego – San Luis Obispo Rail Corridor Trends**
- 4. Annual Business Plan and Budget Assumptions for Fiscal Years 2025-26 and 2026-27**

As quorum was not met, no action could be taken.

DISCUSSION CALENDAR

5. *Fiscal Year 2023-24 Fourth Quarter Amtrak Pacific Surfliner On-Time Performance Analysis*

Mr. Kristopher Ryan (LOSSAN) provided a presentation of the Pacific Surfliner On-Time performance analysis for the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2023-24, which included the monthly average customer on-time performance, delays, and improvements.

A question ensued on the ridership and delays. There was no further discussion.

6. *Upcoming Draft Board Agenda Items*

Mr. Campbell (LOSSAN) provided a brief overview of the agenda items for the October 21, 2024, LOSSAN Agency Board of Directors' meeting.

A basic question ensued in regard to one of the items listed. There was no further discussion.

7. *Los Angeles – San Diego – San Luis Obispo Rail Corridor Agency Update*

An update was given on the current ridership with the highest annual ridership since 2020.

LOSSAN submitted to FRA their application for the restoration and enhancement grant, which could provide funding over the next 6 years.

Staff will be providing an update to the Board in November detailing the legislation.

There was no further discussion.

8. *Technical Advisory Committee Members' Report*

Metrolink mentioned their October 21st services changes, with 32 trains additional trains.

Amtrak mentioned a successful shunt testing train on the Union Pacific, which they hope will improve on OTP.

Caltrans mentioned the state rail plan to be finalized soon. They also mentioned the FRA Corridor ID program and the funding for that program can be made available from federal grants.

OCTA mentioned the October 21st Metrolink schedule.

SANDAG mentioned the California Passenger Rail Summit next week.

MTS mentioned the trolley line being part of one of the tours being offered for the Summit.

9. Adjournment

The next regularly scheduled meeting of this Committee is scheduled to be held on:

Thursday, November 7, 2024

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Henry Huntington Room, Third Floor
One Gateway Plaza,
Los Angeles, CA 90012*