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VCTC Invites Public to Meetings on Unmet Transit Needs

CAMARILLO, Calif. – The Ventura County Transportation Commission (VCTC) invites the public to share ideas about how to improve bus, paratransit, dial-a-ride, on-demand and rail service in Ventura County.

VCTC will host in-person and virtual community meetings in January and a public hearing in February as part of its annual unmet transit needs process. Each meeting is an opportunity for people to let local transit operators and government leaders know what can be done to improve transit in the county.

The meetings are intended to identify transit needs that are not currently being met and are reasonable to meet in Camarillo, Fillmore, Moorpark, Santa Paula, Thousand Oaks and adjacent areas of unincorporated Ventura County.

The community meetings are scheduled for the following dates and times:

Community meetings

- 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 9 at the Fillmore Library Innovation Lab, 502 Second St., Fillmore;
- Noon Thursday, Jan. 16, virtual meeting at <u>bit.ly/3BhhbbW</u>;
- 6 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28, at the Camarillo Public Library, 4101 Las Posas Road, Camarillo

Public hearing

• 9 a.m. Friday, Feb. 7, at the Camarillo Public Library, 4101 Las Posas Road, Camarillo.

People who are not able to attend the meetings can share their input through an online survey at https://www.goventura.org/unmet-transit-needs/. The survey is available in English, Spanish and Mandarin. Comments can also be emailed to transit planner Dolores Lopez at dlopez@goventura.org or shared by calling 805-642-1591, ext. 117.

For more information about the Unmet Transit Needs process, visit <u>goventura.org/unmet-transit-needs</u>.

About the Ventura County Transportation Commission

The Ventura County Transportation Commission is the regional transportation planning agency committed to keeping Ventura County moving. Program information is available at goventura.org.

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