

**GATEWAY CITIES COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS  
JOINT MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

*Wednesday, September 1, 2004  
5:30 p. m. Buffet  
6:00 p. m. Meeting  
Cerritos Senior Center  
12340 South Street, Cerritos, CA*

**AGENDA**

**STAFF REPORTS AND OTHER WRITTEN DOCUMENTS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE GATEWAY CITIES COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS OFFICES, 7300 ALONDRA BOULEVARD, SUITE 201, PARAMOUNT, CALIFORNIA. ANY PERSON HAVING QUESTIONS CONCERNING ANY AGENDA ITEM MAY CALL THE COG STAFF AT (562) 663-6850.**

**FOR YOUR INFORMATION:** The Board of Directors will hear from the public on any item on the agenda or an item of interest that is not on the agenda. The Board of Directors cannot take action on any item not scheduled on the agenda. These items may be referred for administrative action or scheduled on a future agenda. Comments are to be limited to three minutes for each speaker, unless extended by the Board of Directors, and each speaker will only have one opportunity to speak on any one topic. You have the opportunity to address the Board of Directors at the following times:

- A. AGENDA ITEM: at this time the Board of Directors considers the agenda item OR during Public Comments, and
- B. NON-AGENDA ITEMS: during Public Comments, comments will be received for a maximum 20-minute period; any additional requests will be heard following the completion of the Board of Directors agenda; and
- C. PUBLIC HEARINGS: at the time for public hearings.

**Please keep your comments brief and complete a speaker card for the President.**

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. WORDS OF WISDOM** – Each meeting a member of the Board of Directors will provide a statement, quote or phrase of meaning to the group – Larry Nelson, Artesia
- III. ROLL CALL – BY SELF INTRODUCTIONS**
- IV. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**V. AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA** - This is the time and place to change the order of the agenda, delete or add any agenda item(s).

**VI. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**VII. CONSENT CALENDAR:** All items under the Consent Calendar may be enacted by one motion. Any item may be removed from the Consent Calendar and acted upon separately by the Board of Directors.

- A. Approval of Minutes - Minutes of the Regular Board of Directors meeting of August 4, 2004, are presented for approval. Approval receives and files the minutes of the August 4, 2004, Board of Directors meeting.
- B. Approval of Warrant Register - Request for Approval of Warrant Register dated September 1, 2004
- C. July 2004 Local Agency Investment Fund Statement
- D. Status Report from Lobbyist, Government Relations Inc. (GRI)
- E. Report from Anrab Associates Re: Transportation Programming and Funding Services
- F. Amendment to Contract Agreement for Consulting Services by and Between Gateway Cities Council of Governments and Anrab Inc.

CONSENT CALENDAR ACTION:

A MOTION TO APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONSENT CALENDAR ITEMS A THROUGH G.

**VIII. REPORTS**

- A. Report on Gateway Cities Clean Air Program
  - 1. Status Report
  - 2. Recommendations from the Clean Air Program Steering Committee on Program Modifications for New Participants
  - 3. Recommendations from the Clean Air Program Steering Committee on Program Modifications for Current Participants
  - 4. Request from Port of Los Angeles for Clean Air Program Modifications for New POLA Participants

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO APPROVE RECOMMENDATIONS AND RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT

- B. Update on Truck Impacted Intersection Project

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT

- C. Oral Status Report on Needs Assessment Study for State Route 91 and Interstate 605 (SR 91/ I-605)

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT

- D. Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Legal Services

SUGGESTED ACTION: CONSIDER OPTIONS AND RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT

**IX. REPORTS FROM SUB-COMMITTEES**

- A. Report from Conservancy Committee

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT AND OPPOSE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE CALIFORNIA PERFORMANCE REVIEW COMMISSION

- B. Report from the I-710 Oversight Policy Committee

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT

- C. Report from Transportation Committee

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE REPORT

**X. MATTERS REGARDING SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS (SCAG)**

- A. Southern California Association of Governments Items
- Discussion Re: Report from SCAG Regional Council Agenda for September 2, 2004

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE SCAG PROPOSALS

- B. Discussion Re: SCAG Policy Committee Agendas for September 2, 2004
- Transportation and Communication Committee (TCC)
  - Energy and Environment Committee (EEC)
  - Community, Economic and Human Development Committee (CEHD)
  - Administration Committee

SUGGESTED ACTION: A MOTION TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE SCAG PROPOSALS

**XI. MATTERS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEMBERS**

- A. Request from Board Member Lowenthal, City of Long Beach RE: SCAG  
Committee Appointment

**XII. MATTERS FROM STAFF**

**XIII. ADJOURNMENT**

NOTICE: New items will not be considered after 9:00 p.m. unless the Board of Directors votes to extend the time limit. Any items on the agenda that are not completed will be forwarded to the next regular Board of Directors meeting scheduled for Wednesday, October 6, 2004, at 6:00 p.m.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE AMERICAN WITH DISABILITIES ACT, IF YOU NEED SPECIAL ASSISTANCE TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS MEETING, PLEASE CONTACT THE COG OFFICE AT (562) 663-6850. NOTIFICATION 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING WILL ENABLE THE COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS TO MAKE REASONABLE ARRANGEMENT TO ENSURE ACCESSIBILITY TO THIS MEETING.