FY2018 Goals, Strategies and Projects

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Goal: Service Development

Strategies (those highlighted in bold indicate highest Board priority)

- 1. Provide routes and services to meet current and future demand for timely/reliable transit service
- 2. Increase accessibility to community, services, senior centers, medical facilities and jobs
- 3. Optimize existing routes/services to increase productivity and response to MTC projects and studies
- 4. Improve connectivity with regional transit systems and participate in BART to Livermore project
- 5. Explore innovative fare policies and pricing options
- 6. Provide routes and services to promote mode shift from personal car to public transit

Projects	Action Required	Staff	Board Committee	Target Date	Status	Task Done
Long Range Transit Plan (Agency's 30 Year Plan)	 Receive draft Long Range Plan from Nelson/Nygaard Present final draft to Board Approval 	DP	Projects/ Services	Apr 2018 May 2018 Jun 2018	→ Staff studying park and ride report, shared mobility and shared autonomous vehicle strategy. <u>Strategic Planning</u> <u>Workshop for Board being planned for later</u> <u>2018 after new Director of Planning is hired.</u>	
Comprehensive Paratransit Assessment	 Award of Contract Public Outreach Approval of Recommendations 	DP	Projects/ Services	Nov 2016 Jun 2017 Jun 2018	→ Nelson/Nygaard awarded contract. Kick- off meeting held in February. Public meetings held in June. <u>LAVTA Board</u> presentation made in September. Currently developing alternatives. Second round of workshops completed in November. <u>Draft</u> <u>recommendations being created. Board</u> <u>presentation in April.</u>	x x
Fare Study	 Draft Fare Study Public Hearing (proposed changes on fixed route) Board Approval 	DP	Projects/ Services	May 2017 May 2018 Jun	\rightarrow Draft Fare Study for fixed route complete. F&A reviewed in May. Decision made to hold study results a few months to see ridership trends on fixed route and paratransit study fare recommendations. Board to consider recommendations in April.	×

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Three Queue Jumps On Dublin Blvd	 Award contract for queue jump Finish project 	DP	Projects/ Services	Jul 2016 Oct 2017	→ Board awarded contract queue jump project in March. Some delays in project. Currently 75% completed. Queue jumps are operational.	x x
Transit Signal Priority Project in Rapid 10R Corridor	Engineering WorkFinish Project	DP	Projects/ Services	Oct 2017 Dec 2018	→ Grant by TVTAC approved. Board approved MOU with Pleasanton. Board approved engineering contract with Kimley Horn. <u>Project currently in design phase.</u>	
Go Dublin Discount Program	 Get clearance from FTA Implement Results of Program 	DP	Projects/ Services	Nov 2016 Dec 2016 <u>May</u> 2018	→ Program providing approximately 1,500 rides/month. Mailing to residents occurring in September. Project study expanded to include additional data analysis. <u>Project</u> <u>behind schedule due to data sharing delays.</u> <u>Fehr & Peers to present final findings in</u> <u>May.</u>	x x

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O&M Contract Request for Proposals	Develop RFPAward Contract	DP	Project/ Services	Oct 2017 Mar 2018	→ Three proposals received. Interviews conducted on 25 th . Best and final proposals being submitted. Board to award in March.	x
Dublin Service Plan	 RFP advertised Contractor Award Recommendations 	DP	Projects/ Services	Nov 2017 Jan 2018 June 2018	→ Several proposals received. Nelson/Nygaard awarded contract. Data collection being performed. Public workshops being scheduled in March.	

Goal: Marketing and Public Awareness

Strategies (those highlighted in bold indicate highest Board priority)

- 1. Continue to build the Wheels brand image, identity and value for customers
- 2. Improve the public image and awareness of Wheels

3. Increase two-way communication between Wheels and its customers

4. Increase ridership, particularly on the Rapid, to fully attain benefits achieved through optimum utilization of our transit system

5. Promote Wheels to New Businesses and residents

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Website Upgrades	 Place easy to access Commuter Info on homepage 	MKT MGR	Projects/ Services	Nov 2017	→ Better way to BART info landing page and button to be installed on website in November. Working on informative maps and info for this section.	х

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LAVTA Rebranding Project	 Selection by LAVTA Board of name/rebranding Public event to unveil rebranding. 	MKT MGR	Projects/ Services	Jun 2016 Feb 2018	→ New design for buses approved. New logo approved. <u>Buses being wrapped and logos applied.</u> <u>Unveiling media story being scheduled for February or March.</u>	x
Individualized Marketing	Award ContractReview of results	MKT MGR	Projects/ Services	Oct 2016 Dec 2017	→ SDG awarded contract. Collateral developed and distributed. Program completed. Post program surveys completed. Project report to LAVTA Board made in December. <u>SmartTrips Dublin to</u> <u>be considered by Board in March for</u> <u>summer 2018.</u>	x x
N Canyons Parkway Rapid Bus Stop Project	 Engineering work Improvements to site Relocation of shelters 	DP	Projects/ Services	May 2017 Aug 2017 <u>Jun</u> 2018	→ FTA grant to upgrade stops in this corridor to Rapid style. Engineering work done. Bids came in high. Board rejected all bids. Bid re-advertised. Board awarded project in November. Project to be completed by Jun of 2018.	x
Pleasanton SmartTrips Corridor Rapid Bus Stop Project	 Engineering work Award of construction contract Finish project 	DP	Projects/ Services	Nov 2017 Apr 2018 Jun 2018	→ ACTC grant received to upgrade stops in this corridor to Rapid style. Board awarded engineering to Kimley Horn in November. Bus shelter type is next step. Project award in April. <u>Project currently in design.</u>	
Dublin School Tripper Bus Shelter Project	 Identify new locations for shelters Install new shelters 	ED	Projects/ Services	Sept 2016 Dec 2017	 → Five locations with high ridership identified. Kimley Horn performing engineering. First shelter installed in December. Other four shelters will require significant site work. Budgeting for next FY. 	x

Underlined text indicates changes since last report.

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Replace Shelters Past Useful Life That Are On Livermore Routes	Identify sheltersInstall	ED	Projects/ Services	Nov 2016 Apr 2018	\rightarrow Shelters identified. 10 shelters delivered. <u>No bids for install received. Rebid. Board</u> to consider in March.	х

Goal: Community and Economic Development

Strategies (those highlighted in bold indicate highest Board priority) 1. Integrate transit into local economic development plans 2. Advocate for increased TOD from member agencies and MTC

3. Partner with employers in the use of transit to meet TDM goals & requirements

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ACTC: Measure BB Transit Student Pass Program	 Assist ACTC in promoting the student passes Monitor effectiveness of the program and capacity issues 	DP	Projects/ Services	Ongoing Ongoing	→ Four schools in Livermore to have free pass via Clipper for Wheels access. Planning/Marketing Departments working with ACTC and school district to distribute and market Clipper Cards/bus system. Preliminary ridership continues at approximately 200 trips per day. <u>Discussion</u> <u>ongoing w/ACTC on how to keep project</u> <u>funded past demonstration project.</u>	x
Las Positas College Student, Faculty, Staff Pass Program	 Marketing campaign on campus Student Vote to retain Transit Pass on campus 	MKT MGR	Projects/ Services	Ongoing Nov 2017	→ Transit pass/marketing efforts ongoing. Students have voted. 90% "yes". 10% "no". Board of Trustees to consider the vote and student fee in March or April.	x x

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Historic Train Depot Relocation at Livermore Transit Center	 City Award of Project Demo of TC Customers Service Buildings Finish Relocation/Renovation 	DP	Projects/ Services	Jan 2017 Jul 2017 Feb 2018	→ FTA clearance given to demo current building. City Council awarded contract. Temporary facility installed. Demo of LAVTA buildings done. Depot moved onto cement foundation. Project extend into April 2018. <u>Board received update at February</u> <u>meeting.</u>	x x
Rehab of Shade Structure and Replacement of Furniture at Livermore Transit Center. Rehab of Custom Shelter adjacent to Livermore TC next to Parking Garage.	Bid ProjectProject Completion	DP	Projects/ Services	Nov 2017 Jan 2018	→Bid spec being developed for painting and purchase of furniture. <u>Exterior furniture on</u> <u>order. IFB for rehab of custom shelter to be</u> <u>advertised in early March.</u>	

Goal: Regional Leadership

Strategies (those highlighted in bold indicate highest Board priority)
1. Advocate for local, regional, state, and federal policies that support mission of Wheels
2. Support staff involvement in leadership roles representing regional, state, and federal forums

3. Promote transit priority initiatives with member agencies

4. Support regional initiatives that support mobility convenience

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Alameda – San Joaquin Regional Rail Working Group	• AB 758	ED	Projects/ Services	Oct 2017	→ Approved. Legislation became effective January 2018.	x

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	Creation of 2018 Legislative Plan and review/approval		Financo/	Feb	\rightarrow F&A committee looked at draft legislative	

2018 Legislative Plan	Plan and review/approval by the Board and provide support for key legislation.	ED	Finance/ Admin	2018	plan in January 2018. <u>Board approved</u> 2018 Legislative Plan in February.		
State Legislation to Approve SAV Project in Dublin	Introduce SAV legislation	ED	Finance/ Admin	Feb 2017	→ Approved. Legislation became effective January 2018.	х	

Goal: Organizational Effectiveness

Strategies (those highlighted in bold indicate highest Board priority)

- 1. Promote system wide continuous quality improvement initiatives
- 2. Continue to expand the partnership with contract staff to strengthen teamwork and morale and enhance the quality of service
- 3. Establish performance based metrics with action plans for improvement; monitor, improve, and report on-time performance and productivity
- 4. HR development with focus on employee quality of life and strengthening of technical resources
- 5. Enhance and improve organizational structures, processes and procedures to increase system effectiveness
- 6. Develop policies that hold Board and staff accountable, providing clear direction through sound policy making decisions

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Performance Metrics Improvement	• Staff setting up aggressive monitoring of key performance metrics: on- time performance, accidents and customer service.	DP	Projects/ Services	Ongoing	→ Daily and weekly meeting to discuss key metrics at staff level. Presentation on performance of routes provided to the P&S Committee in October.	x

Goal: Financial Management

Strategies (those highlighted in bold indicate highest Board priority)

- 1. Develop budget in accordance with strategic Plan, integrating fiscal review processes into all decisions
- 2. Explore and develop revenue generating opportunities
- 3. Maintain fiscally responsible long range capital and operating plans

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FY17 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report	 Complete financial audit and all required reporting to Board, local, regional and state agencies. 	DF	Finance/ Admin	Nov 2017	→ Audit ongoing in September. Review of audit at F&A in October. Presentation to LAVTA Board in November. No findings.	х		
Other:								
Transit Center Bus Driving Isle Improvement Project	 Perform demo of asphalt and construction new base and asphalt in driving isle. 	PD	Projects/ Services	Feb 2018	→ Utilizing City pavement contract. Asphalt to be removed and construction completed after the Transit Center cement work is completed. This project to tie in closely with Historic Depot Relocation project. Will be final phase of Depot project in April.			
SAV Project	 Acquire funding to begin project Approve legislation to test SAVs. Enter into MOUs for testing. 	ED	Projects/ Services	Oct 2016 Dec 2017 Feb 2018	\rightarrow AQMD awarded LAVTA approx. \$1 million over 3 years in funding in exchange for advertising. LAVTA Board received a presentation on this project and next steps at Feb meeting. AB 1444 approved and effective January 2018. MOU with County Connection approved in November. <u>MOU</u> with GoMentum approved by Board in <u>February.</u>	x x		
Triennial Audit	 Preparation for audit Audit and report to board	DF	Finance/ Adm	Ongoing Jul 2018	→Comprehensive audit on LAVTA from FTA to be conducted in July 2018.			