



Solano County Transit

SOLTRANS BOARD OF DIRECTORS AGENDA

Regular Meeting

3:00 PM,

Thursday, September 21, 2023

Vallejo Council Chamber

555 Santa Clara Street, Vallejo CA 94590

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1. CLOSED SESSION

CONFERENCE WITH REAL PROPERTY NEGOTIATORS (GC § 54956.8): (1872 and 1880 Broadway, Vallejo CA 94590). Agency negotiators: Beth Kranda, Executive Director, and Patricia Carr, General Services Manager. Negotiating party: Adeline Nettleton. Under negotiation: price and terms. (3:00 pm)

2. CLOSED SESSION

PERSONNEL MATTERS (GC § 549547): Public Employee Performance Review – SolTrans Executive Director

3. CALL TO ORDER/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Cristina Arriola, Chairperson, City of Vallejo (the regular meeting will call to order directly following closed session)

4. CONFIRM QUORUM/STATEMENT OF CONFLICT

An official who has a conflict must, prior to consideration of the decision; (1) publicly identify in detail the financial interest that causes the conflict; (2) recuse himself/herself from discussing and voting on the matter; (3) leave the room until after the decision has been made. Cal. Gov't Code § 87200.

5. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

6. OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

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7. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT

8. PROCLAMATIONS & PRESENTATIONS

8.A. Recognition of Transdev Annual Employee Awards Winners

Suggested Action: Informational. (PRESENTER: Chair Arriola, Councilmember, City of Vallejo)

9. CONSENT CALENDAR

Recommendation: Approve the following consent items in one motion. Note: Items under consent calendar may be removed for separate discussion.

9.A. Meeting Minutes of July 20, 2023

Suggested Action: Approve the Board Meeting Minutes of July 20, 2023. (PRESENTER: Suzanne Reyes, Transit Board Administrator/ Office Manager)

[DRAFT BOD Minutes 07.20.23.pdf](#)

9.B. Public Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes of August 29, 2023

Suggested Action: Approve the Public Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes of August 29, 2023. (PRESENTER: Angel Anderson, Program Assistant/ Deputy Clerk)

[Draft PAC Minutes 08.29.23.pdf](#)

9.C. Authorization to Execute a Contract for Service Planning Software

Suggested Action: Authorize the Executive Director to execute a contract with Remix not-to-exceed \$201,567 for the purchase of planning and scheduling technologies, subject to Legal Counsel approval as to form. (PRESENTER: Mandi Renshaw, Senior Analyst)
[RPT-Service Planning Software.pdf](#)

9.D. Authorize the Purchase of 11 ChargePoint Chargers

Suggested Action: Authorize the Executive Director to purchase up to 11 ChargePoint Express Plus 200kW Chargers in an amount not-to-exceed \$2,600,000, subject to Legal Counsel approval as to form, and to increase the FY 23-24 capital budget by \$591,200. (PRESENTER: Larry Deleon Guerrero, Program Analyst II)
[RPT-Authorize Purchase of ChargePoint.pdf](#)

9.E. Purchase Authorization for 14 Low-Floor Gillig Battery-Electric Buses

Suggested Action: Authorize the purchase of 14 low-floor Gillig battery-electric buses to replace 14 retiring low-floor Gillig diesel-hybrid buses. (PRESENTER: John Sanderson, Transit Services Manager)
[RPT-Gillig Electric Bus Purchase.pdf](#)

9.F. Award a Contract for HR Consulting Services

Suggested Action: Authorize the Executive Director to award and execute a contract for human resources consulting services to the Hive LLC, and to execute amendments to the contract as may be necessary during the contract period, in an amount not-to-exceed \$150,000 subject to Legal Counsel approval as to form. (PRESENTER: Kristina Botsford, Deputy Director)
[RPT-HR Consulting.pdf](#)

REGULAR CALENDAR

10. ACTION ITEMS

10.A. Fares and Fare Payment Options

Suggested Action: Provide feedback to Staff and authorize Staff to open a public comment period by October 16th with a public hearing to be held on November 16th. (PRESENTER: Kristina Botsford, Deputy Director)
[RPT-Fares and Fare Media.pdf](#)

NON-ACTION/ INFORMATIONAL

11. DISCUSSION ITEMS

11.A. Operating Revenue and Expenses (Unaudited) for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2023

Suggested Action: Informational. (PRESENTER: Kristina Botsford, Deputy Director)
[RPT-Operating Rev & Exp FYE 6-30-23.pdf](#)
[ATCH A-Rev & Exp FYE 6-30-23.pdf](#)

11.B. Electrification Infrastructure Construction Update

Suggested Action: Informational. (PRESENTER: Patricia Carr, General Services Manager)
[Cvr Memo-Electrification Update.pdf](#)

12. NON-DISCUSSION ITEMS

12.A. State Legislative Report

Suggested Action: Informational.

[Cvr Memo-State Leg Rpt.pdf](#)

13. BOARD OF DIRECTORS COMMENTS

14. ADJOURNMENT