

Short Range Transit Plan Public Involvement Plan

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CURRENT

- Santa Rosa CityBus completes a Short Range Transit Plan (SRTP) every three years.
- MTC, in cooperation with the Federal Transit Administration (FTA), requires public transit operators that are FTA grantees to prepare and regularly update an SRTP to help inform regional transportation planning and programming activities.

PROPOSED

- As part of the planning process
 CityBus will engage the public to better understand current transit needs.
- The Public Involvement Plan will act as a guide for all outreach efforts associated with the SRTP.

PROPOSED

- The proposed Public Involvement Plan includes a variety of public engagement strategies providing multiple formats and settings for receiving public feedback, including:
 - Surveys
 - Direct outreach to transit riders at transit hubs and onboard buses
 - Stakeholder consultation
 - Community meetings/workshops
 - Council reports and Public Hearing

RECOMMENDATION

 It is recommended by the Transportation and Public Works Department that the Council, by resolution, approve and adopt the Public Involvement Plan for the Transit Division's Short Range Transit Plan 2022 update.