



# CMF UPDATE

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## CMF AT A GLANCE

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## CMF Action Plan December Update

We continue to make progress on our commitment to be a good neighbor to the communities near the CMF. All but one of the short-term initiatives in the CMF Action Plan have been completed.

We have completed installation and assessment of sound monitors in our yard and we have completed our analysis of how we use ground power. Additionally, we added accountability metrics to our maintenance contract as part of the new bundled contract.

Lastly, the Internal Audit team has finished their fieldwork and the findings will be presented to Metrolink's Audit and Finance committee, then to our Board of Directors this month. Metrolink will provide this information to the public in its February 22 community meeting.

We will continue to provide you with monthly updates of our progress at the CMF.

To view the most recent update of the CMF Action Plan, please click [HERE](#) or visit [metrolinktrains.com/cmfc](http://metrolinktrains.com/cmfc).

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## Upcoming Community Meeting

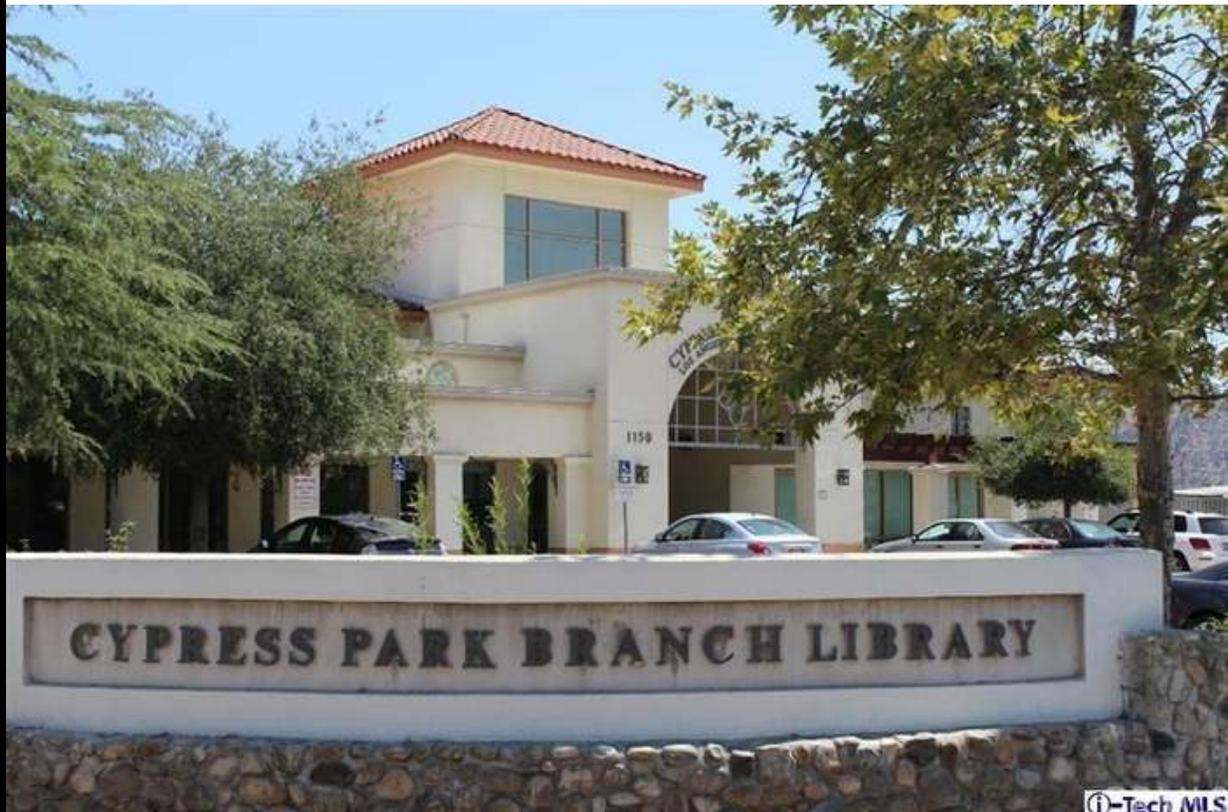
As a part of our CMF Action Plan, we committed to quarterly meetings. Our next community meeting will be held on Saturday, February 22, at the Cypress Park Branch Library.

**Date:** February 22, 2020

**Time:** 10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

**Address:** 1150 Cypress Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90065

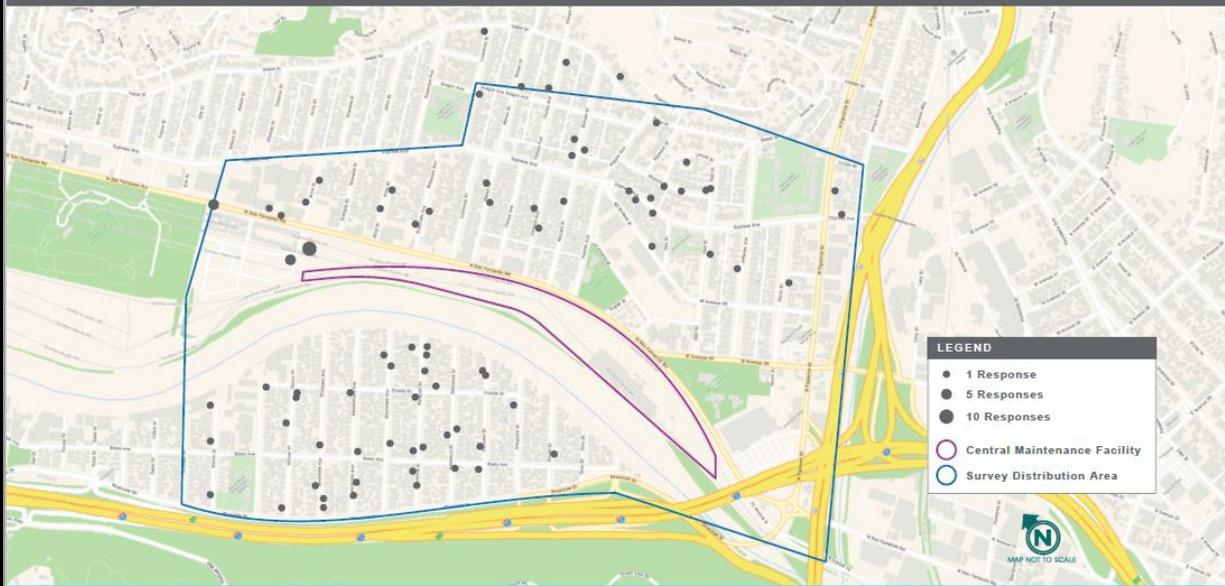
Spanish translation will be available. If you need other languages, including sign language, please contact [communityrelations@scrra.net](mailto:communityrelations@scrra.net). We look forward to seeing you there.



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## Internal Audit Survey Distribution

## Survey Distribution Map



Metrolink mailed the CMF Survey to approximately 2,900 residents located within the survey distribution area. 300 surveys were distributed to families with children enrolled at Dorris Place Elementary, a school within close proximity to the CMF. The distribution area exceeds the 500 feet as required by the California Environmental Quality Act notification requirement.



The objective of the audit was to evaluate compliance with Standard Operating Procedures and Practices established at the Central Maintenance Facility (CMF) to control and monitor pollution levels produced by operating activities at CMF. Elements of the Standard Operating Procedures and Practices established include the oversight and monitoring of noise, pollution levels the impact of routine and required testing of equipment and regular deliveries to the facility.

In keeping with our promise to include the community in the audit, 3279 survey notices were sent to the Cypress Park and Elysian Valley communities. 215 residents responded to the survey and all respondents were eligible to receive a gift card from either:

- \$50 Home Depot Gift Card
- \$50 Target Gift Card
- \$50 Visa Gift Card
- Four (4) Round Trip Metrolink Tickets

(See map to view locations of respondents)

Again, a summary of the audit findings will be discussed at the February 22 community meeting.

Thank you for your participation.

### Tour the Metrolink CMF

If you are interested in touring Metrolink's CMF, please respond to this email with your first and last name. More details regarding tour dates will be provided at the February 22 community meeting.

Please be advised, children under 16 are not allowed on the tour for safety reasons. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.



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## CMF Drainage Project



Dear CMF Neighbor:

On January 22, we started a very important environmental and sustainability project at the Central Maintenance Facility. We are upgrading our drainage system to ensure the reliability of our storm water and sewage systems, which helps keep the local waterways clean.

The drainage project was originally scheduled to be completed in May of 2020. Due to the unexpected discovery of underground utilities there will be a delay. At this point, and barring any additional utility discoveries, the project may be delayed until August.

Most of the work will occur during business hours though some evening and weekend work will be required to complete the project. The community might notice some construction activity in the form of construction equipment, noise and lights. Most of the heavier work will take place this month and in February when crews have to dig and install underground utilities.

While this is very important work that must be done, please know we are working with our contractor to minimize impacts to the community. We will send weekly email updates and post them at [metrolinktrains.com/community](https://metrolinktrains.com/community).

If you have questions, please contact Sylvia Novoa at [novoas@scrra.net](mailto:novoas@scrra.net) or at (213) 452-0300.

We apologize for any inconvenience.

Thank you,



Eric Hosey  
Metrolink Chief Operations Officer

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### Tier 4 Update

As of today, January 31, 2020, 32 Tier 4 locomotives have been delivered to SCRRRA property. Upon delivery from the manufacturer, each locomotive must undergo extensive testing prior to its acceptance into service.

- 30 locomotives are in service
- 2 are being prepared for service
- 22 Legacy Tier 0 locomotives have been decommissioned

Tier 4 locomotives reduce emissions between 65% and 85% compared to legacy Tier 2 and Tier 0 locomotives in Metrolink's fleet.



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Safety Reminder

Homelessness is increasing throughout the greater Los Angeles area and camping, walking, driving or playing near any active train line or along the Metrolink right-of-way (ROW) is dangerous. If you see an encampment along the Metrolink ROW please contact us at (866) 640-5190.

Questions and concerns can be directed to Metrolink's Community Relations 24-hour hotline at (213)452-0400 or to [communityrelations@scrra.net](mailto:communityrelations@scrra.net).

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