

# Governance Council Web Pages

## Metro Gateway Cities

### Governance Council Meeting

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*Gateway Cities... Commitment to Safety and Service*

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# Main Webpage



# Local Service Councils

Metro’s Service Councils advise on bus service in five geographic regions:

- Gateway Cities (Southeast LA County)
- San Fernando Valley
- San Gabriel Valley
- South Bay
- Westside/Central

Click on this [map](#) to see the five council regions.

**These community-based councils offer:**

**Greater Community Involvement:** Regionalized outreach gives residents more opportunities for direct input into service issues in their communities.

**Improved Service:** Local service evaluation to better understand riders’ needs and recommend the appropriate response.

**Regional Perspective:** Advise on planning and implementation of service within their area; call and conduct public hearings; evaluate Metro bus programs related to their service area; review proposed service changes; make policy recommendations to the Metro Board; participate in annual meetings with the Metro Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Deputy CEO and other appropriate management staff.

Further information regarding the Local Service Councils, such as membership, authority and responsibilities, is contained in the Service Sector Governance Policy, the Service Sector Bylaws, and Report 42 of the September 26, 2002 Board Meeting. In addition, members of the councils must adhere to the Metro Code of Conduct and all other relevant State and Federal laws.

## Metro Councils

- Gateway Cities
- San Fernando Valley
- San Gabriel Valley
- South Bay
- Westside/Central

## Documents

- Code of Conduct
- Section 13005120
- Section 13005125
- Report 42 (Word)
- Bylaws (PDF)
- Sector Policy (PDF)

## Resources

- [Meeting Agendas / Minutes](#)
- [Service Enhancements](#)
- [Timetables](#)
- [Metro Trip Planner](#)
- [Other Transit Agencies](#)
- [Passes Online](#)

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## Specific Council Webpage



# Metro Gateway Cities (SAMPLE SPECIFIC PAGE)

Metro Gateway Cities Local Service Council usually meets the second Thursday of each month at 2 p.m. at The Gas Company in the City of Downey, 9240 Firestone Blvd [view map](#) (PDF format, 55KB).

The council is comprised of four elected officials and five non-elected officials. The Gateway Cities Council of Governments (COG) appoints governance council members. The COG's recommended appointees are approved by Metro's Board of Directors.

### Current Gateway Cities Representatives include:

Elected Representatives Norwalk Councilmember Cheri Kelley, Compton Councilmember Lillie Dobson, Downey Councilmember Anne Bayer, and Artesia Councilmember Larry Nelson.

Non-elected members include Jo Ann Eros Delgado representing the unincorporated LA County area in Whittier, George Bass (Chair) from the City of Bell, Harley Rubenstein (Vice-Chair) from the City of Long Beach, Cynde Soto from the City of Long Beach, and Wally Shidler from the unincorporated LA County area in Walnut Park.



George Bass,  
Chair



Harley Rubenstein,  
Vice-Chair



Anne Bayer,  
Representative

**Resources**

- Gateway Cities
- San Fernando Valley
- San Gabriel Valley
- South Bay
- Westside/Central

**Resources**

- Gateway Cities COG
- Transit Links
- Beach Cities Transit
- Commuter Express
- Culver City Municipal Bus Lines
- DASH
- LADOT

# Potential Pages to Add to Specific Governance Council Webpages

- Council's Regional Map / Boundaries
- Metro Bus Lines Operating In Council's Region
- List All LA County Transit Links, Not Just Regional Operators
- Link to Metro Timetables (All)
- Where to Buy Metro Fare Media (All Locations)
- Metro Trip Planner
- Map / Directions and Transit Options for Governance Council Meeting Locations (Some Have, Some Don't)
- Recent and Proposed Service Changes (All)
- Governance Council Representative Headshots and Bios
- How to Contact Us (Metro numbers/Council Contact)



# Other Potential Changes Regarding Governance Council Webpages

- Put Link to Governance Council Page on Main Web Page of metro.net
- Add Hyperlink to Specific Council Pages in Main Section, Where All Councils Are Listed
- ‘Code of Conduct’, ‘Section 13005120’ and ‘Section 13005125’ Links Do Not Link to Anything - Remove
- ‘Report 42’ Link connects to an old report, not needed
- Add link to Metro Riders Guide?
- How to Contact Us (Metro numbers/Council Contact

