

# COMMUNITY

## NOTIFICATION

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### SAND DELIVERY TO THE CMF FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

Sand will be delivered to the CMF on Friday, September 4 between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Delivery should take approximately 30 - 45 minutes for each of the two sand towers. Due to COVID-19, the sand plant hours have been restricted to weekdays only. During this time deliveries will be done on a Friday. When restrictions are lifted, we will return to our regular Saturday schedule.

Metrolink follows best practices in protecting our neighbors and employees during deliveries with strict safety procedures such as:

- Weekly inspections of the filter housing
- Trained facility technicians at every sand delivery who monitor and document the delivery process

The CMF has two sand towers that are used to store and distribute sand to locomotives as needed to ensure traction on the rails and provide the safe operation of trains. Sand is delivered to the sand towers an average of four times a year.

### THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE AND COOPERATION

We apologize for any inconvenience this work may cause.

Questions and concerns can be directed to Community Relations Manager, Sylvia Novoa at 213-452-0300 (or to <u>communityrelations@scrra.net</u>).

Metrolink's response to COVID-19 (coronavirus): At Metrolink, safety is foundational. Our agency has taken steps to protect against the spread of the COVID-19 disease while protecting our team members and riders.

Transportation has been designated as an essential service at the federal level and was exempted in the state and local Stay at Home orders. So, Metrolink continues to operate service, as well as move forward with maintenance and rehabilitation projects. Essential services, as outlined by the CyberSecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency at the federal level, are deemed essential to continue critical infrastructure viability. Other essential services include but are not limited to medical and healthcare systems, defense, food and agriculture, energy, water, law enforcement and public works.

Please know that we support efforts at the federal, state and local levels to stop the spread of the virus and keep our team members and riders safe, including asking people who are sick to stay home, requiring non-essential workers to telecommute, reiterating and requiring social distancing practices and providing our critical front-line employees with masks, gloves and extra sanitizer. To get more information about Metrolink's service or response to COVID-19, please visit metrolinktrains.com/safety.

#### **CMF AT A GLANCE**

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