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TO: BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND ALTERNATES
FROM: BARRY ENGELBERG *BE*
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE ON SHIFT OF FUNDS TO COUNTY

On August 1, 1995 the MTA Board of Directors adopted an "oppose" position to SB 75 (Polanco) relative to authorizing the transfer of Transportation Development Act funds to the County of Los Angeles. The Governor vetoed SB 75. The Governor indicated in his veto message that he would support legislation which would provide \$50 million for one year only to the County's general fund.

Yesterday, August 10, 1995, the MTA Board of Directors approved a motion which instructed the MTA's Chief Executive Officer to initiate discussions with Los Angeles County Chief Administrative Officer Sally Reed with regard to the transference of \$50 million of MTA funds to the County.

As you know, the whole issue of these funds will resurface in Sacramento when the legislature reconvenes on August 21, 1995.

During the next couple of weeks we would like to enlist your assistance in meeting with members of the Los Angeles County state delegation to express the MTA's position on the use of TDA funds and to convey the local agreement reached between the MTA and the County.

Attached is a list of the Los Angeles County state delegation with whom we are attempting to meet with. Intergovernmental Relations staff will be immediately contacting you as to your availability to meet with any of the members listed.

Should you have any questions regarding the meetings, please contact Gary Clark at (213) 244-7450 or Claudette A. Moody at (213) 244-6525.

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Los Angeles County State Delegation

Senate

<u>Name</u>	<u>Meeting Date/Time</u>
Bob Beverly (R)	
Charles Calderon (D)	
Ralph Dills (D)	8/14/95 - 4:15 p.m.
Tom Hayden (D)	
Teresa Hughes (D)	
Richard Mountjoy (R)	
Richard Polanco (D)	
Herschel Rosenthal (D)	
Newt Russell (R)	
Hilda Solis (D)	
Diane Watson (D)	
Cathie Wright (R)	

Assembly

Fred Aguire (R)	
Marguerite Archie-Hudson (D)	8/18/95 - 2:00 p.m.
Paula Boland (R)	
Debra Bowen (D)	
Luis Caldera (D)	
Martha Escutia (D)	
Barbara Friedman (D)	
Martin Gallegos (D)	
Phil Hawkins (R)	
Ricahrd Katz (D)	
Pete Knight (R)	8/17/95 - 10:30 a.m.
Sheila Kuehl (D)	
Steve Kuykendall (R)	8/17/95 - 9:00 a.m.
Juanita McDonald (D)	
Bob Margett (R)	
Diane Martinez (D)	
Gary Miller (R)	
Willard Murray (D)	
Kevin Murray (D)	
Grace Napolitano (D)	
Curtis Tucker, Jr. (D)	8/16/95 - 1:00 p.m.
Jim Rogan (R)	
Antonio Villaraigosa (D)	