

**South Los Angeles Town Hall**  
**with the California Transportation Commission**  
 April 23-24, 2026

**Thursday, April 23, 2026**

Time: 5:30pm-8:30pm

Location: Mark Ridley-Thomas Constituent Service Center  
 8475 S. Vermont Ave, Los Angeles, CA 90044

Estimated Time	Topic	Speaker
5:30-5:35	Welcome and Introductions	
5:35-5:45	Metro Overview	<b>Stephanie Wiggins</b> , Chief Executive Officer, Metro
5:45-6:05	World Cup Preparations	<b>Joe Forgiarini</b> , Senior Executive Officer, Metro Service Development
6:05-6:30	I-105 ExpressLanes	<b>Monica Benavides</b> , Chief Deputy District Director, Caltrans District 7 <b>Philbert Wong</b> , Senior Director, Metro ExpressLanes
6:30-6:55	LA County Public Works: Strategies and Priorities for Safety, Mobility, and State of Good Repair in our Communities	<b>Steve Burger</b> , Deputy Chief of Transportation, LA County Department of Public Works
6:55-7:20	Care-Based Approach to Homelessness on Transit	<b>Craig Joyce</b> , Senior Executive Officer, Metro Care-Based Services <b>Angela De Los Santos</b> , Christ-Centered Ministries <b>Timothy Byrd</b> , Christ-Centered Ministries
7:20-7:50	Vermont Transit Corridor	<b>Rashanda Davis</b> , Senior Manager, Metro Countywide Planning
7:50-8:10	Rail to Rail	<b>Umaymah Rashid</b> , Manager, Metro Community Relations <b>TRUST South LA</b>
8:10-8:30	Public Comment	

**Friday, April 24, 2026**

**Tour: Metro K Line and LAX/Metro Transit Center**

- Time: 9:00am to 10:45am
- Location: Meet at Leimert Park Station  
 4330 South Crenshaw Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90008

**Reception**

- Time: 11:00am to 1:00pm
- Location: LAX/Metro Transit Center  
 9225 Aviation Boulevard, Los Angeles, CA 90045



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