

Local Service Councils [\(Sample Main Page\)](#)

Metro's Service Councils are responsible for bus service in their geographic regions. Metro has 5 regional Service Councils:

- [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. [Click on any of the Service Councils above for more information about their specific council.](#)

These community based councils offer:

Greater Community Involvement: Regionalized outreach gives residents more opportunities for direct input into service issues in their communities. [Public participation and input is invited at each of the council's monthly meetings.](#)

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 regional Service Councils, such as membership, authority and responsibilities, is contained in the Governance Policy, [the Service Council Bylaws](#), and [Report 42 \(which the MTA Board drafted in 2002 to define the role and organizational structure of governance councils\)](#), [which can be accessed on the right side of this page.](#) In addition, members of the councils must adhere to the Metro Code of Conduct and all other relevant State and Federal laws.

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Metro Westside/Central (SAMPLE SPECIFIC PAGE)

The Metro Westside/Central Service Council usually meets the second Wednesday of each month at 6:30 pm at the La Cienega Tennis Center in the City of Beverly Hills, located at 325 S. La Cienega Blvd. [view map](#). The public is invited to attend and encouraged to provide input to assist the Service Council to improve service in their area. The Westside/Central region includes the City of Los Angeles and the other cities listed below. For a map of the Westside/Central region, [click here](#).

The council was formed in 2002, and is appointed by the Mayor of Los Angeles (4), Los Angeles County Supervisors Ridley Thomas and Yaroslavsky (1 each), and the Westside COG (3). Westside/Central Service Council Representatives are listed below - you can click on the name of each Representative to read their bio.



[Catherine Bator](#)
Chair



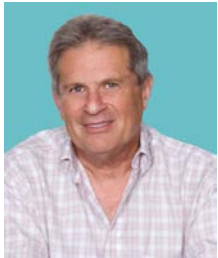
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