

SunLine Transit Agency March 28, 2018 12:00 p.m.

# **AGENDA**

# Regular Board of Directors Meeting Board Room 32-505 Harry Oliver Trail Thousand Palms, CA 92276

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<u>ITEM</u> <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. PRESENTATIONS
  - a) Clerk of the Board Update and Changes
     (Staff: Brittney Sowell, Clerk of the Board/Special Assistant to the CEO)
  - b) New Funding and Overview of Funding Sources (Staff: Luis Garcia, Deputy Chief Financial Officer)
- 4. FINALIZATION OF AGENDA
- 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

RECEIVE COMMENTS

#### NON AGENDA ITEMS

Members of the public may address the Board regarding any item within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board; however, no action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized. Comments shall be limited to matters not listed on the agenda. Members of the public may comment on any matter listed on the agenda at the time that the Board considers that matter. Each person's presentation is limited to a maximum of three (3) minutes.

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<u>ITEM</u> <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>

# 6. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS RECEIVE COMMENTS

#### 7. CONSENT CALENDAR

RECEIVE & FILE

All items on the Consent Calendar will be approved by one motion, and there will be no discussion of individual items unless a Board Member requests a specific item be pulled from the calendar for separate discussion. The public may comment on any item.

	<ul> <li>7a) Checks \$1,000 and Over Report for January 2018</li> <li>7b) Credit Card Statement for January 2018</li> <li>7c) Monthly Budget Variance Report for January 2018</li> <li>7d) Contracts Signed in Excess of \$25,000 February 2018</li> <li>7e) Union &amp; Non-Union Pension Investment Asset Summary January 2018</li> <li>7f) Quarterly Performance Summary for Q4 of Calendar Year 2017</li> <li>7g) Ridership Report for February 2018</li> <li>7h) SunDial Operational Notes for February 2018</li> </ul>	(PAGE 1-5) (PAGE 6-11) (PAGE 12-19) (PAGE 20-21) (PAGE 22-24) (PAGE 25-27) (PAGE 28-30) (PAGE 31-34)
	7i) Metrics for February 2018	(PAGE 31-34) (PAGE 35-46)
	7j) Board Member Attendance for February 2018	(PAGE 33-40) (PAGE 47-48)
	7)) Board Member Attendance for February 2016	(PAGE 47-40)
8.	BUDGET AND FUNDING SHORTFALL (Russell Betts, Chairman of the Board)	INFORMATION (PAGE 49)
9.	HAUL PASS PROGRAM (Staff: Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager)	DISCUSS (PAGE 50)
10.	APPROVAL OF MINUTES – FEBRUARY 28, 2018 BOARD MEETING	APPROVE (PAGE 51-53)
11.	APPROVE NEW ACCESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBER (Staff: Vanessa Mora, Compliance Officer)	APPROVE (PAGE 54)
12.	PROPOSED MAY 2018 SERVICE CHANGES	APPROVE

# Deputy Chief Administration Officer) 13. APPROVE MEDIA POLICY NO. B-130118

& Operational Committee;

**APPROVE** 

(Greg Pettis, Chair of Board Operations Committee; Staff: Norma Stevens, Public Outreach Specialist)

(Emmanuel Martinez, Chair of Strategic Planning

Staff: Vicky Castaneda, Special Assistant to

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#### <u>ITEM</u> <u>RECOMMENDATION</u>

# 14. APPROVE FINANCIAL AUDIT ROTATION POLICY NO. B-060118

(Greg Pettis, Chair of Board Operations Committee; Staff: Eric Taylor, Deputy Chief Financial Services)

# APPROVE

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# 15. SERVICE PROVIDER AGREEMENT WITH ROTHBART DEVELOPMENT CORP.

(Greg Pettis, Chair of Finance/Audit Committee; Staff: Anita M. Petke, Transit Communication Services Specialist)

# 16. RESOLUTION NO. 0768 TO OBTAIN LOW CARBON TRANSIT OPERATIONS PROGRAM FUNDING

(Greg Pettis, Chair of Finance/Audit Committee; Staff: Eric Taylor, Deputy Chief Financial Services)

#### **APPROVE**

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#### 17. REJECTION OF BIDS 18-011 FOR CNG EQUIPMENT

(Greg Pettis, Chair of Finance/Audit Committee; Staff: Tommy D. Edwards, Chief Operations Officer)

#### **APPROVE**

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#### 18. CEO/GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

#### 19. CLOSED SESSION

Conference with PERMA – Existing Litigation Vincenzo Bacarella v. City of Rancho Mirage, et al. Case Number: PSC 1505664

# 20. NEXT MEETING DATE

April 25, 2018 12 p.m. – Board Room 32-505 Harry Oliver Trail Thousand Palms, CA 92276

#### 21. ADJOURN

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

DATE: March 28, 2018 RECEIVE & FILE

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

RE: Checks \$1,000 and Over Report for January 2018

# Summary:

The checks \$1,000 and over report lists all of the checks processed at the Agency with a value of over \$1,000 for a given month. Items identified in bold font represent "pass through" payments that were, or will be, reimbursed to SunLine under the provisions of specific grants or contracts. Items identified with underlines represent "shared" payments with SunLine and specific vendors/employees.

 For the month of January, the largest payments issued were for milestone payments for the five (5) hydrogen fuel cell bus project which is funded primarily through the Federal Transit Administration's Low or No Emission Vehicle program.

#### Recommendation:

NOTE: 1). Bold check payments represent "pass through" payments that were, or will be reimbursed to SunLine under the provisions of specific grants or contracts. 2). Underlined check payments represent "shared" payments with SunLine and specific vendors/employees.

Vendor Filed As Name BAE SYSTEMS CONTROLS, INC.	Description WIP-Drive System and Integrated Bus Parts Lo-No	Check # <i>674187</i>	Payment Date 01/02/2018	Payment Amount 1,619,189.00
ELDORADO NATIONAL (CALIFORNIA), INC.	WIP-Bus Gliders Lo-No	674354	01/24/2018	1,080,086.40
CALPERS	Group Health Ins Prem	674424	01/29/2018	680,050.49
LUXFER CANADA LIMITED	WIP-Hydrogen FCB Lo-No	674353	01/24/2018	209,459.30
PERMA - INSURANCE	Gen Liability/WC Prem	674195	01/08/2018	139,537.79
U.S. BANK INSTITUTIONAL TRUST-WESTERN	Pension Payroll Liab Jan 26	674460	01/29/2018	97,636.04
U.S. BANK INSTITUTIONAL TRUST-WESTERN	Jan 12 Payroll Liab Pension	<u>674342</u>	01/18/2018	94,305.90
BURKE, WILLIAMS & SORENSEN, LLP	Legal Services	674212	01/12/2018	44,735.83
AIR & LUBE SYSTEMS INC	WIP-Bus Lift Replacement Retention	674205	01/12/2018	36,495.04
SO CAL GAS CO.	Utilities	674333	01/18/2018	35,866.50
DIVERSIFIED INDUSTRIES CONSULTING	Center of Excellence Project	674299	01/18/2018	27,690.45
RELIANCE STANDARD	LTD/STD/LIFE Ins. Prem	674447	01/29/2018	25,954.32
MICHELIN NORTH AMERICA, INC.	Tire Leasing	674315	01/18/2018	25,096.09
MUNICIPAL RESOURCE GROUP LLC	HR Consulting Services	674193	01/08/2018	24,500.00
PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY	Uniforms	674446	01/29/2018	22,838.07
IMPERIAL IRRIGATION DIST	Utilities	674312	01/18/2018	22,283.66
WSP USA INC.	TDM & Vanpool Program	674417	01/26/2018	22,082.46
PVL SIGNS & GRAPHICS INC.	WIP- SunLine Entrance Signs	674260	01/12/2018	20,750.00
WSP USA INC.	TDM & Vanpool Program	674349	01/18/2018	20,081.51
UOP LLC	Hydrogen Mat/Supplies	674413	01/26/2018	18,317.50
MC CRAY ENTERPRISES	WIP-Bus Rehab	674242	01/12/2018	16,568.89
PERMA - INSURANCE	Insurance Losses	674325	01/18/2018	15,000.00
BYD COACH & BUS LLC	Monthly Electric Bus Lease	674366	01/26/2018	14,965.48
STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION	Use Fuel Tax Return 2017-Operator	674465	01/30/2018	14,874.00
BYD COACH & BUS LLC	Monthly Electric Bus Lease	674214	01/12/2018	14,591.51
ADVANCED WEB OFFSET, INC.	Rider's Guides	674200	01/12/2018	9,326.25
RUTAN & TUCKER, LLP	Legal Services	674262	01/12/2018	8,934.35
CALIFORNIA DENTAL NETWORK, INC.	Dental Insurance	674422	01/29/2018	8,346.58
CUMMINS PACIFIC, LLC	Inventory Repair Parts	674370	01/26/2018	8,269.83
ADMIRAL SECURITY SERVICES, INC.	Security Services	674276	01/18/2018	8,230.02
TEC OF CALIFORNIA, INC.	Inventory Repair Parts	674339	01/18/2018	7,871.75
VERIZON WIRELESS	Wireless Telephone Service	674347	01/18/2018	7,420.99
PE FACILITY SOLUTIONS, LLC	Janitorial Service	674255	01/12/2018	7,240.00
AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION	Union Dues	674280	01/18/2018	6,667.98
STATE BOARD OF EQUAL	Use Sales Tax	674337	01/18/2018	6,663.00
AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION	Union Dues	674419	01/29/2018	6,658.20
VASQUEZ AND COMPANY LLP	Financial Auditing Services	674414	01/26/2018	6,100.00
GENFARE	Printing Expenses	674233	01/12/2018	5,378.89
ZEN AND THE ART OF CLEAN ENERGY	WIP-Refurbished Hydrogen Fueling Station	674350	01/18/2018	5,225.00

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Vendor Filed As Name  AMERICAN CAB	Description  Taxi Voucher Program	Check # 674206	Payment Date 01/12/2018	Payment Amount 4,882.49
YELLOW CAB OF THE DESERT	Taxi Voucher Program	674273	01/12/2018	4,875.24
MURCHISON & CUMMING, LLP	Insurance Losses	674194	01/08/2018	4,872.90
YELLOW CAB OF THE DESERT	Taxi Voucher Program	674418	01/26/2018	4,760.04
AFTERMARKET PARTS COMPANY, THE	Inventory Repair Parts	674201	01/12/2018	4,730.67
NAPA AUTO PARTS	Inventory Repair Parts	674389	01/26/2018	4,676.09
AFTERMARKET PARTS COMPANY, THE	Inventory Repair Parts	674277	01/18/2018	4,409.24
AFTERMARKET PARTS COMPANY, THE	Inventory Repair Parts	674356	01/26/2018	4,312.57
NORTON MEDICAL INDUSTRIES	Medical- Exams and Testing	674394	01/26/2018	4,250.00
STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION	Use Fuel Tax Return 2017-User	674464	01/30/2018	3,910.00
AMERICAN CAB	Taxi Voucher Program	674360	01/26/2018	3,802.24
TPX COMMUNICATIONS	Telephone Service	674409	01/26/2018	3,746.86
PROPER SOLUTIONS	Temporary Help Service	674398	01/26/2018	3,697.50
COMPLETE COACH WORKS	Inventory Repair Parts	674293	01/18/2018	3,566.53
PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY	Uniforms	674326	01/18/2018	3,501.94
ANDREA CARTER & ASSOCIATES	Marketing Service	674282	01/18/2018	3,500.00
CUMMINS PACIFIC, LLC	Inventory Repair Parts	674221	01/12/2018	3,387.46
CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC,	Inventory Repair Parts	674295	01/18/2018	3,294.63
TRAPEZE SOFTWAREGROUP, INC.	Support for 2018 Schedules	674271	01/12/2018	3,171.88
TK SERVICES, INC.	Inventory Repair Parts	674340	01/18/2018	3,156.37
EYE MED	Vision Insurance	674431	01/29/2018	3,079.28
TIME WARNER CABLE	Utilities	674197	01/08/2018	3,049.50
SOCO GROUP INC, THE	Lubricants-Oils	674402	01/26/2018	3,028.49
PDC MACHINES, INC	Inventory Repair Parts-SunFuels	674396	01/26/2018	2,940.00
SHI INTERNATIONAL CORP.	WIP-Information Technology Project	674399	01/26/2018	2,850.86
FRANKLIN TRUCK PARTS, INC	Inventory Repair Parts	674308	01/18/2018	2,700.32
CUMMINS PACIFIC, LLC	Inventory Repair Parts	674296	01/18/2018	2,691.43
RENOGY	WIP-Bus Shelter Lighting	674328	01/18/2018	2,658.13
TRANSIT PRODUCTS & SERVICES	Inventory Repair Parts	674270	01/12/2018	2,636.00
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE	WIP-Hydrogen Electric Hybrid FC8 & Station Application	674351	01/24/2018	2,500.00
HD INDUSTRIES	Lubricants-Oils	674436	01/29/2018	2,476.77
CARQUEST AUTO PARTS - CATHEDRAL CITY	Inventory Repair Parts	674290	01/18/2018	2,450.59
SAFETY-KLEEN CORPORATION	Contract Service-Hazardous Waste Removal	674451	01/29/2018	2,415.00
SOCO GROUP INC, THE	Lubricants-Oils	674453	01/29/2018	2,291.01
SOCO GROUP INC, THE	Lubricants-Oils	674335	01/18/2018	2,289.01
HOME DEPOT CREDIT SERVICES	Facility Maintenance	674382	01/26/2018	2,288.44
CALIFORNIA STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT	Garnishments	674423	01/29/2018	2,271.52
CALIFORNIA STATE DISBURSEMENT UNIT	Garnishments	674288	01/18/2018	2,271.52
MOHAWK MFG & SUPPLY CO	Inventory Repair Parts	674388	01/26/2018	2,245.60

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Vendor Filed As Name IMHOF AND ASSOCIATES, INC	<b>Description</b> Legal Service	<b>Check #</b> 674191	<b>Payment Date</b> 01/08/2018	Payment Amount 2,171.34
GATEWAY COMPRESSION, INC.	Inventory Repair Parts	674232	01/12/2018	2,169.86
ACCOUNTEMPS	Temporary Help Service	674355	01/26/2018	2,149.28
HENSON CONSULTING GROUP, LLC	Staff Development Consultant	674190	01/08/2018	2,143.75
FLEET-NET CORPORATION	Computer Network Software Agreement	674231	01/12/2018	2,130.00
SOCALGAS	Utilities	674401	01/26/2018	2,104.46
VALLEY OFFICE EQUIPMENT, INC.	Office Equipment Maintenance	674345	01/18/2018	2,090.84
GENFARE	Inventory Repair Parts	674379	01/26/2018	1,951.88
CALSTART, INC.	Annual Membership	674216	01/12/2018	1,950.00
GRAINGER	Inventory Repair Parts	674234	01/12/2018	1,891.19
DESERT CITY CAB	Taxi Voucher Program	674373	01/26/2018	1,763.13
ROMAINE ELECTRIC CORP.	Inventory Repair Parts	674261	01/12/2018	1,741.16
INSPECTORATE AMERICA CORPORATION	Inventory Repair Parts	674313	01/18/2018	1,708.85
CAPITAL ONE COMMERCIAL (COSTCO)	Fill The Bus Event Items	674289	01/18/2018	1,672.19
FIESTA FORD, INC.	Inventory Repair Parts	674306	01/18/2018	1,605.62
OPW FUELING COMPONENTS	Inventory Repair Parts-SunFuels	674322	01/18/2018	1,526.64
SMARTDRIVE SYSTEMS, INC.	General Services	674400	01/26/2018	1,520.00
BURRTEC WASTE & RECYCLING SERVICES	Utilities	674287	01/18/2018	1,480.80
HIRERIGHT, LLC	Background Service	674237	01/12/2018	1,458.09
PATRICK M. BRASSIL	Contracted Services-Hydrogen	674324	01/18/2018	1,440.00
SOCALGAS	Utilities	674334	01/18/2018	1,431.91
PROPER SOLUTIONS	Temporary Help Service	674258	01/12/2018	1,402.50
SWRCB ACCOUNTING OFFICE	Annual Operating Permit Div-2 Jan2018-Dec2018	674456	01/29/2018	1,400.00
DESERT CITY CAB	Taxi Voucher Program	674223	01/12/2018	1,373.80
IMPERIAL IRRIGATION DIST	Utilities	674437	01/29/2018	1,340.92
SMARTDRIVE SYSTEMS, INC.	General Services	674264	01/12/2018	1,324.60
NORTON MEDICAL INDUSTRIES	Medical Exam and Testing	674245	01/12/2018	1,319.30
WESTERN EXTERMINATOR COMPANY	Bird Control Baiting	674463	01/29/2018	1,250.00
GREATER PALM SPRINGS CVB	Annual Membership	674311	01/18/2018	1,200.00
CORNWELL TOOLS	Shop Supplies	674219	01/12/2018	1,195.79
FAST UNDERCAR PALM DESERT	Inventory Repair Parts	674304	01/18/2018	1,174.56
ACCOUNTEMPS	Temporary Help Service	674198	01/12/2018	1,162.80
CREATIVE BUS SALES, INC,	Inventory Repair Parts	674369	01/26/2018	1,084.77
BURRTEC WASTE & RECYCLING SERVICES	Utilities	674213	01/12/2018	1,063.10
ZEN AND THE ART OF CLEAN ENERGY	WIP-Refurbished Hydrogen Fueling Station	674274	01/12/2018	1,057.66
TREMBLAY IRON WORKS	Facility Maintenance Parts	674410	01/26/2018	1,039.00
DECALS BY DESIGN, INC.	Inventory Repair Parts	674372	01/26/2018	1,024.46
TRANSIT RESOURCES, INC.	Inventory Repair Parts	674458	01/29/2018	1,014.23
CIVIC RESOURCE GROUP INTERNATIONAL	Contracted Services Web Hosting	674218	01/12/2018	1,000.00

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Vendor Filed As Name BOYLIN MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE	<b>Description</b> Employee Development Program	<b>Check #</b> 674210	<b>Payment Date</b> 01/12/2018	Payment Amount 1,000.00
TOTALFUNDS	Postage Supplies	674269	01/12/2018	1,000.00
Total Checks Over \$1,000 Total Checks Under \$1,000	\$4,636,455.67 \$45,169.15			

\$4,681,624.82

**Total Checks** 

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

DATE: March 28, 2018 RECEIVE & FILE

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

RE: Credit Card Statement for January 2018

# Summary:

The attached report summarizes the Agency's credit card expenses for January 2018. Note that items 5 and 6 were related to the Center the Excellence and are reimbursable expenses through the through the Federal Transit Administration's Low or No Emission Vehicle program.

# **Recommendation:**

# **SunLine Transit Agency Visa Credit Card Statement**

Closing Date: 2/02/18

Name on Card: Lauren Skiver

	Trans. Date	Post Date	Reference	Detail - Description	Credits	Charges	GL#
1	1/2/2018	1/3/2018	Wells Fargo	Rewards Annual Membership Fee		\$75.00	41-5090801000
				Omni Rancho Las Palmas Rancho Mirage CA (charge was later credited on 1/17/18)			
2	1/2/2018	1/3/2018	Omni	Deposit to hold block of rooms for Center of Excellence Workshop		\$500.00	N/A
3	1/8/2018	1/8/2018	Dickey's BBQ	Dickey's Barbecue; January Board Meeting - Board of Directors		\$488.38	40-5090200002
				APTA Seminar; 2018 APTA Transit CEOs Seminar - Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager -			
4	1/11/2018	1/11/2018	APTA	Registration Fee		\$820.00	40-5090200000
				Blu Ember Omni Rancho Las Palmas; Center of Excellence Workshop - Dinner			
5	1/11/2018	1/11/2018	Blu Ember	(Reimbursable through FTA LONO Grant)		\$2,650.96	44-5039900013
				Daily Grill; Center of Excellence Worshop - Breakfast & Lunch			
6	1/12/2018	1/12/2018	Daily Grill	(Reimbursable through FTA LONO Grant)		\$3,209.33	44-5039900013
7	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	American Airlines	American Airlines Miami; APTA CEOs Seminar - Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager		\$464.61	40-5090200000
8	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	American Airlines	American Airlines Miami (Seat Upgrade); APTA CEOs Seminar - Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager		\$70.04	40-5090200000
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							(\$376.71)
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9	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	APTA Housing	APTA Seminar Lodging; Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager - Deposit for 2 rooms		\$753.42	(\$376.71)
							40-5090200000 (\$850)
				APTA Legislative Conference; Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager & Tommy D. Edwards, Chief			11-5090200000
10	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	APTA	Operating Officer - Registration Fees		\$1,700.00	(\$850)
10	1/1//2010	1/1//2010	7.0 17.1	Hotels.com (charge was credited on the same day) - room for Jeanette Jaurez, Budget		ψ1,7 00.00	(\$030)
11	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	Hotels.com	Manager/Financial Analyst, cancelled	\$745.75	\$745.75	N/A
	, , -	, ,		Expedia.com (charge was credited on the same day) - room for Jeanette Jaurez, Budget	,	,	,
12	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	Expedia	Manager/Financial Analyst, cancelled	\$951.11	\$951.11	N/A
12	1/17/2010	1/17/2010	Ехреии	APTA CEOs Seminar Lodging; Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager - Room for 4 nights at Hyatt	<b></b>	<b></b>	N/A
13	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	Expedia	Regency Miami		\$1,441.84	40-5090200000
13	1/17/2018	1/17/2010	LAPEUIA	regency whatm		71,441.04	40-3030200000
14	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	Expedia	GFOA Budget Training; Jeanette Juarez - Room for 3 nights at Wyndham Anaheim Garden Grove		\$544.89	41-5090200000
				Additional charges for FareLock for flights for Lauren Skiver, CEO, and Tommy Edwards, COO, from		722	
15	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	United	Palm Springs to Washington, DC		\$21.98	40-5090200000
-	, ,	, ,		Omni Rancho Las Palmas Rancho Mirage CA (charge credited)		,	
16	1/17/2018	1/17/2018	Omni	Deposit refunded on the block of rooms for Center of Excellence Workshop	\$500.00		
17	1/23/2018	1/23/2018	Firehouse Subs	Lunch for Capital Projects Meeting	·	\$108.49	44-509020001
18	1/25/2018	1/25/2018	United	APTA Legislative Conference; Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager - Airfare		\$816.00	40-5090200000
-	1/25/2018	1/25/2018	United	APTA Legislative Conference; Tommy D. Edwards, Chief Operating Officer - Airfare		\$816.00	11-5090200000
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**Credits and Charges:** 

\$2,196.86 \$13,980.94

\$16,177.80

Total:

#### CONSOLIDATED BILLING CONTROL ACCOUNT STATEMENT

Prepared For	SUNLINE TRANSIT LUIS GARCIA		
Account Number			
Statement Closing Date	02/02/18		
Days in Billing Cycle	31		
Next Statement Date	03/02/1		
Credit Line	\$40,000		
Available Credit	\$25,335		

For 24-Hour Customer Service Call: 800-231-5511

Inquiries or Questions:

Wells Fargo SBL PO Box 29482 Phoenix, AZ 85038-8650

Payments:

Elite Card Payment Center PO Box 77066 Minneapolis, MN 55480-7766

**Payment Information** 

New Balance	\$14,664.07
Current Payment Due (Minimum Payment)	\$734.00
Current Payment Due Date	02/27/18

Thank you for using our Automatic Payment service. See the Important Information section below for your next scheduled payment.

If you wish to pay off your balance in full: The balance noted on your statement is not the payoff amount. Please call 800-231-5511 for payoff information.

**Account Summary** 

Previous Balance		\$683.13
Credits	*	\$2,196.86
Payments	-	\$0.00
Purchases & Other Charges	+	\$16,177.80
Cash Advances	+	\$0.00
Finance Charges	+	\$0.00
New Balance	=	\$14,664.07

**Cash Back Notice** 

Your next cash back reward is scheduled for 03/2018.

Congratulations! You've earned \$50 bonus cash back because your total company spend was at least \$10,000 in this billing period.

Wells Fargo Elite Cash Back Advantage

Previous Balance		\$7.83
Cash Earned this Month		\$139.06
Trades From Other Company Car	ds	\$0.00
Bonus/Adjustments		\$50.00
Cash Back Balance	=	\$196.89
Cash Awarded this Period	***************************************	\$0.00
Year to Date Cash Back Awarded		\$0.00

See reverse side for important information.

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DETACH HERE
Detach and mail with check payable to "Wells Fargo" to arrive by Current Payment Due Date.

Make checks payable to: Wells Fargo

Account Number	
New Balance	\$14,664.07
Total Amount Due (Minimum Payment)	\$734.00
Current Payment Due Date	02/27/18

Print address or phone changes:

Work (

Amount

Enclosed:

ELITE CARD PAYMENT CENTER YTG PO BOX 77066 MINNEAPOLIS MN 55480-7766

SUNLINE TRANSIT LUIS GARCIA 32505 HARRY OLIVER TRL THOUSAND PALMS CA 92276-3501

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CASH ADVANCES	25.240%	.06915%	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
TOTAL				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

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\$0.00

TOTAL \*FINANCE CHARGE\* PAID IN 2017

\$0.00

Summary of Sub Account Usage

Name .	Sub Account	Monthly	Spend
	Number Ending In	Spending Cap	This Period
LAURA SKIVER		40,000	\$13,905.94

#### **Transaction Details**

The transactions detailed on this Consolidated Billing Control Account Statement contain transactions made directly to this Control Account plus all transactions made on Sub Accounts. If there were no transactions made by a Sub Account that Sub Account will not appear.

Trans	Post	Reference Number	Description	Credits	Charges
01/02	01/03	2448461 QK00XTMJG9	REWARDS ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEE TOTAL 4484610004265941 \$75.00		75.00
		mary For LAURA SKIVER nber Ending In			
01/02	01/03	2475542QK4YBD7DRV	OMNI RANCHO LAS PALMAS RANCHO MIRAGE CA		500.00
01/08	01/08	2469216QT2XLB5SM9	DICKEYS CA-1249 RANCHO MIRAGE CA		488.38
01/11	01/11	2463923QWS66K970Q	APTA 202-4964800 DC		820.00
01/11	01/11	2475542QWM7ZER03V	BLU EMBER OMNI RANCHO LP RANCHO MIRAGE CA		2.650.96
01/12	01/12	2422443QX31T95GXA	GRILL CONCEPTS - P PALM DESERT CA		3,209.33
01/17	01/17	2443106D2WESNQGMK	AMERICAN AIR0012167998071 FORT WORTH TX		464.61
		02/09/18	SKIVER/LAURA		
		1 AA V	LOS ANGELES MIAMI		
		2 AA G	MIAMI LOS ANGELES		
01/17	01/17	2443106D2WESPE62A	AMERICAN AIR0010615627892 FORT WORTH TX		70.04
		01/17/18	SKIVER/LAURA		
		1 AA Y	RVU FEE		
01/17	01/17	2443106D20D17SFYX	APTA HOUSING OFFICE FALLS CHURCH VA		753.42
01/17	01/17	2463923D2S66KRFAG	APTA 202-4964800 DC		1,700.00
01/17	01/17	2469216D12XGGFEWY	HOTELS.COM144645938405 HOTELS.COM WA		745.75
01/17	01/17	2469216D12XGGG5T4	EXPEDIA 7323154416751 EXPEDIA.COM WA		951.11
01/17	01/17	2469216D12XHL2JHH	EXPEDIA 7323194283418 EXPEDIA COM WA		1,441.84
01/17	01/17	2469216D12XLN91B1	EXPEDIA 7323253648021 EXPEDIA.COM WA		544.89
01/17	01/17	2469216D22XWQ1PA4	UNITED 0162929455339800-932-2732 TX		21.98
01/17	01/17	7469216D12XLNA2EH	EXPEDIA 7323154416751 EXPEDIA COM WA	951.11	
01/17	01/17	7469216D12XM3L99V	HOTELS.COM144645938405 HOTELS.COM WA	745.75	
01/17	01/17	7475542D64YFRELDT	OMNI RANCHO LAS PALMAS RANCHO MIRAGE CA	500.00	
01/23	01/23	2422443D82ZXSJ4F9	FIREHOUSE SUBS #12 760-832-1760 CA		108.49
01/25	01/25	2469216D92X8B9VWK	UNITED 0162382714690800-932-2732 TX		816.00
		03/17/18	SKIVER/LAURALEE		
		1 UA Q	PALM SPRINGS DENVER		
		2 UA Q	DENVER WASHINGTON		
		3 UA Q	WASHINGTON CHICAGO		
		4 UA Q	CHICAGO PALM SPRINGS		
01/25	01/25	2469216D92X8B9VWV	UNITED 0162382714691800-932-2732 TX		816.00
		03/17/18	EDWARDS/TOMMYDALE		
		1 UA Q	PALM SPRINGS DENVER		

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#### CONSENT CALENDAR

DATE: March 28, 2018 RECEIVE & FILE

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

RE: Monthly Budget Variance Report for January 2018

#### Summary:

The budget variance report compares revenues and expenses to the respective line item budgets. The report identifies current monthly revenues and expenses as well as year to date (YTD) values. The current monthly budget values are calculated by taking 1/12<sup>th</sup> of the annual budget and the YTD budget values are calculated by dividing the yearly budget by the number of months progressed through the fiscal year.

- As of January 31, 2018, the organization's expenditures are \$1,545,738 under budget or 7.6% below the YTD budget.
- As requested at the February Finance/Audit Committee meeting, the budget variance report now includes a column representing the percentage of budget remaining.

The percentage of remaining budget is derived using the following equation;

#### Recommendation:

# SunLine Transit Agency Budget Variance Report January 2018

**Current Month** 

Year to Date

Description	FY 18 Total Budget	Actual	Budget	Favorable (Unfavorable)	YTD Actual	FY 18 YTD Budget	Favorable (Unfavorable)	Percentage Remaining
Operating Expenses:								
Wages & Benefits	25,128,991	2,094,592	2,094,083	(509)	13,632,678	14,658,578	1,025,901	45.7%
Services	2,665,156	213,289	222,096	8,808	1,719,740	1,554,674	(165,066)	35.5%
Fuels & Lubricants	1,983,085	147,211	165,257	18,046	1,032,616	1,156,799	124,183	47.9%
Tires	254,824	19,491	21,235	1,744	133,879	148,647	14,768	47.5%
Mi As of January 31, 2018, the organization's expenditures are \$1,5	1,554,425	120,846	129,535	8,689	901,365	906,748	5,382	42.0%
Utilities	1,919,372	142,503	159,948	17,445	1,080,507	1,119,634	39,127	43.7%
Casualty & Liability	1,885,324	(218,728)	157,110	375,839	811,867	1,099,772	287,906	56.9%
Taxes and Fees	168,200	15,797	14,017	(1,780)	117,861	98,117	(19,744)	29.9%
Miscellaneous Expenses	1,001,650	34,174	83,471	49,297	288,777	584,296	295,519	71.2%
Self Consumed Fuel	(1,681,000)	(134,836)	(140,083)	5,247	(918,346)	(980,583)	62,237	45.4%
Total Operating Expenses (Before Depreciation)	34,880,026	2,434,337	2,906,669	472,332	18,800,944	20,346,682	1,545,738	46.1%
•						41.7%		
Revenues:								
Passenger Revenue	2,984,371	250,603	248,698	1,905	1,697,394	1,740,883	(43,489)	43.1%
Other Revenue	2,469,132	271,664	205,761	65,903	1,639,348	1,440,327	199,021	33.6%
Total Operating Revenue	5,453,503	522,267	454,459	67,808	3,336,742	3,181,210	155,532	38.8%
Net Operating Gain (Loss)		\$ (1,912,071)			\$ (15,464,202)			
Subsidies:								
Local - Measure A	5,153,400	334,857	429,450	94,593	2,708,211	3,006,150	297,939	47.4%
State - LTF	18,753,800	1,218,581	1,562,817	344,236	9,855,482	10,939,717	1,084,235	47.4%
Federal - 5307, 5310, 5311, 5316, 5317 & CMAQ, LCTOP	5,519,323	358,633	459,944	101,310	2,900,510	3,219,605		47.4%
Total Subsidies	29,426,523	1,912,071	2,452,210	540,139	15,464,202	17,165,472		47.4%
Net Operating Gain (Loss) After Subsidies	\$ -	\$ -			\$ -			

# SunLine Transit Agency Budget Variance Report January 2018

Current Month		 Year to Date
	Favorable	 FY 18

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Operating Expenses:								
O <sub>I</sub> As of January 31, 2018, the organization's expenditures are \$1,5	9,537,771	804,631	794,814	(9,817)	5,166,908	5,563,700	396,791	45.8%
Operator & Mechanic Overtime	1,159,221	70,824	96,602	25,778	670,195	676,212	6,017	42.2%
Administration Salaries & Wages	5,302,986	431,975	441,916	9,941	2,782,245	3,093,409	311,164	47.5%
Administration Overtime	13,593	2,993	1,133	(1,860)	10,378	7,929	(2,449)	23.7%
Fringe Benefits	9,115,420	784,169	759,618	(24,551)	5,002,951	5,317,328	314,377	45.1%
Communications	218,000	14,448	18,167	3,718	99,690	127,167	27,477	54.3%
Legal Services - General	80,000	7,052	6,667	(385)	66,848	46,667	(20,181)	16.4%
Computer/Network Software Agreement	452,868	29,362	37,739	8,377	220,234	264,173	43,939	51.4%
Uniforms	112,550	3,107	9,379	6,272	45,677	65,654	19,977	59.4%
Contracted Services	458,822	35,564	38,235	2,672	215,137	267,646	52,509	53.1%
Equipment Repairs	7,500	156	625	469	2,285	4,375	2,090	69.5%
Security Services	103,604	8,967	8,634	(333)	59,957	60,436	479	42.1%
Fuel - CNG	1,565,432	101,894	130,453	28,559	814,891	913,169	98,278	47.9%
Fuel - Hydrogen	243,501	32,893	20,292	(12,601)	117,382	142,042	24,660	51.8%
·	254,824	19,491	20,292	1,744	133,879	148,647		47.5%
Tires	72,400			2,158	33,956		14,768	53.1%
Office Supplies		3,876	6,033			42,233	8,277	
Travel/Training	142,033	3,915	11,836	7,921	65,540	82,853	17,312	53.9%
Repair Parts	1,218,100	80,784	101,508	20,725	736,803	710,558	(26,245)	39.5%
Facility Maintenance	43,000	5,118	3,583	(1,535)	27,210	25,083	(2,127)	36.7%
Electricity - CNG & Hydrogen	175,000	15,309	14,583	(725)	103,798	102,083	(1,715)	40.7%
Natural Gas	1,446,372	104,216	120,531	16,315	817,571	843,717	26,146	43.5%
Water	7,500	452	625	173	2,510	4,375	1,865	66.5%
Insurance Losses	1,136,702	(271,977)	94,725	366,702	530,155	663,076	132,921	53.4%
Insurance Premium - Property	13,315	1,049	1,110	61	7,341	7,767	426	44.9%
Repair Claims	200,000	3,230	16,667	13,436	27,006	116,667	89,660	86.5%
Fuel Taxes	168,200	15,797	14,017	(1,780)	117,861	98,117	(19,744)	29.9%
Other Expenses	3,312,312	259,879	276,026	16,147	1,840,879	1,932,182	91,303	44.4%
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Net Operating Gain (Loss) After Subsidies	\$ -	\$ -			\$ -			

#### Passenger Revenue - Unfavorable

- Fixed-route ridership has continued to decrease.
- System Total Ridership is presently 103,731 trips below FY17 YTD amounts.
- Ridership is currently at 4.2% below FY17 YTD totals.
- The ridership demand follows a seasonal pattern. Ridership is higher October through April.

Ridership

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	FY17-Jan	FY18-Jan	Variance	%∆				
Fixed Route	343,928	340,121	(3,807)	-1.1%				
Paratransit	13,419	12,939	(480)	-3.6%				
SolVan	-	2,228	2,228					
System Total	357,347	355,288	(2,059)	-0.6%				

Ridership

	YTD-FY17	YTD-FY18	Variance	%∆
Fixed Route	2,402,691	2,294,785	(107,906)	-4.5%
Paratransit	96,597	92,122	(4,475)	-4.6%
SolVan	-	8,650	8,650	
System Total	2,499,288	2,395,557	(103,731)	-4.2%

#### Other Revenue - Favorable

• The favorable balance is due to higher revenues than budgeted amounts for Taxi Smart Card, Outside Fueling Revenue, and Emissions Credit Revenue.

The increase in fueling revenue is mainly attributed to higher sales from Burrtec than previously anticipated. Burrtec has yet to complete its fueling station and has therefore been purchasing a higher quantity of CNG than initially budgeted.

	YTD - January		YTD Budget		Variance	%∆
TAXI SMART CARD	\$	64,511	\$	27,222	\$ 37,289	137.0%
OUTSIDE FUELING REVENUE	\$	897,342	\$	700,000	\$ 197,342	28.2%
EMISSIONS CREDITS REVENUE	\$	517,369	\$	437,500	\$ 79,869	18.3%

#### Operator & Mechanic Salaries & Wages - Favorable

- Contributing factors include operators using vacation time, sick time, short-term disability, long-term disability. Also, there are some vacant positions.
- The favorable balance is primarily attributed to vacant operator positions.
- Department 12 Operations Fixed Route has five vacant operator positions.
- Department 14 Operations Paratransit has five vacant paratransit operator positions.
- Other factors include operators and mechanics using vacation time, sick time, short-term disability, and long-term disability.

  Department 12 Operations Fixed Route has four operators on long-term disability and one part-time operator out on workers compensation leave.
- For January there was an increase in wages due operators and mechanics working through an observed holiday in January.

#### **Operator & Mechanic Overtime - Favorable**

• Operator and Mechanic Overtime is within an acceptable range of the budgeted amount.

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January								
	Unscheduled	Total						
Scheduled	Overtime	Overtime	Total					
Overtime (Hours)	(Hours)	(Hours)	Expense					
153	1,241	1,394	\$ 44,342					
N/A	659	659	\$ 16,449					
N/A	193	193	\$ 8,025					
	Scheduled Overtime (Hours) 153 N/A	Scheduled Overtime Overtime (Hours) (Hours) 153 1,241 N/A 659	Scheduled Overtime Overtime (Hours) (Hours) (Hours)  153 1,241 1,394  N/A 659 659					

YTD-January

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	Scheduled Overtime (Hours)	Unscheduled Overtime (Hours)	Total Overtime (Hours)	F	Total Expense			
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Fixed Route	2,462	11,953	14,415	\$	459,847			
Paratransit	N/A	6,868	6,868	\$	162,463			
Mechanics	N/A	1,153	1,153	\$	41,328			

#### **Administration Salaries & Wages - Favorable**

- There are several vacant positions across the agency (e.g., Field Supervisor, Fixed Route Controller, Paratransit Reservationist, Paratransit Controller, Grants Analyst, Accounting Technician, CAO, DCOO)
- Also, consultant expenses vary throughout the year.

#### **Administration Overtime - Unfavorable**

- Vacancies across the agency contribute to the unfavorable balance in overtime.
- Department 13 Ops Admin Paratransit had an unfavorable variance due to staff working two holidays in January.
- Department 41 Finance had an unfavorable variance in overtime due to staff working on year-end tax form preparations.
- Department 45 Customer Service had a negative variance in January due to staff having to work on two holidays in the month.

#### Fringe Benefits - Favorable

- Fringe benefits are favorable due to vacant positions across the agency.
- The unfavorable variance in January is attributed to the annual unemployment tax expense.
   Additionally, health insurance benefit expenses increased in January.

#### **Communications - Favorable**

• The favorable variance is mainly attributed to an allowance for additional internet circuits as well as other devices for users and buses. The IT department has adjusted its communication plan for FY 2018 and may not consume all of the communication costs.

#### Legal Services - General - Unfavorable

- General legal counsel costs are higher than anticipated.
- YTD January SunLine had 342.64 billable hours from Burke, Williams, and Sorenson.

#### Computer/Network Software Agreement - Favorable

- Budget is twelve-period allocation, but some expenses are yet to be incurred (i.e., software programs).
- The following programs will be incurred in the later part of the year:

Barracuda - provides web filters, spam filters, and email archive

Keystone - support for SYSCO devices

Cummins Software - utilize to run diagnostics on Cummins engines

Lansweeper - network management tool.

#### **Uniforms - Favorable**

- At the beginning of the fiscal year, operators are given a \$300 credit toward uniform expenses.
- The favorable balance is due to operators not yet using their annual credit. The costs will vary throughout the year depending on when the operator uses his or her uniform credit.

#### **Contracted Services - Favorable**

- Budget is twelve-period allocation, but some expenses are yet to be incurred.
- Contracted service expenses vary throughout the year (e.g., SVC Towing and Freight in department 22 are utilized on an on need basis, web hosting expenses not yet incurred, hazardous waste disposal fees not yet incurred).

#### **Equipment Repairs - Favorable**

• Equipment repair costs vary depending on the needs of the agency (i.e., Shop Equipment, Farebox).

#### **Security Services - Favorable**

• Security Service expenses are within an acceptable range of the budget.

#### Fuel - CNG - Favorable

• Internal consumption has decreased by 12,066 GGE's below FY17 YTD amounts.

The lower internal consumption is primarily attributed to a decrease in total miles traveled FY18 YTD in comparison to the last fiscal year.

#### **Internal GGE Usage**

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			Variance	%∆	%∆				
	GGE Usage	Variance	Previous	FY17 vs	Previous				
		FY17 vs. FY18	Month	FY18	Month				
January FY 17	109,967								
January FY 18	110,221	254	1,911	0.23%	1.76%				
December FY 18	108,310								
YTD January FY 17	853,907								
YTD January FY 18	841,841	(12,066)		-1.41%					

#### Fuel - Hydrogen - Favorable

• The favorable variance is primarily attributed to a lower quantity of mechanical failures.

The reduction in mechanical failures means that more hydrogen gas is produced in-house as opposed to ordering the fuel through an outside source at a higher cost.

• Two fuel buses were down long-term for significant repairs.

FC5 was down for an APS controller from 09/13/17 to 12/17/17.

FC6 was down for a radiator replacement from 05/14/17 to 11/30/17.

#### Tires - Favorable

The favorable variance is primarily attributed to a decrease in total miles traveled YTD in comparison to the last fiscal year.

#### Office Supplies - Favorable

Office supplies are a variable expense; costs vary throughout the year as required.

#### Travel/Training - Favorable

Travel & training savings can be attributed to different times at which training sessions are attended.

#### Repair Parts - Unfavorable

- Aging fleet has led to the unpredictability of component failures and therefore have increased the number of repairs.
- In January fixed route had costs of \$57,041 for preventative maintenance services to the fleet.
- For January paratransit had expenses of \$17,341 for engine rebuilds (e.g., Lower intake manifold, Upper Intake Manifold, Injector Harness). The additional expenses for Paratransit repair parts are due to two Ford Block Engine Rebuilds, a Transmission, and a Smart Drive System.
- Additionally, there is an increase of \$4,000 in support vehicle repair parts over the previous fiscal year.

The additional expenses for Support Vehicles are due to a higher quantity of tire expenses, and more substantial costs (e.g., power steering).

Two Fixed Route buses required engine rebuilds.

#### **Facility Maintenance - Unfavorable**

- In the first quarter, there were high expenses for plumbing related issues and electrical issues in the Thousand Palms facility.
- In January there were higher expenses for general parts. Additionally, there was an expense for a portable toilet rental due to a water main break on the south side of the property.

#### Electricity - CNG & Hydrogen - Unfavorable

- Electricity for CNG and hydrogen costs are higher in the summer months and begin to decrease in the winter months.
- Additionally, the increase in sales of outside fuels leads to increased production of CNG and therefore higher electricity usage.

#### Natural Gas - Favorable

- The favorable balance of natural gas costs is primarily attributed to an average \$0.07 decrease in internal GGE cost over YTD-FY17.
- In January there were 3,232 more GGE's used for outside fueling sales than in the previous month.
- GGE outside usage has increased 27,938 GGE's above FY17 YTD amounts.

#### **Outside GGE Usage**

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			Variance	%∆	%∆
		Variance	Previous	FY17 vs	Previous
	GGE Usage	FY17 vs FY18	Month	FY18	Month
January FY 17	48,536				
January FY 18	53,824	5,288	3,232	10.90%	6.39%
December FY 18	50,592				
YTD January FY 17	332,831				
YTD January FY 18	360,769	27,938		8.39%	

#### Water and Gas - Favorable

- Gas expenses in the Indio facility follow a seasonal pattern. The costs begin to increase in the winter months.
- The Bus Wash has been down for different repairs and therefore has used less water.

#### Insurance Losses - Favorable

- The favorable variance is mainly attributed to large reconciliations for accrued insurance liabilities.
- Deposit premiums are intended to cover claim expenses and settlements. Annual deposit premiums are based on actuarially-determined rates for each coverage layer (pool), based on estimates of the probable losses.
- Insurance losses can vary widely from month to month.

#### **Insurance Premium - Property - Favorable**

• Insurance premiums for the property are within an acceptable range of the budgeted amount.

#### **Repair Claims - Favorable**

- Repair claims can vary significantly from month to month.
- As of January, there have been a total of 55 collisions, that is an increase on one collision over the fiscal year 2017.

Though there is an increase in the number of collisions, the average dollar cost is significantly lower.

The decrease in repair claim expenses is attributed to accidents being minor in scale (e.g., collisions with gates, mirror to mirror contacts or collisions with trash bin).

#### **Fuel Taxes - Unfavorable**

- The unfavorable balance of fuel taxes is due to a higher quantity of outside fueling sales.
- Outside fueling sales are currently \$81,392 above FY17 YTD amounts.
- For January sales have increased \$13,016 from the previous month.

#### **Outside Fueling Revenue**

		Ĭ		Va	riance	%∆	%∆
		V	ariance	Pr	evious	FY17 vs	Previous
	Revenue	FY1	7 vs FY18	N	/lonth	FY18	Month
January FY 17	\$ 120,836						
January FY 18	\$ 133,853	\$	13,016	\$	7,099	10.77%	5.60%
December FY 18	\$ 126,754						
YTD January FY 17	\$ 815,949						
YTD January FY 18	\$ 897,342	\$	81,392			9.98%	

#### Other Expenses - Favorable

• Other expenses are within an acceptable range of the budgeted amount. Costs vary from month to month depending on the needs of the agency (e.g., medical exams and testing, consulting fees, recruiting employees, temporary help services).

#### **Self Consumed Fuel - Favorable**

• The favorable balance FY18 YTD is primarily attributed to a decrease in total miles traveled FY18 YTD in comparison to FY17 YTD. There is a decrease of 39,702 miles traveled in FY18 YTD in comparison to FY17 YTD.

#### Mileage

	December FY18	January FY18	Variance	%∆
Fixed Route	316,777	321,925	5,148	1.6%
Paratransit Passenger	92,812	99,678	6,866	7.4%
System Total	409,589	421,603	12,014	2.9%

#### Mileage YTD-December

	YTD-FY17	YTD-FY18	Variance	%∆
Fixed Route	2,277,063	2,264,493	(12,570)	-0.6%
Paratransit Passenger	719,618	692,486	(27,132)	-3.8%
System Total	2,996,681	2,956,979	(39,702)	-1.3%

# **CONSENT CALENDAR**

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TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

RE: Contracts Signed in Excess of \$25,000 February 2018

# Summary:

The attached report summarizes SunLine's contracts signed in excess of \$25,000. For the month of February, there was one contract signed with Andrea Carter & Associates for marketing services.

# **Recommendation:**

# Contracts Signed in Excess of \$25,000

# February 2018

Vendor	Product/Service	Need	Budgeted	Budgeted Amount	Cost	Туре
Andrea Carter &	Marketing Services	Marketing services for the Agency.	FY18/FY19 Operating	\$ 75,000.00	\$ 60,000.00	Executed Agreement
Associates	0 11 0 111		budget	, -,	,,	Board Approved

#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

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**Board of Directors** 

RE: Union & Non-Union Pension Investment Asset Summary January 2018

# Summary:

The pension asset summary demonstrates the book and market value of all assets as well as the total asset allocation for SunLine's bargaining and non-bargaining retirement plans. The following table states the target and range values for asset allocations based on the current investment policy:

	Target	Range
Equities	60%	35 – 75%
Fixed Income	40%	25 – 64%
Cash & Equivalent	0%	0 – 10%

# Recommendation:

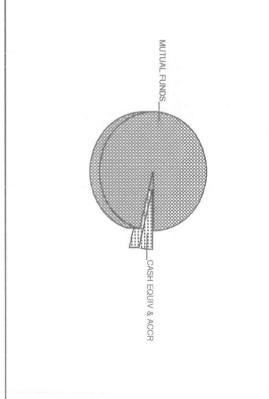
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SUNLINE TRANSIT AGENCY - NON-UNION ACCOUNT 6746032100

# ASSET SUMMARY

ASSETS	01/31/2018 MARKET	01/31/2018 % OF BOOK VALUE MARKET	MARKET
Cash And Equivalents	277,210.39	277,210.39	1.00
Mutual Funds-Equity	18,262,994.70	15,881,961.59	66.03
Mutual Funds-Fixed Income	9,119,690.05	9,275,307.94	32.97
Total Assets	27,659,895.14	25,434,479.92	100.00
Accrued Income	253.45	253.45	0.00
Grand Total	27,660,148.59	25,434,733.37	100.00
Estimated Annual Income	592,825.37		



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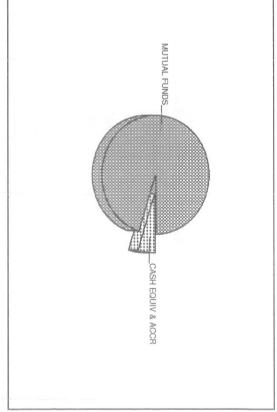
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# ASSET SUMMARY

ASSETS	01/31/2018 MARKET	01/31/2018 % OF BOOK VALUE MARKET	MARKET
Cash And Equivalents	510,298.18	510,298.18	1.89
Mutual Funds-Equity	17,680,512.84	15,375,421.10	65.43
Mutual Funds-Fixed Income	8,828,740.95	8,979,392.59	32.67
Total Assets	27,019,551.97	24,865,111.87	99.99
Accrued Income	3,750.91	3,750.91	0.01
Grand Total	27,023,302.88	24,868,862.78 100.00	100.00

**Estimated Annual Income** 

576,818.61



#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

DATE: March 28, 2018 RECEIVE & FILE

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

RE: Quarterly Performance Summary for Q4 of Calendar Year 2017

# Summary:

At the February 2018 Finance/Audit Committee meeting, it was requested that staff provide the performance of the assets invested in the Agency's retirement plans. The following quarterly performance summary demonstrates the performance of the bargaining and non-bargaining pension plans for the fourth quarter of calendar year 2017. The report shows market value, asset allocation percentage and performance over multiple time frames compared to benchmarks.

This report will be added to the consent calendar on a quarterly basis moving forward.

# Recommendation:

# **Asset Allocation & Performance**

	Allocat	ion				Performa	nce(%)		
	Market Value (\$)	%	1 Quarter	2017	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since Inception	Inception Date
Total Fund	26,155,070	100.00	3.80	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.49	07/01/2017
Blended Benchmark			3.93	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.14	07/01/2017
PFM Blended Benchmark			3.66	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.19	07/01/2017
Equities	16,767,319	64.11	5.86	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	11.19	07/01/2017
Russell 3000 Index			6.34	21.13	21.13	11.12	15.58	11.20	07/01/2017
PFM Blended Equity Benchmark			5.88	23.26	23.26	10.02	12.50	11.31	07/01/2017
Vanguard Total Stock Index	9,949,835	38.04	6.34	21.17	21.17	11.08	15.55	11.17	07/01/2017
Russell 3000 Index			6.34	21.13	21.13	11.12	15.58	11.20	07/01/2017
T. Rowe Price Dividend Growth	789,665	3.02	5.63	19.33	19.33	9.61	14.14	8.54	07/01/2017
S&P 500			6.64	21.83	21.83	11.41	15.79	11.42	07/01/2017
Vanguard Total International Stock	2,109,908	8.07	4.88	27.55	27.55	8.53	7.12	11.12	07/01/2017
Vanguard International Value	1,390,448	5.32	4.90	27.96	27.96	7.74	7.35	11.95	07/01/2017
J. O. Hambro International Select	1,663,358	6.36	4.05	22.89	22.89	7.44	12.55	10.02	07/01/2017
MSCI AC World ex USA (Net)			5.00	27.19	27.19	7.83	6.80	11.48	07/01/2017
Oppenheimer International Small-Mid Company	864,106	3.30	6.25	38.30	38.30	16.68	18.30	13.08	07/01/2017
MSCI AC World ex USA Small Cap (Net)			6.56	31.65	31.65	11.96	10.03	13.92	07/01/2017
Fixed Income	8,901,769	34.03	0.43	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.57	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Aggregate			0.39	3.54	3.54	2.24	2.10	1.24	07/01/2017
Baird Core Plus	2,940,924	11.24	0.56	4.65	4.65	3.15	2.91	1.61	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Aggregate			0.39	3.54	3.54	2.24	2.10	1.24	07/01/2017
DoubleLine Core Fixed Income	1,329,803	5.08	0.47	4.66	4.66	3.12	2.97	0.09	09/01/2017
Prudential Total Return Bond Fund	893,457	3.42	1.12	6.71	6.71	3.84	3.54	0.77	09/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Aggregate			0.39	3.54	3.54	2.24	2.10	-0.09	09/01/2017
Vanguard Interm-Term Invest. Grade	2,929,656	11.20	0.16	4.15	4.15	3.16	2.76	1.25	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Credit 5-10 Year Index			0.44	5.57	5.57	3.81	3.30	1.85	07/01/2017
Vanguard High Yield Corporate	807,928	3.09	0.11	7.13	7.13	5.58	5.21	2.15	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Corp: High Yield			0.47	7.50	7.50	6.35	5.78	2.45	07/01/2017
Cash Equivalent	485,982	1.86	0.24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.46	07/01/2017
First American Prime Obligation - Z	485,982	1.86	0.31	0.98	0.98	0.44	0.27	0.59	07/01/2017



# **Asset Allocation & Performance**

	Allocat	ion				Performa	ınce(%)		
	Market Value (\$)	%	1 Quarter	2017	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since Inception	Inception Date
Total Fund - Non-Bargaining	26,785,633	100.00	3.82	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.51	07/01/2017
Blended Benchmark			3.93	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.14	07/01/2017
PFM Blended Benchmark			3.66	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.19	07/01/2017
Equities	17,319,716	64.66	5.78	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	11.12	07/01/2017
Russell 3000 Index			6.34	21.13	21.13	11.12	15.58	11.20	07/01/2017
PFM Blended Equity Benchmark			5.88	23.26	23.26	10.02	12.50	6.28	01/01/2001
Vanguard Total Stock Index	10,277,755	38.37	6.34	21.17	21.17	11.08	15.55	11.17	07/01/2017
Russell 3000 Index			6.34	21.13	21.13	11.12	15.58	11.20	07/01/2017
T. Rowe Price Dividend Growth	815,618	3.04	5.88	19.47	19.47	N/A	N/A	9.15	07/01/2017
S&P 500			6.64	21.83	21.83	11.41	15.79	11.42	07/01/2017
Vanguard Total International Stock	2,179,410	8.14	4.88	27.55	27.55	8.53	7.12	11.12	07/01/2017
Vanguard International Value	1,436,238	5.36	4.90	27.96	27.96	7.74	7.35	11.95	07/01/2017
J. O. Hambro International Select	1,718,171	6.41	4.05	22.89	22.89	7.44	12.55	10.02	07/01/2017
MSCI AC World ex USA (Net)			5.00	27.19	27.19	7.83	6.80	11.48	07/01/2017
Oppenheimer International Small-Mid Company	892,524	3.33	6.25	38.30	38.30	16.68	18.30	13.08	07/01/2017
MSCI AC World ex USA Small Cap (Net)			6.56	31.65	31.65	11.96	10.03	13.92	07/01/2017
Fixed Income	9,195,203	34.33	0.43	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.59	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Aggregate			0.39	3.54	3.54	2.24	2.10	1.24	07/01/2017
Baird Core Plus	3,037,867	11.34	0.56	4.65	4.65	3.15	2.91	1.61	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Aggregate			0.39	3.54	3.54	2.24	2.10	1.24	07/01/2017
DoubleLine Core Fixed Income	1,373,638	5.13	0.47	4.66	4.66	3.12	2.97	0.09	09/01/2017
Prudential Total Return Bond Fund	922,909	3.45	1.12	6.71	6.71	3.84	3.54	0.77	09/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Aggregate			0.39	3.54	3.54	2.24	2.10	-0.09	09/01/2017
Vanguard Interm-Term Invest. Grade	3,026,228	11.30	0.16	4.15	4.15	3.16	2.76	1.25	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Credit 5-10 Year Index			0.44	5.57	5.57	3.81	3.30	1.85	07/01/2017
Vanguard High Yield Corporate	834,560	3.12	0.11	7.13	7.13	5.58	5.21	2.15	07/01/2017
Blmbg. Barc. U.S. Corp: High Yield			0.47	7.50	7.50	6.35	5.78	2.45	07/01/2017
Cash & Equivalent	270,714	1.01	0.24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.46	07/01/2017
First American Prime Obligation - Z	270,714	1.01	0.31	0.98	0.98	0.44	0.27	0.59	07/01/2017



#### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

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Board of Directors

RE: Ridership Report for February 2018

# Summary:

System-wide ridership this February decreased 4.3% versus February 2017.

Ridership							
	Feb 2017	Feb 2018					
Fixed Route	350,849	330,536					
Van Pool	0	1,922					
Sundial	12,692	12,086					
System Total	363,541	344,544					

Factors to consider when comparing to a year ago:

- Revenue service hours this February were 4% lower than last February. The main contributor to the reduction in revenue service hours was due to the January 7, 2018 service changes.
- 9 out of 16 fixed routes saw an increase in ridership in comparison to February of last year.

#### Recommendation:



# SunLine Transit Agency Monthly Ridership Report February 2018

FY	
2017 & 2018	

		Feb 2018	Feb 2017	Jan 2018	Month	%	FY 2018	FY 2017	YTD	%			T 1411	
Lino	Fixed Route  Description				Var.	Var.	YTD	YTD	Var.	Var.	Bik Monthly	es YTD	Wheel Monthly	Ichairs YTD
Line 14	DHS/PS	51,340	53,902	52,637	(2,562)	-4.8%	404,949	415,553	(10,604)	-2.6%	1,582	12,798	494	4,536
15	DHS	9,844	9,211	9,982	633	6.9%	76,450	68,444	8,006	11.7%	134	991	68	567
20	DHS/PD	2,511	2,398	1,892	113	4.7%	15,610	16,508	(898)	-5.4%	86	641	12	68
21	PD	1,168	_,-,	876	1,168	100.0%	2,044	-	2,044	100.0%	56	73	20	25
24	PS	14,609	13,703	14,659	906	6.6%	107,213	107,525	(312)	-0.3%	353	2,704	94	791
30	CC/PS	51,294	56,771	54,245	(5,477)	-9.6%	421,574	459,486	(37,912)	-8.3%	1,672	16,404	313	3,598
32	PD/RM/TP/CC/PS	20,796	20,544	21,029	252	1.2%	156,442	163,750	(7,308)	-4.5%	845	6,368	104	696
53	PD/IW	-	4,328	650	(4,328)	-100.0%	21,867	32,697	(10,830)	-33.1%	-	893	_	152
54	Indio/LQ/IW/PD	7,292	6,885	5,932	407	5.9%	47,341	50,209	(2,868)	-5.7%	266	1,705	36	260
70	LQ/BD	14,454	16,175	15,455	(1,721)	-10.6%	106,226	117,238	(11,012)	-9.4%	489	3,752	15	205
80	Indio	12,391	11,705	12,737	686	5.9%	86,087	95,155	(9,068)	-9.5%	183	1,844	51	850
81	Indio	7,785	7,010	8,416	775	11.1%	60,166	57,145	3,021	5.3%	65	580	41	347
90	Coachella/Indio	5,661	12,332	6,415	(6,671)	-54.1%	67,616	98,028	(30,412)	-31.0%	51	1,063	59	516
91	I/Cch/Th/Mec/Oas	13,836	14,885	13,641	(1,049)	-7.0%	121,641	114,170	7,471	6.5%	186	2,322	10	255
95	I/Cch/Th/Mec/NS	1,997	2,487	1,899	(490)	-19.7%	14,724	19,822	(5,098)	-25.7%	27	317	1	80
111	PS to Indio	114,527	117,513	118,598	(2,986)	-2.5%	905,880	929,057	(23,177)	-2.5%	4,410	34,669	585	5,224
220	PD to Riverside	1,031	1,000	1,058	31	3.1%	9,491	8,753	738	8.4%	15	254	9	78
	Fixed Route Total	330,536	350,849	340,121	(20,313)	-5.8%	2,625,321	2,753,540	(128,219)	-4.7%	10,420	87,378	1,912	18,248
SolVan	-	1,922	-	2,228	1,922	0.0%	10,572	-	10,572	100.0%				
	Demand Response													
SunDia		12,086	12,692	12,939	(606)	-4.8%	104,208	109,289	(5,081)	-4.6%				
	System Total	344,544	363,541	355,288	(18,997)	-5.2%	2,740,101	2,862,829	(122,728)	-4.3%				
	Weekdays:	<b>Feb-18</b> 20	<b>Feb-17</b> 20	<b>Jan-18</b> 22										
	Saturdays:	4	4	4										
	Sundays:	4	4	5										
	Total Days:	28	28	31										

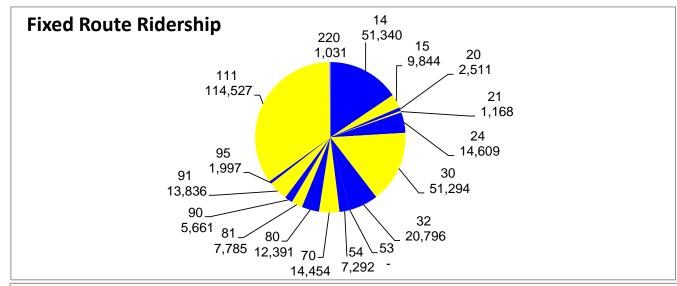
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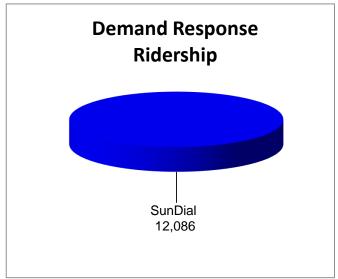
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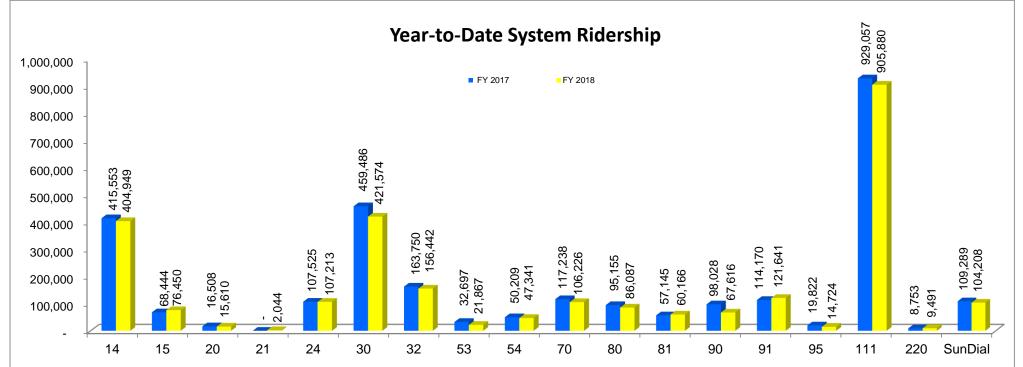
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<sup>\*</sup> Weekend Service on 1/1/2018 due to New Years Day.

# SunLine Transit Agency Monthly Ridership Report February - 2018







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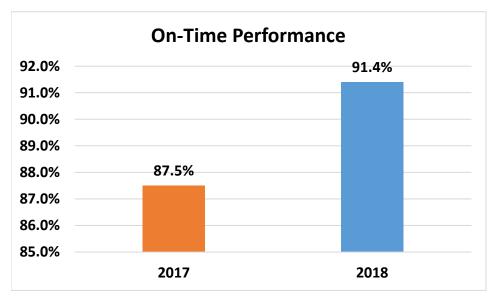
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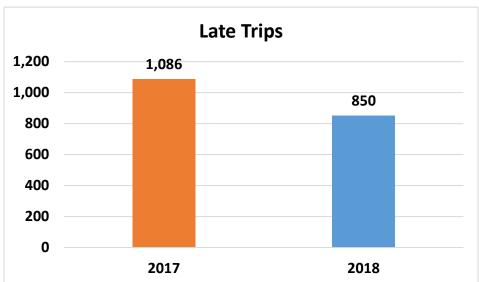
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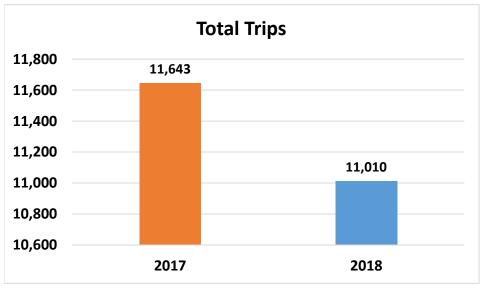
The attached report summarizes SunDial's operation for February 2018. Highlights of this report include an on-time performance percentage of 91.4 % compared to 87.5% in February 2017 and a total of 33 onboard inspections. Throughout the month, SunLine staff campaigned for road supervisors to focus on safety evaluations and onboard inspections.

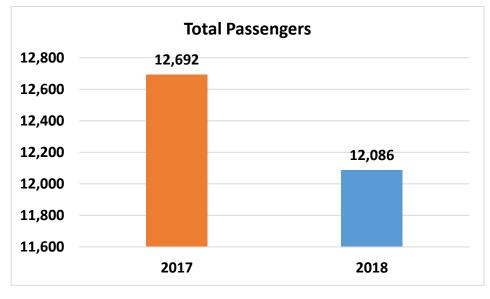
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# **SunDial Operational Notes FEBRUARY 2017/2018**

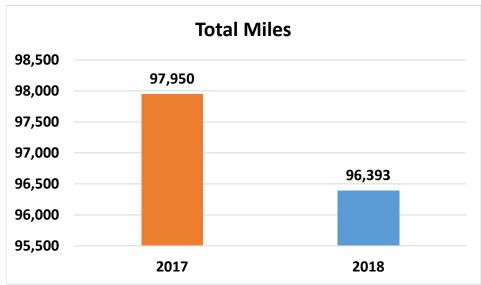


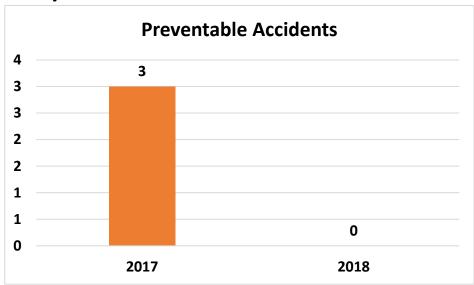


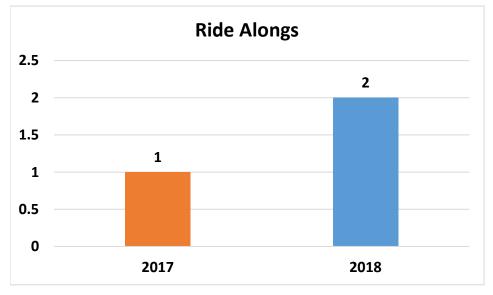


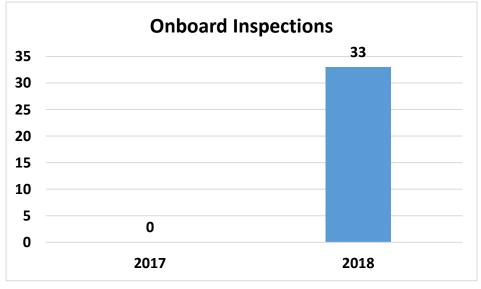


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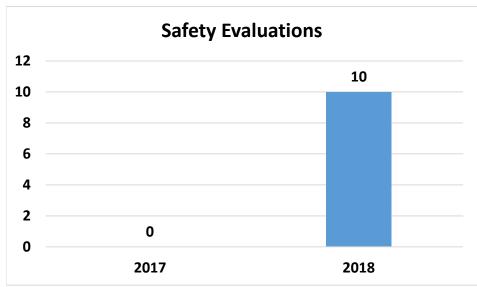




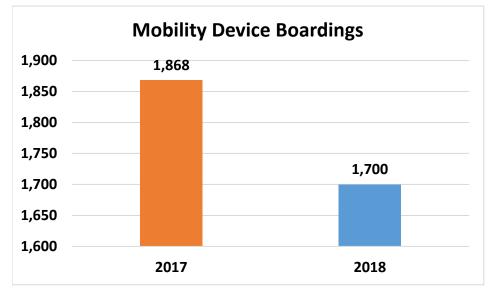




# **SunDial Operational Notes FEBRUARY 2017/2018**







#### CONSENT CALENDAR

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**Board of Directors** 

RE: Metrics for February 2018

#### Summary:

The metrics packet includes data highlighting on time performance, early departures, late departures, late cancellations, driver absence, advertising revenue, fixed route customer comments, paratransit customer comments, and system performance.

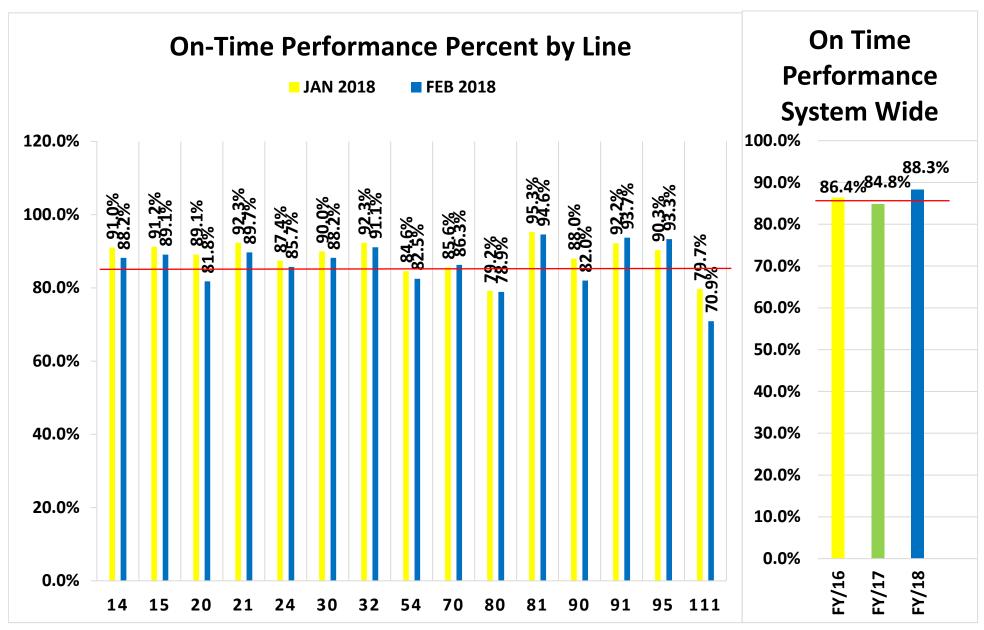
As requested at the February Finance/Audit Committee meeting, the metrics packet now includes charts noting which routes are performing and underperforming. These charts can be found from pages 44 to 46.

The charts are grouped into three categories: local routes, trunk routes and market-based services. A definition of each category is found below for the Board's reference.

- Local Routes Secondary routes that connect to the trunk routes and supplement the SunBus network. Local routes operate in areas with less density and lower demand.
- Trunk Routes Highly traveled corridors serving a variety of trip purposes and connect a variety of regional destinations. Trunk routes comprise the backbone of the network linking major communities.
- Market-Based Services Tailored to serve specific market segments at specific times of the day, including supplemental service. Market-based routes have flexible routing and schedules that may vary.

#### Recommendation:

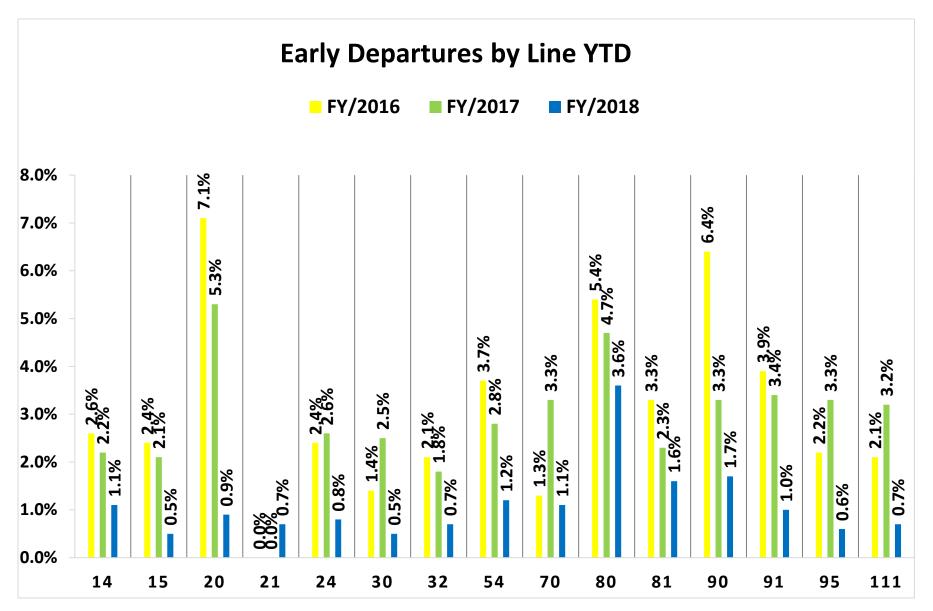
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**Definintion:** "On Time" - when a trip departs a timepoint within range of zero minutes early to five minutes late.

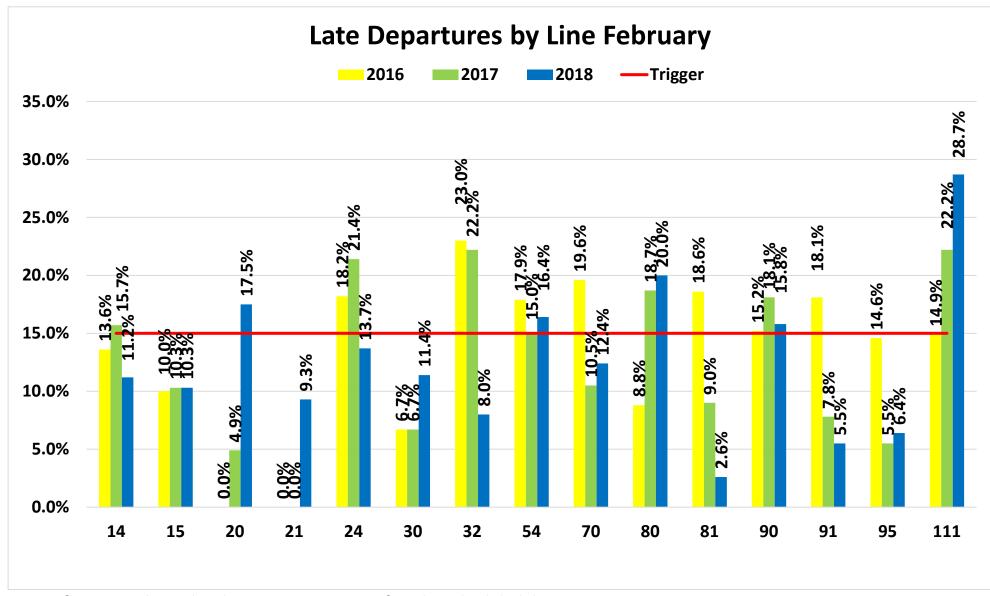
Goal: Minimum target for On Time performance is 85%.

**Exceptions:** Detours, train stuck on tracks, passenger problems, Avail System Issues



**Definition:** When a bus leaves a time point, ahead of the scheduled departure time.

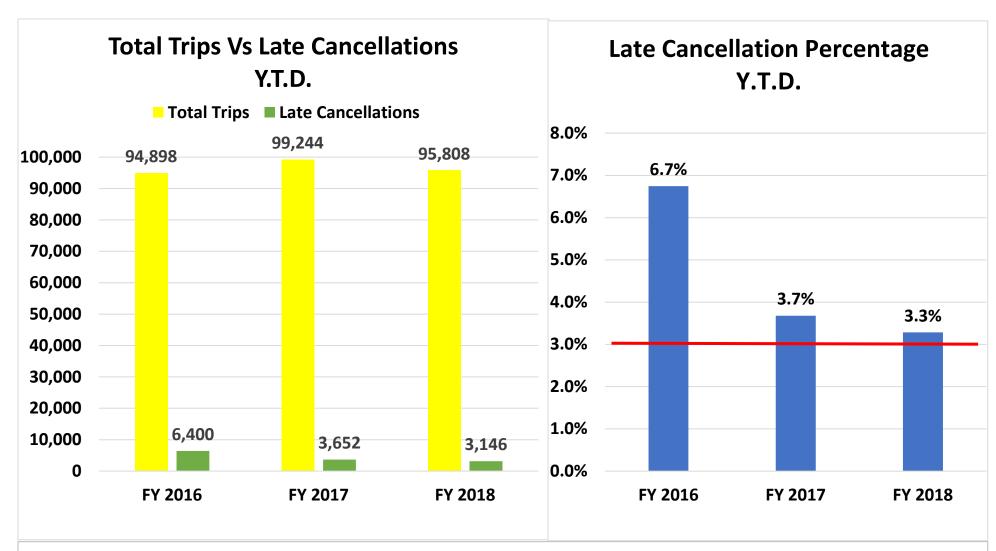
**Goal:** To reduce early departures to 0% for each line.



**Late Definition:** When a bus leaves a time point, after the scheduled departure time.

The line is running late with a departure greater than 5 minutes.

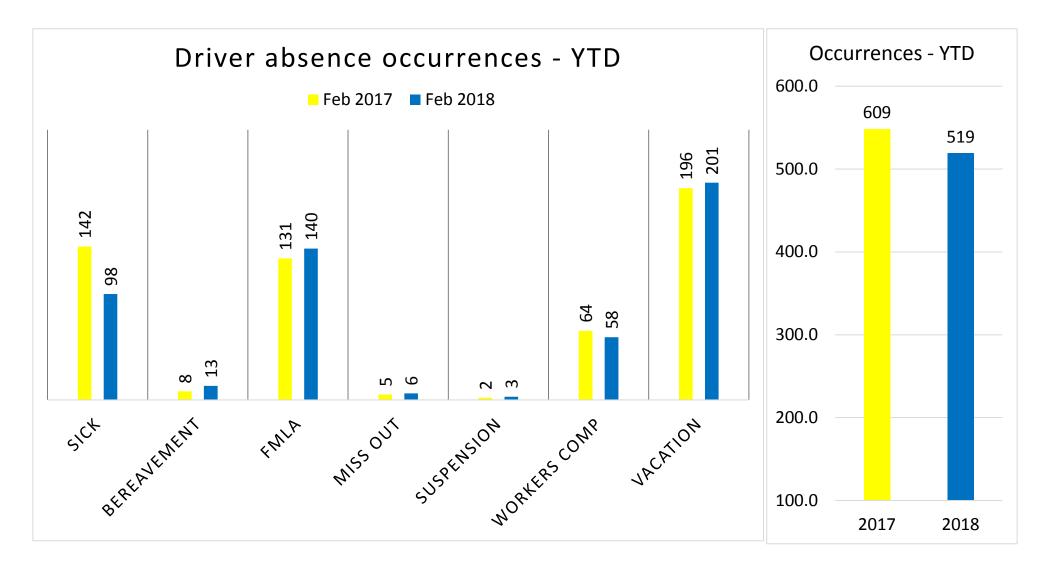
**Goal:** To reduce late departures to 15%



**Trip:** A one-way ride booked by the client. A round trip is counted as two trips.

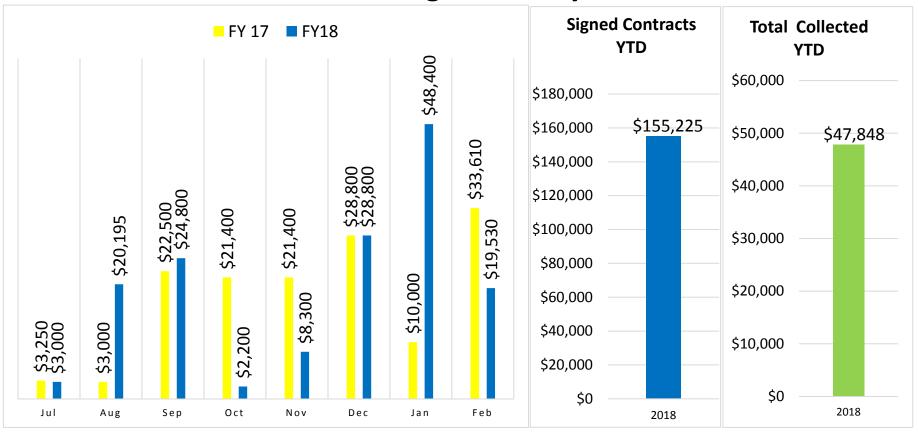
Late cancellation: A trip for which an ADA client does not cancel within 2 hours before the scheduled pick up time.

Goal for Late Cancellations: 3% or below.



Goal: reduce by 2% - By enforcing attendance policy regularly and monitor trending - Absences include scheduled &unscheduled for Fixed Route drivers. Vacation occurrences added as of September 2015 metric.

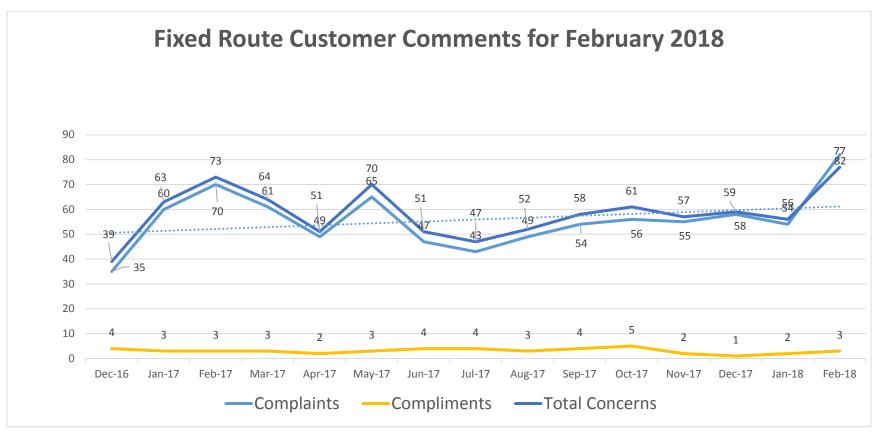
# **Contracted Advertising - February - YTD FY18**



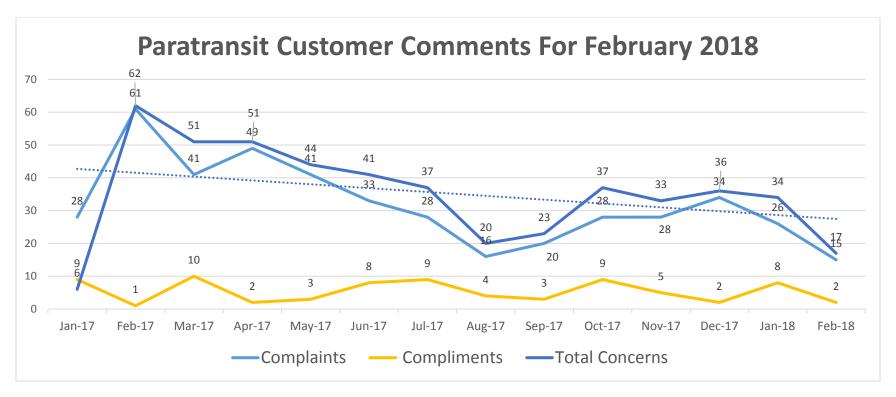
Tracks monthly advertising revenue earned (contracted) and received for bus shelters and exterior bus advertising. Does not include "Barter Contracts"

Tracks receivables - payments received for the previous month .

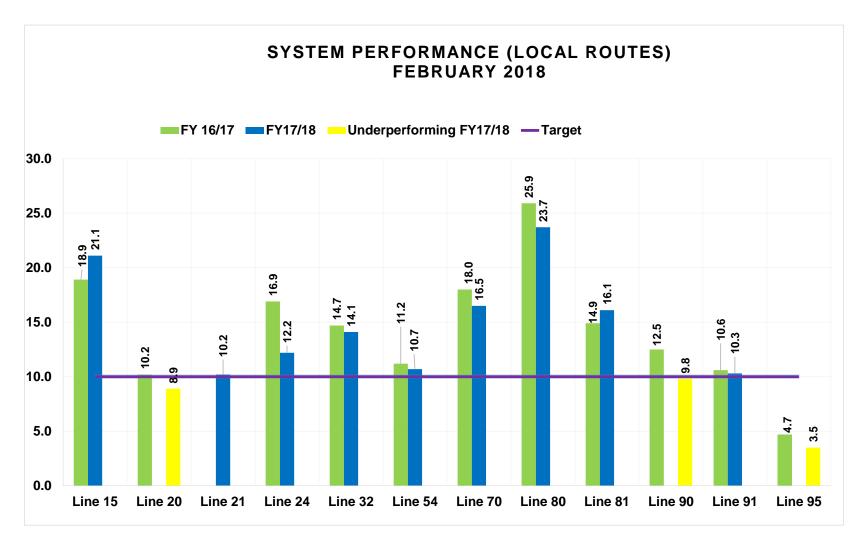
The goal is \$225,000 for FY 18



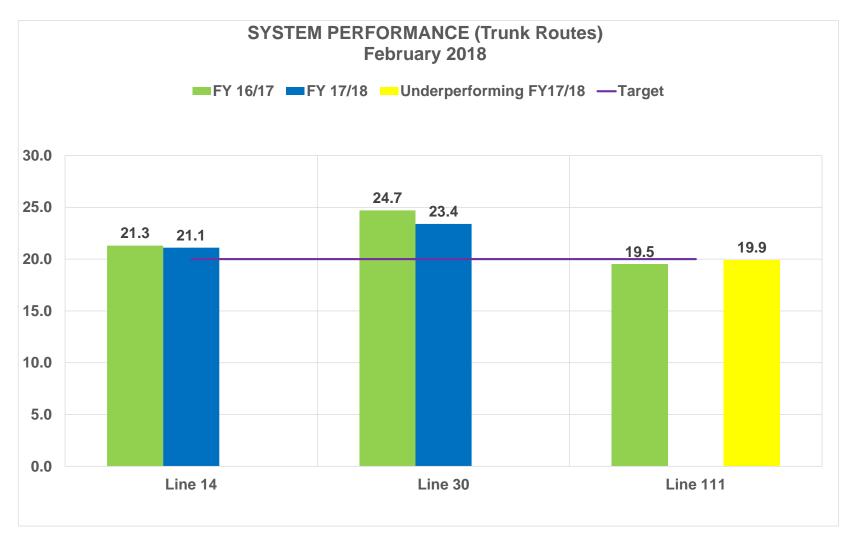
All Fixed-Route concerns, both compliments and complaints for February 2018. There has been a marked rise in complaints – almost exclusively driven by the delays and pass-bys relating to those delays on the 111.



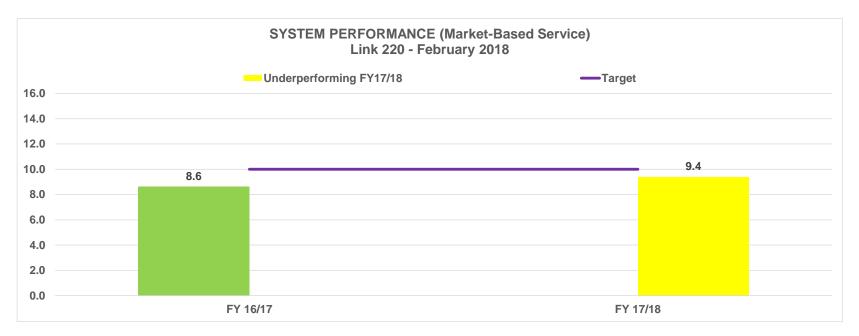
All Paratransit concerns, both compliments and complaints for February 2018. Significant drop in complaints that report February well under the trend line. Good job to Paratransit and the service they provide.



The chart above represents the system performance on local routes for passenger per revenue hour (PPRH). The goal for local fixed routes is 10 PPRH. The FY17/18 goal tier is based on board approved service standards policy.



The chart above represents the system performance on trunk routes for passengers per revenue hour (PPRH). The goal for trunk routes is 20 PPRH. The FY17/18 goal tier is based on board approved service standards policy.



The chart above represents the system performance on market-based service for Link 220 for passengers per revenue trip (PPRT) . The goal for market-based service is 10 PPRT. The FY17/18 goal tier is based on board approved service standards policy.

## **CONSENT CALENDAR**

DATE: March 28, 2018 RECEIVE & FILE

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

RE: Board Member Attendance for February 2018

## Summary:

The attached report summarizes the Board of Directors' attendance for fiscal year-to-date February 2018.

#### **Recommendation:**

Receive and file.

FY 17/18	Board Member Matrix Attendance													
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total Meetings	Total Attended
Desert Hot Springs	X		Χ	X			Χ	Χ					10	5
Palm Desert	X		Χ	X		Χ	Χ	Χ					10	6
Palm Springs			X	X		Х		X					10	4
Cathedral City	Х		Χ	X		Х	Х	Χ					10	6
Rancho Mirage	Х		Χ	X		Х		Χ					10	5
Indian Wells	Х		Χ	X		Х		Χ					10	5
La Quinta	Х		Χ	X		Х	Х	Χ					10	6
Indio	Х		Χ	X		Х	Х	Χ					10	6
Coachella	Х		Χ	Х				Χ					10	4
County of Riverside	Х		Χ	Х		Х	Х	Χ					10	6

X - ATTENDED (Primary/Alternate)

DARK –

DATE: March 28, 2018 INFORMATION

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Russell Betts, Chairman of the Board

RE: Budget and Funding Shortfall

#### **Background**

Staff and general counsel are directed to ensure that all federal and state public transportation dollars that are allocated for transit provision are directed to SunLine Transit Agency so that we, as the policy setting board, can make more comprehensive decisions regarding public transportation options. Staff and general counsel are also directed to review our JPA and any other regulations to determine our rights and responsibilities as the transportation operator in the Coachella Valley.

DATE: March 28, 2018 DISCUSSION

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Lauren Skiver, CEO/General Manager

RE: Haul Pass Program

#### Background

SunLine has begun working on a new Haul Pass Program, wherein the Agency proposes to make fixed route bus transportation free for college, and potentially, high school students, if funding amounts are adequate.

Transportation is often a barrier for the Coachella Valley's youth seeking education and employment opportunities. SunLine has incorporated all major learning institutions in its service area with the strong belief that transportation options and economic burdens play a significant role in a student's ability to successfully enroll and obtain a college degree. Many areas in California and throughout the nation currently provide free bus transportation to college students using their student ID. Some of the areas close to this region include Riverside and San Bernardino.

After showing great success with College of the Desert's 31-day pass pilot program, the Agency is looking to expand this benefit to CSUSB Palm Desert Campus students. The goal is to incentivize public transportation for the region's students.

State law prohibits making services free without replacing that revenue with alternative sources. SunLine will need to replace approximately \$500,000 in annual revenue to launch this program. As such, SunLine will be applying LCTOP funding (corresponding information found in Action Item 15) towards this project. Additionally, the Agency plans to engage with each of the respective cities to request a match. In the long term, SunLine will be seeking a commitment from local colleges to subsidize the program by adding a transportation fee to student enrollment, which is how other student passes have been funded around the country. This type of change requires approval by the student body. Therefore, the plan is to offer the program for 12 to 24 months to study usage before students are asked to vote on the change.

#### **MINUTES**

#### SunLine Transit Agency Board of Directors Meeting February 28, 2018

A regular meeting of the SunLine Transit Agency Board of Directors was held at 12:09 p.m. on Wednesday, February 28, 2018 in the Board Room at SunLine Transit Agency, 32-505 Harry Oliver Trail, Thousand Palms, CA 92276.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 12:09 p.m. by Chairperson Russell Betts.

#### 2. ROLL CALL

#### Members Present:

Russell Betts, Chair, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Desert Hot Springs Troy Strange, Vice Chair, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Indio Greg Pettis, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Cathedral City Robert Radi, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of La Quinta Kathleen Kelly, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Palm Desert V. Manuel Perez, SunLine Agency Board Member, County of Riverside Emmanuel Martinez, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Coachella Ty Peabody, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Indian Wells Lisa Middleton, SunLine Agency Board Member City of Palm Springs G. Dana Hobart, SunLine Agency Board Member, City of Rancho Mirage

#### 3. PRESENTATIONS

None.

#### 4. FINALIZATION OF AGENDA

No changes to the agenda.

#### 5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

#### 6. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

None.

#### 7. CONSENT CALENDAR

- a) Checks over \$1,000 report for December 2017 (Page 1-5)
- b) Credit Card Statement for December 2017 (Page 6-8)
- c) Monthly Budget Variance Report for December 2017(Page 9-14)
- d) Contracts Signed in Excess of \$25,000 January 2018 (Page 15)
- e) Union & Non Union Pension Investment Asset Summary December 2017 (Page 16-17)
- f) Ridership Report for December 2017 and January 2018 (Page 18-21)
- g) SunDial Operational Notes for December 2017 (Page 22-24)
- h) Metrics (On time Performance, Early Departures, Late Departures, Late Cancellations, Driver Absence, Advertising Revenue, Fixed Route Customer Comments, Paratransit Customer Comments) January 2018 (Page 25-32)
- i) Board Member Attendance for January 2018 (Page 33)

SunLine Agency Board Member Peabody moved to approve the consent calendar. The motion was seconded by SunLine Agency Board Member Radi. The consent calendar was approved by a unanimous vote of 10 yes; 0 no; 0 abstain

# 8. UPDATE ON ADA PARATRANSIT CERTIFICATION AND ELIGIBILITY PROCESS REFORM

An update was provided by Tamara Miles, Paratransit Administration Manager.

#### 9. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

SunLine Agency Board Member Kelly moved to approve the minutes of the January 24, 2018 Board meeting. The motion was seconded by SunLine Agency Board Member Radi. The motion was approved by a vote of 7 yes; 0 no; 3 abstain

#### 10. CONTRACT FOR CLEAN AGENT FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEM

Finance/Audit Committee Chair Kaplan (Alternate) reported that this item was brought to the committee and they unanimously approved the item. SunLine Agency Board Member Kaplan (Alternate) motioned to approve the Contract for Clean Agent Fire Suppression System and the motion was seconded by Board Member Radi. The motion carried by a unanimous vote of 10 yes; 0 no; 0 abstain

#### 11. TECHNICAL SUPPORT FOR HYDROGEN SYSTEM INSTALLATION

Finance/Audit Committee Chair Kaplan (Alternate) reported that this item was brought to the committee and they unanimously approved the item. SunLine Agency Board Member Kaplan (Alternate) motioned to approve the Agreement for Technical Support for Hydrogen System Installation and the motion was seconded by Board Member Radi. The motion carried by a unanimous vote of 10 yes; 0 no; 0 abstain

#### 12. OPTION YEAR THREE (3) WITH VASQUEZ & CO., LLP

Finance/Audit Committee Chair Kaplan (Alternate) reported that this item was brought to the committee and they unanimously approved the item. SunLine Agency Board Member Kaplan (Alternate) motioned to approve: the ratification of option year two of three and the delegation to the CEO/General Manager to execute option year three of three with Vasquez & Company, LLP, and the motion was seconded by Board Member Radi. The motion carried by a unanimous vote of 10 yes; 0 no; 0 abstain

# 13. RESOLUTION NO. 0767 TO OBTAIN STATE OF GOOD REPAIR PROGRAM FUNDING

Finance/Audit Committee Chair Kaplan (Alternate) reported that this item was brought to the committee and they unanimously approved the item. SunLine Agency Board Member Kaplan (Alternate) motioned to approve Resolution No. 0767 to Obtain State of Good Repair Program Funding and the motion was seconded by Board Member Martinez. The motion carried by a unanimous vote of 10 yes; 0 no; 0 abstain

#### 14. CEO/GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

A report was provided to the Board by CEO/General Manager, Lauren Skiver.

#### 15. CLOSED SESSION

There was no reportable action.

#### 16. NEXT REGULAR BOARD MEETING DATE

Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at 12:00 p.m. SunLine Transit Agency Board Room 32-505 Harry Oliver Trail Thousand Palms. CA 92276

#### 17. MEETING ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Brittney B. Sowell
Clerk of the Board

DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

TO: Board of Directors

FROM: Vanessa Mora, Compliance Officer

RE: Approve New ACCESS Advisory Committee Member

#### Recommendation

Recommend that the Board of Directors approve the addition of one new member to the ACCESS Advisory Committee as approved and presented by the current members.

#### **Background**

The ACCESS Advisory Committee is comprised of community members who meet monthly to assist SunLine in providing and expanding innovative public transit service to the Coachella Valley. At the March 13, 2018 ACCESS Advisory Committee meeting, currently seated members approved one new member as presented to them by the Membership Subcommittee.

The Access Advisory Committee By-Laws grants the authority to add or terminate members of the committee to the SunLine Transit Agency Board of Directors.

The Committee is structured to have fifteen (15) seats and there are currently five (5) vacancies.

#### The recommended new member is:

Joan Shoan
SunLine Transit Rider/Advocate

There are no known conflicts of interest.

#### Financial Impact

No financial impact.

DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

TO: Strategic Planning & Operational Committee

**Board of Directors** 

FROM: Vicky Castaneda, Special Assistant to Deputy Chief Administration

Officer

**RE:** Proposed May 2018 Service Changes

#### **Recommendation**

Staff recommends that the Board of Directors approve the proposed May 2018 service changes.

#### **Background**

In continuation of SunLine's "It's Time to Rethink How We Do Transit," staff is continually working to "right size" the system to meet the needs of our customers. One of the areas of review was the application of the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) funds, which were approved by the Board of Directors in March 2017 to improve service frequency on the Line 80 and 81.

After a review of these two lines, it was determined that the most efficient use of the \$249,672 award was to fund frequency improvements, from sixty (60) minutes to thirty (30) minutes, for the Line 80 through the remainder of FY18 and through FY19. These funds were awarded to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and improve mobility.

In addition, SunLine will be making minor adjustments to schedules to improve efficiency for our riders with minor changes to Line 14, 20 Express, 21, 24, 90, 91, and 111.

Attached are the details of the May 2018 service changes:

- Proposed service changes May 06, 2018 (Attachment #1)
- Public hearing comments (Attachment #2)

#### Financial Impact

The financial impact is an increased cost of \$39,486 for FY18 and \$257,347 for FY19. SunLine will utilize the awarded LCTOP funds available for Line 80 in the amount of \$249,672. The remaining estimated cost of \$68,933 will be sourced from FY18 and

FY19 operating funds. This amount will be subtracted from our planned savings from the January service changes.

Fiscal Year FY18 FY18	Funding LCTOP funds for Line 80 Operating	<b>Amount</b> \$30,335 \$9,151
FY19	LCTOP funds for Line 80	\$197,566
FY19	Operating	\$59,781



# Proposed Service Changes May 06, 2018

#### **Lines 14: Improve route connectivity**

 Benefits: Improve passenger connectivity to first Eastbound Line 111 trips via Line 14 Southbound

#### Line 20 Express: Modify service to accommodate resources used

• Benefits: Reduces the need to exchange vehicles throughout the schedule

#### Line 21: Modify service to accommodate resources used

• Benefits: Reduces the need to exchange vehicles throughout the schedule

#### Line 24: Improve schedule adherence and performance

• Benefits: Improve reliability of service

#### Line 80: Improve frequency and route realignment

• Benefits: Improve frequency from 60-minutes to 30-minutes and rider access by realigning route to provide closer service to the Walmart Center (see map details below).

#### Line 90: Improve schedule efficiency

Benefits: Improve reliability of service

#### Line 91: Improve schedule efficiency

• Benefits: Reduction in cost by removing unnecessary recovery time. Adding four (4) eastbound trips from HWY 111/Flower to 5th/Vine and four (4) westbound trips from 5th/Vine to HWY 111/Flower

#### Line 111: Improve schedule adherence and performance

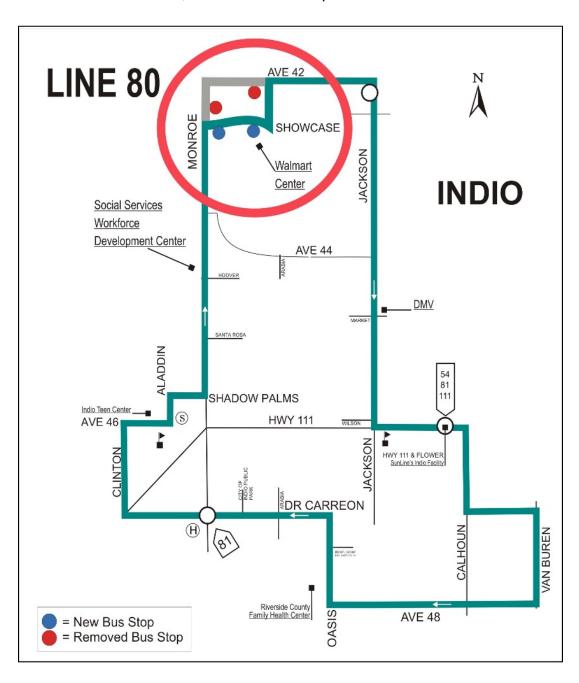
Benefits: Improve service reliability

#### Line 80 - Indio

Line 80 operates in a clockwise loop serving residents of the City of Indio, providing access to hospitals, social service centers, employment centers, senior centers, library, community centers, schools, and shopping centers. Line 80 operates on a 60-minute frequency seven days a week. Service span is 6:00 a.m. to 8:45 p.m. Increasing service to 30-minute frequency on weekdays is proposed for this route. To support this proposed service enhancement, SunLine received Low-Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) grant funds.

SunLine is also proposing a route realignment to serve the Walmart Center east of Monroe and south of Avenue 42.

The proposed improvements are planned for implementation as part of the May 6, 2018 service changes. At which time, two (2) bus stops will be removed from Monroe and Avenue 42 and installed on Showcase, as seen on the map.





## **PUBLIC HEARING COMMENTS**

# **Proposed May Service Change**

#### **Public Hearing #1**

Palm Desert Library 73-300 Fred Waring Drive Palm Desert, Ca 92260 Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

#### Speaker #1

Comment 1: Requested earlier and later service on new Line 21.

Comment 2: Rider was grateful for the proposed improvements to Line 80!

#### Speaker #2

Comment 1: Requested service to the Polo Grounds on Avenue 52 or Avenue 50 in the City of Indio.

Comment 2: Was happy to hear of the proposed changes to Line 80, as well as the proposed closer service to the Walmart center on Avenue 42 and Monroe.

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#### **Public Hearing #2**

Palm Desert Library
73-300 Fred Waring Drive
Palm Desert, Ca 92260
Wednesday, March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

No Comments.

#### **Public Hearing #3**

Mizell Senior Center 480 S. Sunrise Way Palm Springs, CA 92262 Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

#### Speaker #1

Comment 1: Is pleased to hear of the proposed changes to Line 80 and the time cut in half.

Comment 2: Requested a note on which side of the street the bus would end at Ramon/San Luis Rey for Lines 24 and 32 interlining on the weekends in the rider's guide.

Comment 3: Asked if SunLine was prepared with an action plan in case of closure at the wash located on Gene Autry Trail.

#### Speaker #2

Comment 1: Requesting frequency improvement to Line 30 from every 40-minutes to every 30-minutes on weekends.

Comment 2: Request to have SunLine fix the lights at the bus shelters

#### Speaker #3

Comment 1: Liked the proposed improvements to Line 80.

#### **Public Hearing #4**

Mizell Senior Center 480 S. Sunrise Way Palm Springs, CA 92262 Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

#### Speaker #1

Comment 1: Thanked SunLine for addressing a concern that affected the college students in Desert Hot Springs who were late for class due to the Line 20.

#### Speaker #2

Comment 1: Requested to have the Line 30 schedule revert back to the way it was by 5-minutes prior to the January 2018 service changes.

Comment 2: This rider had prior incidents on the Line 14/30 interline where the bus's head-sign did not change, therefore the bus was in operation while displaying the incorrect route.

## **Additional Outreach Efforts**

- Transportation Now Meeting March 1, 2018 at 12:00 noon
- SunLine Outreach Feedback Meeting March 6, 2018 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
- Thermal/Oasis Transportation for Better Mobility Workshops March 5 & 6, 2018 from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- ACCESS Meeting March 13, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.
- Public Hearing information was posted on SunLine's website, social media sites, in the newspaper, on all fixed route buses, and at major bus stop locations within the service area.

DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

**TO:** Board Operations Committee

**Board of Directors** 

FROM: Norma Stevens, Public Outreach Specialist

RE: Approve Media Policy No. B-130118

#### Recommendation

Recommend that the Board of Directors approve the proposed Media Policy No. B-130118.

#### **Background**

SunLine Transit Agency recognizes that one of the most effective and quickest ways to communicate SunLine policies and activities to its stakeholders is by working in cooperation with news media.

Inquiries from the news media should be responded to as quickly and efficiently as possible. Every effort should be made to meet media deadlines and to ensure that all information released is accurate.

The adoption of SunLine Media Policy No. B-130118 creates uniformity within all SunLine Transit Agency departments in reference to media guidelines.

#### Financial Impact

No financial impact.

SunLine Transit Agency Media Policy Policy No: B-130118

Adopted: 03/28/2018

# **MEDIA POLICY**

#### **PURPOSE**

SunLine Transit Agency recognizes the need to create uniformity among all departments in reference to media guidelines. This policy establishes guidelines to ensure all communication between the media and SunLine Transit Agency are handled in a professional manner, effectively and accurately.

#### **SCOPE**

This policy applies to all SunLine Transit Agency employees, contractors and the media.

#### **POLICY**

SunLine Transit Agency, acting in a proprietary capacity, operates public bus service in the Coachella Valley. SunLine Transit Agency recognizes that one of the most effective ways to communicate SunLine policies and activities to its stakeholders is by working in conjunction with the media. Inquiries from the news media should be responded to as quickly and accurately as possible.

#### **PROCEDURES**

- All requests from the media should be referred to the Public Outreach Specialist or designee with a copy sent to the Chief Administration Officer. SunLine Transit Agency will request the inquiry be provided via e-mail and determine the most appropriate person to comment or address the information being sought by the media.
- 2. On some occasions, employees may be asked to speak to the media to impart their expertise on certain subjects but will do so at the direction of their department chief.
- The primary objective for routing reporter inquiries to the Public Outreach Specialist
  or designee is to ensure an accurate, effective, timely and coordinated response, and
  to prevent conflicting or mixed messages from being disseminated to the public.

4. Depending on the specific circumstances, the CEO/General Manager may designate a staff member to serve as spokesperson on a particular issue.

#### A. Statements To The Media:

Statements on behalf of or attributed to SunLine Transit Agency must be factually accurate, free of personal opinions, directly reflective of adopted policies and procedures, and as clear and concise as possible.

#### **B.** Reporter Deadlines:

Recognizing that the media is often operating under tight deadlines, the Agency will strive to ensure that they are effectively served within the requested deadlines.

#### C. Meetings/Events:

All meetings/events that are open to the public are, by definition, open to the media.

- a. Members of the media must have approval from SunLine Transit Agency before interviewing, filming or photographing staff on SunLine property unless they are covering a public event.
- 5. Litigation, Criminal Action and Personnel:

#### A. Personal Points of View:

- a. It is recognized that all employees have the right to their personal opinions regarding any issue. However, employees who write letters to the editor of any newspaper or publication may not use official SunLine Transit Agency stationary. If an employee chooses to identify themselves as a SunLine employee in any personal letter or email to the editor, they must include language which states the views set forth in the letter do not represent the views of the Agency, but rather personally held opinions. Similar disclaimers must be given if an employee addresses a public meeting, participates in a radio talk show, or is interviewed for a radio or television program unless the employee has approval from SunLine Transit Agency to be officially representing the Agency.
- b. In general, SunLine Transit Agency does not comment on matters that involve pending litigation, matters involving a significant exposure to litigation, criminal action and certain personnel-related information. However, all efforts will be made to provide as much background information as can be disclosed.

#### **Crisis or Emergency Issues**

During a major crisis or emergency (natural or manmade disaster), staff shall follow media communication procedures as stated in the Agency's Emergency Response Plan.

DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

TO: Board Operations Committee/

**Board of Directors** 

FROM: Eric Taylor, Deputy Chief Financial Services

RE: Approve Financial Audit Rotation Policy No. B-060118

#### Recommendation

Recommend that the Board of Directors approve the proposed Financial Audit Rotation Policy No. B-060118.

#### **Background**

In February 2018, the final option year for financial auditing services was brought to the Finance/Audit Committee for approval. During the discussion, a question was posed regarding whether SunLine could establish a policy to limit the tenure of financial auditors.

After a review of the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Circular 4220.1F regarding third party contracting, it was determined that establishing an Agency policy regarding financial audit rotation would meet the needs of preserving the public interest, while maintaining guidelines on open competition.

## Financial Impact

No financial impact.

SunLine Transit Agency Financial Audit Rotation Policy Policy No: B-060118

Adopted: 03/28/2018

# FINANCIAL AUDIT ROTATION POLICY

#### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this document is to establish a three (3) year limitation on financial auditing agreements between SunLine Transit Agency and outside contractors and to require staff conducting auditing services to be rotated on an annual basis.

#### **SCOPE**

Individuals covered by this policy are outside contractors who engage in financial auditing agreements with SunLine Transit Agency.

#### **POLICY**

In order to preserve the public interest in the use of public funds, SunLine Transit Agency will limit the duration of executed agreements for financial auditing services to a period no longer than three (3) years, inclusive of any available option years. Chapter VI, Section 3 - Methods of Procurement, of the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Circular 4220.1F states that less than full and open competition is allowable if it is within the public interest.

#### **PROCEDURES**

Solicitations for financial auditing services will include documentation that a contractor will be excluded from submitting a bid or proposal if they have been the contracted vendor within the preceding three (3) years. It will also document that in the situation where a financial auditing contractor is conducting more than a single years' audit, staff conducting the financial audit must be rotated on an annual basis.

DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

FROM: Anita M. Petke, Transit Communication Services Specialist

**RE:** Service Provider Agreement with Rothbart Development Corp.

#### Recommendation

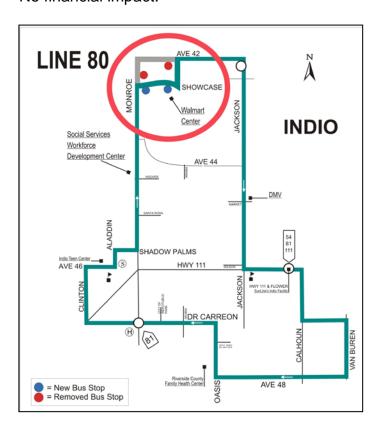
Recommend that the Board of Directors delegate authority to SunLine Transit Agency's (SunLine) CEO/General Manager to negotiate and execute a 10-year service provider agreement with Rothbart Development Corp. for bus access and bus stop(s) to be placed at The Palms property located at Avenue 42 and Monroe Street in the City of Indio.

#### **Background**

This agreement will allow SunLine to install and maintain two (2) stops as well as allow bus access on The Palms property adjacent to the Walmart Center. These service enhancements will allow riders more convenient access to the Walmart Center. SunLine anticipates implementing these services improvements as part of the May 6, 2018 service changes.

#### **Financial Impact**

No financial impact.



DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

FROM: Eric Taylor, Deputy Chief Financial Services

**RE:** Resolution No. 0768 to Obtain Low Carbon Transit Operations

**Program Funding** 

#### **Recommendation**

Recommend that the Board of Directors approve Resolution No. 0768, which grants authorization to the CEO/General Manager to execute the certifications and assurances, Authorized Agent Form, and required documentation to obtain the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) FY 2017-18 funding.

#### **Background**

SunLine's various funding agencies require a resolution from the Board of Directors authorizing the CEO/General Manager to act on behalf of the Agency in completing the necessary paperwork to obtain program funds.

The State Legislature approved SB 862, which establishes long-term funding programs from the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund for Transit, Affordable Housing, and Sustainable Communities Program. Five percent of these funds are appropriated by the State Controller and administered by Caltrans to the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program. The LCTOP provides funding allocations based on criteria included in the Public Utilities Code, which are based on population and farebox revenue. SunLine will be submitting for an appropriated funding award of \$696,048, which can be utilized to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and improve mobility with a priority on serving disadvantaged communities.

The award will be utilized to establish a "Haul Pass" program, which will fund public transportation for local college students in the Coachella Valley. The goal is to build a program which, utilizing assistance from local cities and schools, can become self-sustaining to provide this beneficial service to the community.

#### Financial Impact

The financial impact is \$696,048 in program funding, which will be budgeted in the upcoming FY 2018/19 SRTP.

#### SUNLINE TRANSIT AGENCY

#### **RESOLUTION NO. 0768**

# RESOLUTION AUTHORIZINGTHE EXECUTION OF THE CERTIFICATIONS AND ASSURANCES, AUTHORIZED AGENT FORM AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION FOR THE LOW CARBON TRANSIT OPERATIONS PROGRAM (LCTOP) FOR THE HAUL PASS PROJECT FOR \$696,048

WHEREAS, the SunLine Transit Agency is an eligible project sponsor and may receive state funding from the Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) for transit projects; and

WHEREAS, the statutes related to state-funded transit projects require a local or regional implementing agency to abide by various regulations; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 862 (2014) named the Department of Transportation (Department) as the administrative agency for the LCTOP; and

WHEREAS, the Department has developed guidelines for the purpose of administering and distributing LCTOP funds to eligible project sponsors (local agencies); and

WHEREAS, the SunLine Transit Agency wishes to delegate authorization to execute these documents and any amendments thereto to the CEO/General Manager; and

WHEREAS, the SunLine Transit Agency wishes to implement the LCTOP projects listed above,

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board Of Directors of the SunLine Transit Agency that the fund recipient agrees to comply with all conditions and requirements set forth in the certification and assurances and the Authorized Agent documents and applicable statutes, regulations and guidelines for all LCTOP funded transit projects.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the CEO/General Manager be authorized to execute all required documents of the LCTOP program and any Amendments thereto with the California Department of Transportation.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board Of Directors of the SunLine Transit Agency that it hereby authorizes the submittal of the following project nomination and allocation request to the Department in FY 2017-18 LCTOP funds:

ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF March, 2018

ATTEST:

Brittney B. Sowell Russell Betts
Clerk of the Board Chairman of the Board
SunLine Transit Agency SunLine Transit Agency

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Short description of project: This project will fund public transportation for

Project name: Haul Pass

General Counsel

Eric Vail

Amount of LCTOP Funds Requested: \$696,048

local college students in the Coachella Valley.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA	) )
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE	) SS. )
Transit Agency, do hereby cert	ELL, Clerk of the Board of Directors of the SunLine tify that Resolution No was adopted at a ard of Directors held on the day of the following vote:
AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
ABSTAIN:	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I ha	ave hereunto set my hand this day of
	Brittney B. Sowell Clerk of the Board SunLine Transit Agency

DATE: March 28, 2018 ACTION

TO: Finance/Audit Committee

**Board of Directors** 

FROM: Tommy D. Edwards, Chief Operating Officer

RE: Rejection of Bids 18-011 for CNG Equipment

#### Recommendation

Recommend that the Board of Directors reject all bids submitted in response to Invitation for Bid (IFB) 18-011 for Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Equipment.

#### **Background**

SunLine, as a leader in innovation, sought to save money by incorporating an innovative project delivery method. This method allowed the purchase of the equipment to proceed on a parallel track from the general contractor work. Several iterations of this method were attempted but none have produced the desired results. SunLine held a mandatory pre-bid conference, brought in contracted project management support, and had the IFB reviewed by an experienced engineering firm prior to this most recent solicitation. Notwithstanding these efforts, all bids received by SunLine contained some sort of condition or qualification which was not consistent with the Agency's requirements.

The technical challenges presented by the current acquisition method appears to involve defining the equipment sufficiently to promote competition while preserving the integrity of the bid process. The Agency has determined that this method is not consistent with supplier protocol.

Staff is recommending the rejection of all bids for Compressed Natural Gas fueling station equipment. The question of conditions and qualifications have been the subject of a protest in the past. As was the case before, these conditions and qualifications were in varying areas and unacceptable to SunLine.

This would be the third occasion where SunLine has received bids that included unacceptable conditions and qualifications to the bid terms and specifications. SunLine staff now recommends proceeding with a more conventional project delivery method that places the responsibility of project delivery on a single design/build firm. This conventional method is less likely to produce the desired cost savings, however staff believes it is more likely to obtain the needed equipment and facility in a timely manner. Since expanding

SunLine's CNG fueling capability is critical to SunLine's operations, adhering to the project schedule has become crucial to ensuring continuity of operations and a successful project.

# **Financial Impact**

No financial impact.