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**Board Report** 

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#### EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE JUNE 18, 2015

#### RECEIVE oral report on Civil Rights.

#### DISCUSSION

The presentation will cover recent developments in Civil Rights at Metro which includes the areas of accessibility and Equal Employment Opportunity. The highlights of the presentation include:

- Department of Transportation published new rule on Reasonable Modification
- MTS from San Diego completed a Peer Review of Metro ADA Compliance
- Affirmative Action Plan submitted to FTA and found no underutilization of minorities but significant underutilization of females at Metro
- ADA Complaints from passengers have dropped by about 40% as the operator enhanced ADA training has been rolled out
- Ridership on Rancho shuttle continuing to grow

#### **ATTACHMENTS**

Attachment A - Civil Rights Programs Compliance Update

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Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

# **Civil Right Programs Compliance**

# Executive Management Committee



## **Reasonable Modification**

 DOT Published new regulation requiring transit agencies to offer Reasonable Modification to individuals with disabilities

-Effective July 13, 2015

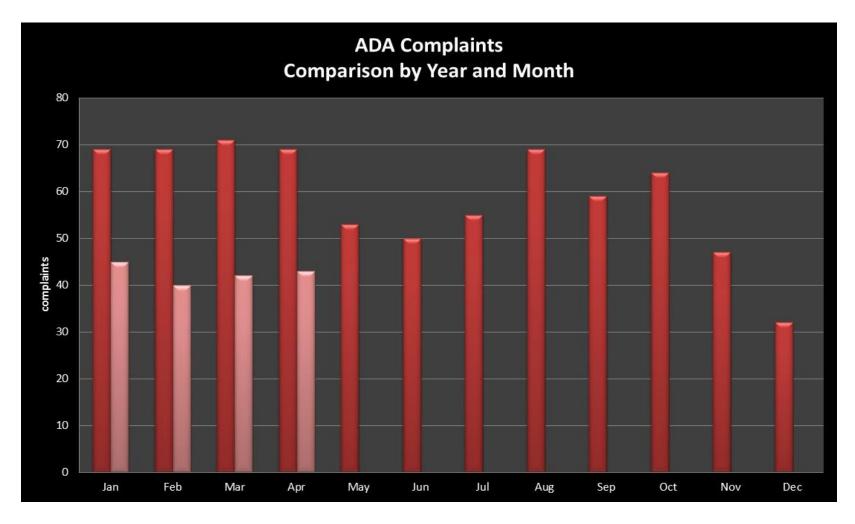


### **Peer Review**

 Staff from San Diego MTS conducted a peer review of Metro ADA compliance and found that Metro is in full compliance with regulations and is going above and beyond the minimum requirements

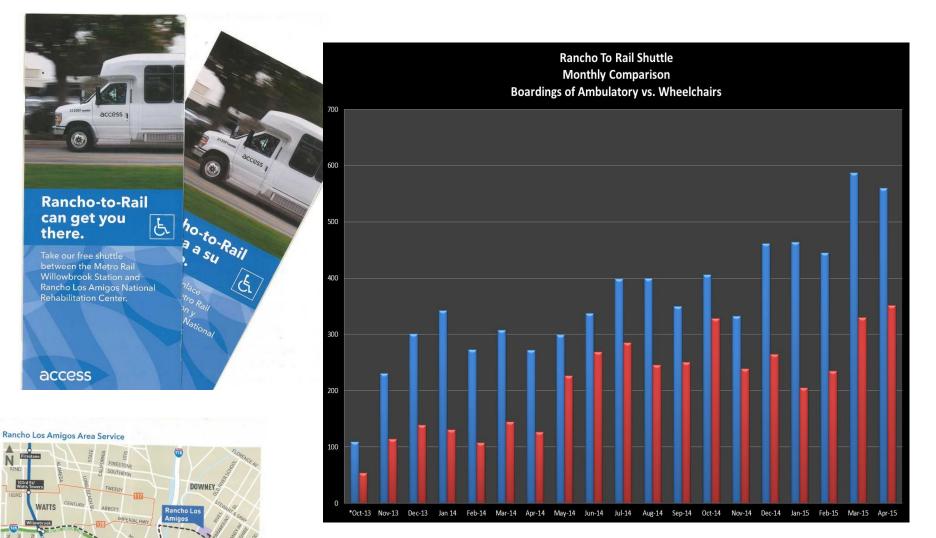


### **Fewer ADA Complaints**





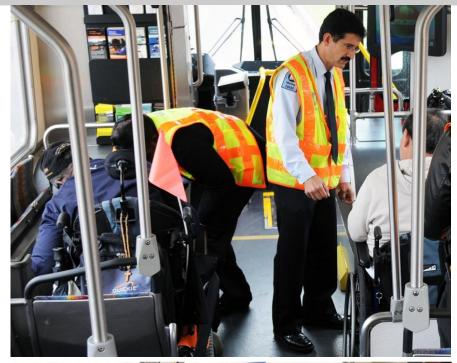
## **Rancho Hospital Shuttle**



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### **Rancho Hospital Orientation**









# **Sexual Harassment Prevention Training**

- 300+ managers have received Metro provided State mandated SHP Training in last 6 months
- 500+ new operators have received Metro provided SHP in last 6 months
- New online SHT training is being implemented for all non managers.



# **Affirmative Action Plan**

- The 2014-2017 AAP submitted to FTA
- Metro is racially very diverse agency and racially in every job category exceeds availability
  - In FY 2016 will begin looking at diversity within departments
- In 6 of 8 job categories Metro is underutilized for female workers

-Goal is to reduce and eliminate underutilization



# **Affirmative Action Plan**

EEO Job Category	Current Period					Availability from			
	All					Census for 5		% of Under-	
	Employee	Minority		Female		County Area %		Utilization	
	Total	#	%	#	%	Minority	Female	Minority	Female
Officials & Administrators	506	277	54.7%	162	32.0%	46.4%	36.4%	8.4%	<mark>-4.4%</mark>
Professionals	667	436	65.4%	323	48.4%	51.4%	46.7%	14.0%	1.7%
Technicians	606	520	85.8%	201	33.2%	50.8%	39.1%	35.0%	<mark>-5.9%</mark>
Protective Services	77	70	90.9%	8	10.4%	63.0%	19.5%	27.9%	<mark>-9.1%</mark>
Administrative Support	113	99	87.6%	86	76.1%	53.1%	53.6%	34.5%	22.5%
Paraprofessionals	954	810	84.9%	511	53.6%	55.5%	70.6%	29.4%	<mark>-17.1%</mark>
Skilled Craft	1,886	1,493	79.2%	38	2.0%	59.6%	6.0%	19.6%	<mark>-3.9%</mark>
Service Maintenance	5,818	5,454	93.7%	1,821	31.3%	69.2%	42.7%	24.6%	<mark>-11.4%</mark>
	10,627	9,159	86.2%	3,150	29.6%				



**Underutilized Job Categories** 

# **Questions**?

