



**Metro**

METRO WESTSIDE/CENTRAL GOVERNANCE COUNCIL

June 11, 2008

**SUBJECT: DECEMBER 2008 SERVICE CHANGE PROGRAM PUBLIC HEARING**

**ACTION: SET PUBLIC HEARING DATE FOR PROPOSED DECEMBER 2008 SERVICE CHANGES AND AUTHORIZE PUBLICATION OF THE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

RECOMMENDATIONS

- A. Schedule Wednesday, August 13, 2008 at 5:00pm as the hearing date and time to receive public comment on the proposed service changes to be implemented in December 2008.
- B. Authorize publication of the Notice of Public Hearing (Attachment A).

BACKGROUND

In compliance with federal public hearing requirements and adopted MTA policy, the Governance Council is required to conduct a public hearing and consider public testimony before approving significant modifications to the bus system. As part of this process, the Governance Council is also required to consider potential impacts these changes may have on the community.

The changes are proposed to improve the efficiency of bus operations within the sector. In an effort to move forward with projects that will improve service quality and increase operating efficiencies, staff proposes to initiate the service changes contained in the public hearing program in December of 2008.

The Notice of Public Hearing (Attachment A) gives the time, date, and location of the public hearing and a brief summary of the changes under consideration.

SUMMARY OF STAFF PROPOSALS

The proposed Westside/Central service plan includes modifications to one line.

Line 33 (Downtown LA – Santa Monica via Venice Blvd.): Restructure routes 33 and 333

**NEXT STEPS**

Following the public hearing, staff will return to the Governance Council with a report summarizing all public comments received along with specific staff recommendations.

Attachment A: Notice of Public Hearing

Attachment B: Metro Westside/Central Map



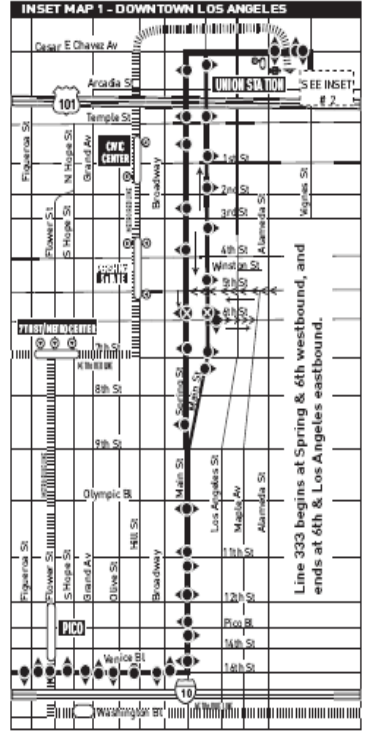
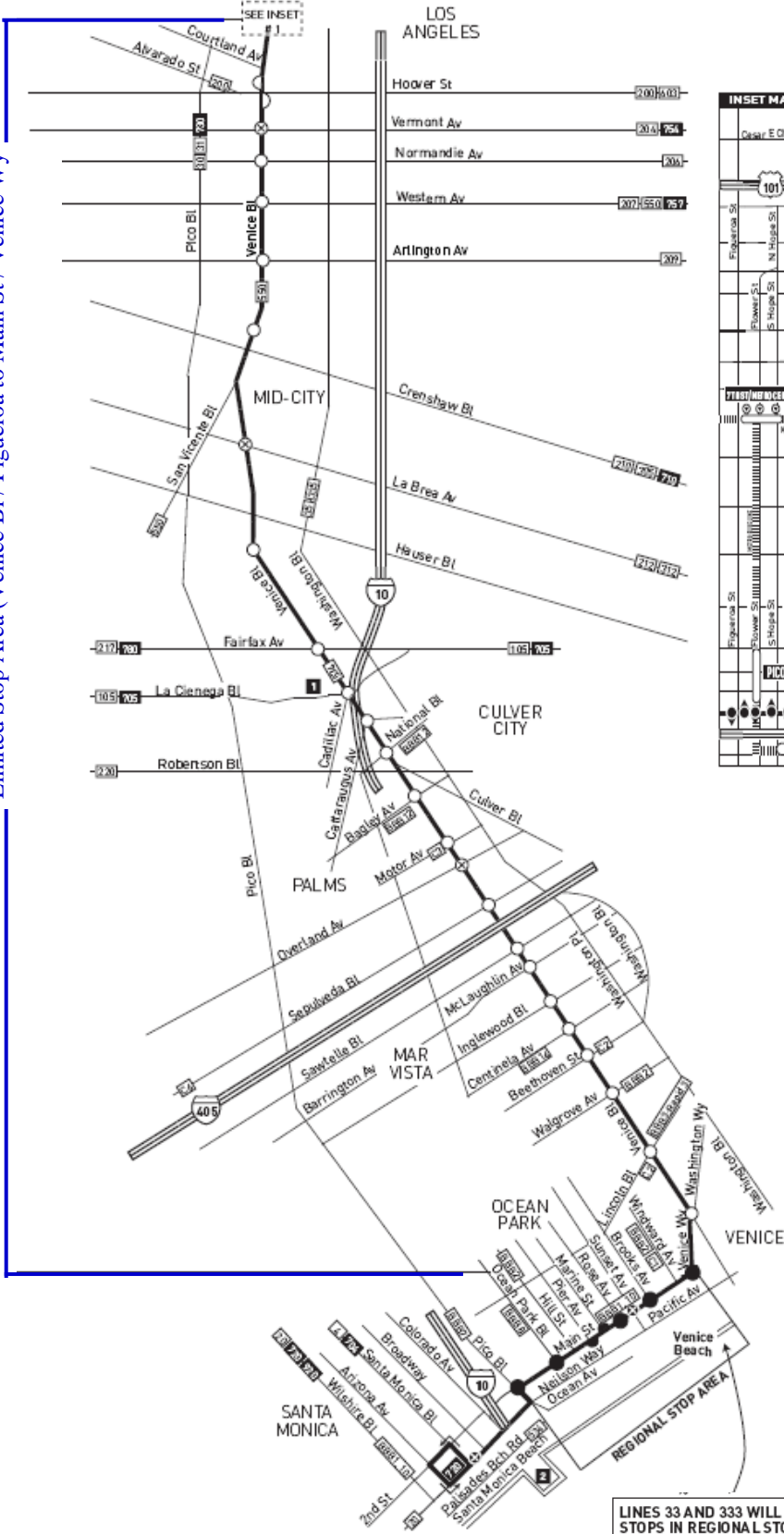
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# Line 33-333

## Restructure routes 33 and 333 to improve service quality

Limited Stop Area (Venice BI / Figueroa to Main St / Venice Wy)



Line 333 begins at Spring & 6th westbound, and ends at 6th & Los Angeles eastbound.

LINES 33 AND 333 WILL ONLY MAKE DESIGNATED STOPS IN REGIONAL STOP AREA BECAUSE OF FREQUENT SANTA MONICA MUNICIPAL BUS LINES LOCAL SERVICE.

