The Expo Line

Speed • Comfort • Capacity

Los Angeles is suffering from world-record traffic; the Santa Monica Freeway, especially, is a nightmare in both directions!

We are an independent group of citizens joined together to support a solution: construction of a fast, comfortable, safe, exhaust-free, high-capacity public transit line from downtown Los Angeles to Santa Monica. The MTA is now studying this for the MTA-owned old Exposition railroad line.

The Expo Line will serve the many jobs at both ends and along the line, recreational, educational, and cultural opportunities from Santa Monica Beach (busiest in California) to Exposition Park and Staples Center, and the 800,000 people who live in this corridor.

It will also link to L.A.’s growing rail network—the Long Beach Blue Line (busiest light rail line in the U.S. at 66,000 riders per day, and Exposition is even denser), Red Line subway, Pasadena Blue Line (opening in 2003), and planned Eastside line. Not to mention that light rail is popular, proven, and growing in nearly every major western U.S. city, including Portland, San Francisco, San Diego, Salt Lake City, Denver, and Dallas.

Only an outpouring of public support will realize this opportunity! You have a very important role: please e-mail, call, or write us to express your support for the Expo Line or to become involved in this campaign. Please visit www.friends4expo.org for much more information.

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