



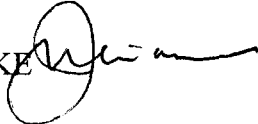
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**MEMO TO:** BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
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**SUBJECT:** MID-CITY/WESTSIDE, EASTSIDE, AND SAN FERNANDO VALLEY EAST/WEST CORRIDOR STUDIES -SUMMARY REPORT AND PRESENTATION SLIDES FOR BOARD WORKSHOP

Attached are the summary report (blue booklet) and powerpoint presentation slides (yellow booklet) including recommendations, prepared by the consultants for Phase One of the Corridor Studies for the Mid-City/Westside, Eastside, and San Fernando Valley East/West Corridors. Please note that the page numbers in the powerpoint presentation booklet are not continuous as these slides are excerpts from the larger blue booklet.

Contracts to prepare the three Corridor Studies were awarded in July 1999 pursuant to Board direction. The lead consultant for each corridor is as follows: Korve Engineering, Inc. (Mid-City/Westside); Jenkins/Gales & Martinez/Parsons Brinckerhoff (Eastside); and Gruen Associates (San Fernando Valley East-West).

The intent of Phase One, the Major Investment Study (MIS) portion of the Corridor Studies, is to provide further analysis of fixed guideway alternatives in each of the three corridors and make recommendations on which alternative(s) should be carried into draft environmental assessment (Phase Two). Board action on which alternatives to carry forward into the Phase Two environmental assessment will be requested at the February 25 Board Meeting.

A copy of the full MIS will be delivered to your office prior to the February 25 Board Meeting.

Attachments