

# CMF UPDATE

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#### CMF AT A GLANCE

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### CMF Action Plan November 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. We successfully expedited eight Tier 4 locomotives into service. 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 in January.

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

To view the most recent update of the CMF Action Plan, please click <u>HERE</u> or visit <u>metrolinktrains.com/cmf</u>.

# 2019 in Review

2019 was a busy year for Metrolink in the community. We are always looking to strengthen our relationship with our neighbors

and we would like to highlight some of our activities in the community from this past year:

- On April 11, 2019 Metrolink held a community meeting for the residents of Elysian Valley, Cypress Park and Glassell Park. At that community meeting, we provided updates regarding our CMF operations and introduced our new CEO, Stephanie Wiggins. We also took this opportunity to hear concerns from members of our community. As a result, Metrolink staff created an action plan to address the concerns and committed to holding a follow up meeting with the community to present it.
- In April 2019, the CMF Action Plan was created. The action plan is divided into three-time frames: short-term (0-6 months), mid-term (6-18 months) and long-term (18+ months). To date, 83% of the short-term initiatives have been completed. We have provided monthly updates to the community on our progress via newsletter, e-mail, and metrolinktrains.com/cmf.
- As promised, Metrolink's CEO held a follow up community meeting on May 9, 2019 to introduce the action plan. She directly discussed the concerns raised by the community and how our agency will work to implement the action plan to be a better neighbor. Topics included accountability and oversight, noise and emissions, and future opportunities to transform the CMF to a more modern facility that is on track to a zero emissions future. In addition to discussing new concerns with community members, Metrolink committed to quarterly meetings.
- On September 7th, Metrolink held its first action plan quarterly update meeting for the residents of Elysian Valley, Cypress Park and Glassell Park. During the meeting, we provided updates regarding our CMF Community Action Plan and introduced new staff.
- In an effort to strengthen our connection with the community, we redesigned our community web page which now includes background information about the CMF, past meeting materials, and construction notices. This information can be found at metrolinktrains.com/community.

We commit to working with our neighbors to address any issues and concerns. Thank you for your participation and invaluable input in 2019.

### Tour the Metrolink CMF

If you are interested in touring Metrolink's CMF, please select yes below. More details regarding dates and times to follow. Please be advised, children below 18 are not allowed on the tour for safety reasons.

Are you interested in touring Metrolink's Central Maintenance Facility (CMF)?

Yes	Select
No	Select

## Tier 4 Update

As of today, December 31, 2019, 30 Tier 4 locomotives have been delivered to SCRRA property. Upon delivery from the manufacturer, each locomotive must undergo extensive testing prior to its acceptance into service.

- 27 locomotives are in service
- 3 are being prepared for service
- 20 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. We are on track to having all 30 Tier 4 locomotives received in 2019, actively in service in 2020.





Metrolink wishes our Elysian Valley neighbors a happy and safe holiday season; we look forward to strengthening our relationship with you in the new year.

# **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 <a href="mailto:communityrelations@scrra.net">communityrelations@scrra.net</a>.

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