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State Route 710 Tunnel Technical Study May Community Meetings

Los Angeles County - The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) is hosting three open house meetings to present updated information on the State Route 710 Tunnel Technical Study, a geotechnical study of soils and subsurface conditions of five zones in Los Angeles County.

Staff from Caltrans District 7, serving Los Angeles and Ventura Counties, will lead presentations to update interested parties, communities and residents on Study, which involves exploration, research and technical analysis of soil and sub-surface conditions. Caltrans staff and consultants will be on-site to answer questions on the Study.

All open houses are from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., and are scheduled as follows:

Tuesday, May 26, 2009

Lanterman Auditorium, 4491 Cornishon Avenue, La Canada Flintridge, 91011

Wednesday, May 27, 2009

Glendale Public Library, 222 E. Harvard Street, 2nd Floor, Glendale, 91205

Thursday, May 28, 2009

Monterey Park City Hall Council Chambers, 320 West Newmark Avenue, Monterey Park, 91754

The agenda includes time to view displays and soil samples from the Study area and for attendees to speak to geotechnical engineers, consultants and staff prior to a 20-minute presentation. A question and answer period will follow with time for public comment.

Caltrans and the Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority (Metro) are conducting the two-year SR-710 Tunnel Technical Study which is now in its second year. Study results are expected fall 2009.

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