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Alameda Corridor Transportation Authority

September 12, 2019

To:	Governing Board
From:	Connie Rivera, Director of Government and Community Relations
Subject:	Homeless Encampments on or adjacent to the Alameda Corridor and Other Properties (INFORMATION)

Discussion:

This memo is provided to update the ACTA Governing Board on the homeless encampments that have been or currently are located on and adjacent to the Alameda Corridor.

<u>Update:</u>

Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) Grade Separation (City of Los Angeles):

The area adjacent to and under the PCH Bridge continues to be clear of any encampments and debris. Assistance from LAPD patrol units has been extremely beneficial in preventing encampments in this area.

Redondo Junction and Santa Fe Avenue (City of Los Angeles):

There are currently no encampments on ACTA tracks or right-of-way. However, homeless individuals are establishing encampments on the public sidewalk and cul-de-sac street area that are within 100 feet of the Corridor. ACTA has contacted LAPD to make them aware of the situation.

Nadeau Street Area (Los Angeles County/Walnut Park):

This area continues to be clear of any new encampments. There have been a few instances where the perimeter fence has been cut to gain access. ACTA's right-of-way maintenance contractor repairs these cuts as soon as they are discovered.

92nd Street to Tweedy Blvd. (South Gate):

This area continues to attract homeless individuals in small groups. The City of South Gate monitors this area and conducts periodic clean-ups.



El Segundo Blvd north to Weber Street (Compton):

There is a significant homeless encampment on the UPRR/PHL Drill Track and in an area on the street that spans about 200 feet parallel to the track. The City of Compton has scheduled a clean-up of debris and trash that has spilled onto the street. The UPRR has been notified of the homeless issue that is impacting the Drill Track used by PHL. ACTA has had to perform periodic clean-up of needles and biohazardous waste in the trench area adjacent to this encampment.

Dominguez Channel Bridge (City of Los Angeles):

There are homeless individuals who periodically occupy the area under the bridge. The property under the bridge is owned by LA County, but access to the area requires trespass across POLA property. Providing any services to the area will require coordination among the various government entities.

Co-General Counsel Review:

ACTA's Co-General Counsel has reviewed this Board Report and there are no legal issues at this time.