

AGENDA ITEM 5 A  
Action Item

**MEMORANDUM**

**DATE:** May 28, 2008

**TO:** El Dorado County Transit Authority  
Transit Advisory Committee

**FROM:** Mindy Jackson, Executive Director

**SUBJECT:** Western El Dorado County 2008 Short Range Transit Plan

**REQUESTED ACTION:**

**BY MOTION,** Approve recommendation to adopt the Western El Dorado County 2008 Short Range Transit Plan

**BACKGROUND**

The El Dorado County Transportation Commission (EDCTC) received a CalTrans Transit Technical Planning Assistance grant to development the Western El Dorado County 2008 Short Range Transit Plan (SRTP). The EDCTC awarded LSC Transportation Consultants, Inc. (LSC) a contract on September 6, 2007 to prepare the SRTP.

The development of a SRTP lays the groundwork necessary to identify and plan for the implementation of service improvements. The detailed five year plan covers fiscal years 2007/2008 through 2012/2013 with year-by-year recommendations for implementation strategies using projected capital and operating funds. The fiscally constrained SRTP reflects changes in population demographics, evaluates existing services, reviews and recommends goals and objectives, responds to gaps in transportation systems, and analyzes potential cost-effective service revisions.

**DISCUSSION**

Public outreach during the development of this SRTP included:

10/24/07 Joint meeting of El Dorado Transit - Transit Advisory Committee and

- the El Dorado County Transportation Planning Agency - Social Services  
Transportation Advisory Council (SSTAC)
- 12/7/07 Public workshop/exchange of ideas - El Dorado Hills Community  
Services District
- 12/7/07 Public workshop/exchange of ideas - Placerville Main Library

Two (2) planned public presentations include:

- 5/28/08 Joint meeting of the El Dorado Transit - Transit Advisory Committee  
and the El Dorado County Transportation Commission - Social Services  
Transportation Advisory Council (*8:15 AM at El Dorado Transit Office  
6565 Commerce Way, Diamond Springs, CA 95667*)
- 6/5/08 Presentation of report to El Dorado County Transit Authority

For project status, meeting notes, public comments and a copy of the draft SRTP, please visit the project website at <http://www.lsctahoe.com/ElDoradoCounty2008SRTP.html> . Copies are available for review upon request, contact Matt Mauk at (530) 642-5383 Ext. 201.

LSC Transportation Consultants will present the *Draft Report Western El Dorado County 2008 Short Range Transit Plan* at the 5/28/08 joint meeting of the TAC and SSTAC. The requested action for the El Dorado Transit TAC is to recommend adoption of the SRTP as presented.