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INVITATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

Measure “D” Local Taxpayer Supervising Committee (LTSC)

Measure D, is the one-half cent transportation sales tax that was approved by Imperial County voters in 1989 and recently extended in 2008 by an overwhelming 81%. Since 1990, Measure D has generated more than \$140 million for transportation improvement projects in each of our cities and throughout the county.

In 1989, the Imperial County Local Transportation Authority (LTA) was created by the County Board of Supervisors as the Authority Board responsible to oversee the disbursement of funds and to ensure transparency and responsible use of resources. In July 2010, the Imperial County Transportation Commission (ICTC) had accepted the responsibility for ICTC staff to provide the daily technical support to the LTA for administration of receipts and disbursements as allocated by the State Board of Equalization.

As mandated in the passage of the Measure D extension, the Local Transportation Authority (LTA) is actively seeking three (3) qualified local residents to participate as members of the Local Taxpayer Supervising Committee (LTSC). The LTSC or “Committee” will focus on two (2) goals:

1. Review the performance of the sales tax transportation program through an annual audit process to ensure that all transportation sales tax funds are spent by the LTA in accordance with all provisions of the voter-approved Expenditure Plan and Ordinance; and,
2. Provide positive, constructive advice to the LTA on how to improve implementation of the program as well as conduct studies as authorized by the LTA.

The three members of the Committee must possess the following professional and/or community credentials:

- One member who is a professional, active or retired, in the field of municipal audit, finance, and/or budgeting with at least five years of demonstrated experience in the field of transportation in the public or private sector
- One member who is a licensed civil engineer or trained transportation planner, active or retired, with at least five years of demonstrated experience in the field of transportation in government and/or private sector
- One member who is a current or retired manager of major public and/or privately financed development or construction projects, who by training and experience would understand the complexity, costs, and implementation issues involved in building large scale infrastructure improvements

LTSC members serve without compensation, except they shall be reimbursed for authorized travel and other expenses directly related to the work of the LTSC. Interested individuals may submit a résumé or letter stating their qualifications and willingness to participate on the LTSC to the address below.

For additional information, please contact Mark Baza at (760) 482-4292.