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Agencies, Organizations, and Individuals interested in the I-605 Valley Boulevard Interchange Improvement Project

File: 07-LA-605 (PM R18.9/R19.5) Interstate 605/Valley Boulevard Interchange Improvement Project

## Notice of Availability of Initial Study / Environmental Assessment (IS/EA) and Notice of Intent to Adopt a Negative Declaration (ND)

The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans), in cooperation with the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments, Gateway Cities Council of Governments, Los Angeles County Department of Public Works, and City of Industry, proposes improvements to the Interstate 605 (I-605) Valley Boulevard Interchange. The proposed project would improve mobility and relieve congestion, capacity constraints, and other related deficiencies on I-605 at the Valley Boulevard interchange.

Pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), Caltrans has studied the effects that the proposed project may have on the environment and community. The results of those studies are contained in an environmental document known as an Initial Study/Environmental Assessment (IS/EA). As a result of the Initial Study, Caltrans propose to adopt a Negative Declaration (ND) for this project. The purpose of this notice is to inform the public of its completion, its availability to any interested individuals, as well as provide an opportunity for public hearing.

The circulation period for the IS/EA ends Wednesday, July 15, 2020. The document can be accessed electronically and downloaded from the following website: http://media.metro.net/2020/I-605-Valley-Blvd-ISEA-Master-signed-May2020.pdf

Comments can be submitted electronically using the comment box in the link above or in writing to:

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If you have any questions, please contact Jason Roach, Senior Environmental Planner at (213) 266-3805. Thank you for your interest in this important transportation study.

Sincerely,

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