

File No. 150924

Committee Item No. 1

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COMMITTEE/BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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Committee: Joint City and School District Select Date October 22, 2015

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- Form 126 – Ethics Commission
- Award Letter
- Application
- Public Correspondence

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SFMTA
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SFMTA's Free Muni for Youth Program

9.24.2015

Joint Select Committee

Free Muni Program Overview

- Programs provide free Muni access to low and moderate income youth
 - Seniors and People with Disabilities added March 1, 2015
- One time pass loaded to existing or registered Clipper card
- Pass does not expire each month – renewal not required
- Available to San Francisco residents only
- Income must be below the following limits (100% Bay Area Median Income):

Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6
Annual Income	\$71,350	\$ 81,500	\$ 91,700	\$ 101,900	\$ 110,050	\$ 118,200

Application Process

Existing Clipper Card Holders

- Complete application online or by mail
- Active Youth Clipper card number required
- Pass will be remotely activated on card within three weeks
- Customer will be notified via mail when pass is ready for use

Current Cash Fare Customers/Non Clipper Card Holders

- Obtain application online or in-person at SFMTA Customer Service Center (11 South Van Ness Avenue)
- Submit application with copy of proof of age attached by mail or in-person to SFMTA Customer Service Center, Monday through Friday, 8am to 5pm
- School administrators assist with applicants who do not have form of ID and contact SFMTA staff directly
- A new Youth Clipper will be sent in the mail with the Free Muni pass activated – allow up to four weeks for processing

Student Perceptions of Muni (2013 Survey)

Statement	FMFY students	Non-FMFY students
Muni arrives on time.	86.4%	87.8%
Muni drivers and fare inspectors treat me respectfully.	86.0%	83.5%
I feel safe riding Muni.	80.7%	78.5%
I can depend on Muni to get me places on time.	70.9%	67.2%
There is always space for me to get on Muni.	76.7%	75.5%
My family can afford for me to ride Muni.	90.6%	89.3%
Muni allows me explore new places.	81.6%	77.0%
I ride Muni because it helps the environment.	56.9%	49.9%
I plan on riding public transportation regularly as an adult.	47.4%	42.5%
I would recommend Muni to my friends	71.7%	67.9%

Percentages denote students responding positively to statement (Sometimes/Always or Agree/Strongly Agree)

Popular Student Routes

Student Boarding Activity



10 Most Popular Bus Routes for Youth

38/38R Geary

8 Bayshore

29 Sunset

14/14R Mission

49 Van Ness-Mission

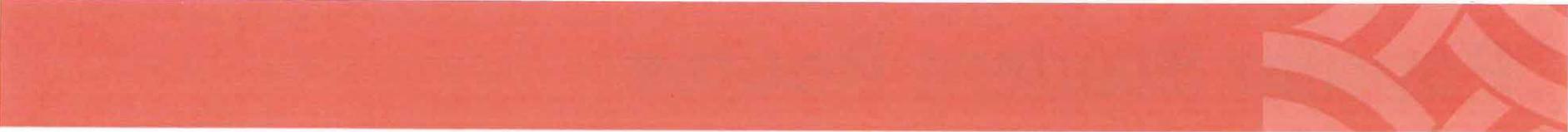
30 Stockton

28/28R 19th Av

1 California

44 O'Shaughnessy

48 Quintara-24th St



FM4Y Total Participants

Youth – 5-17 Year Olds	26,700
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Youth – 18 Year Olds	3850
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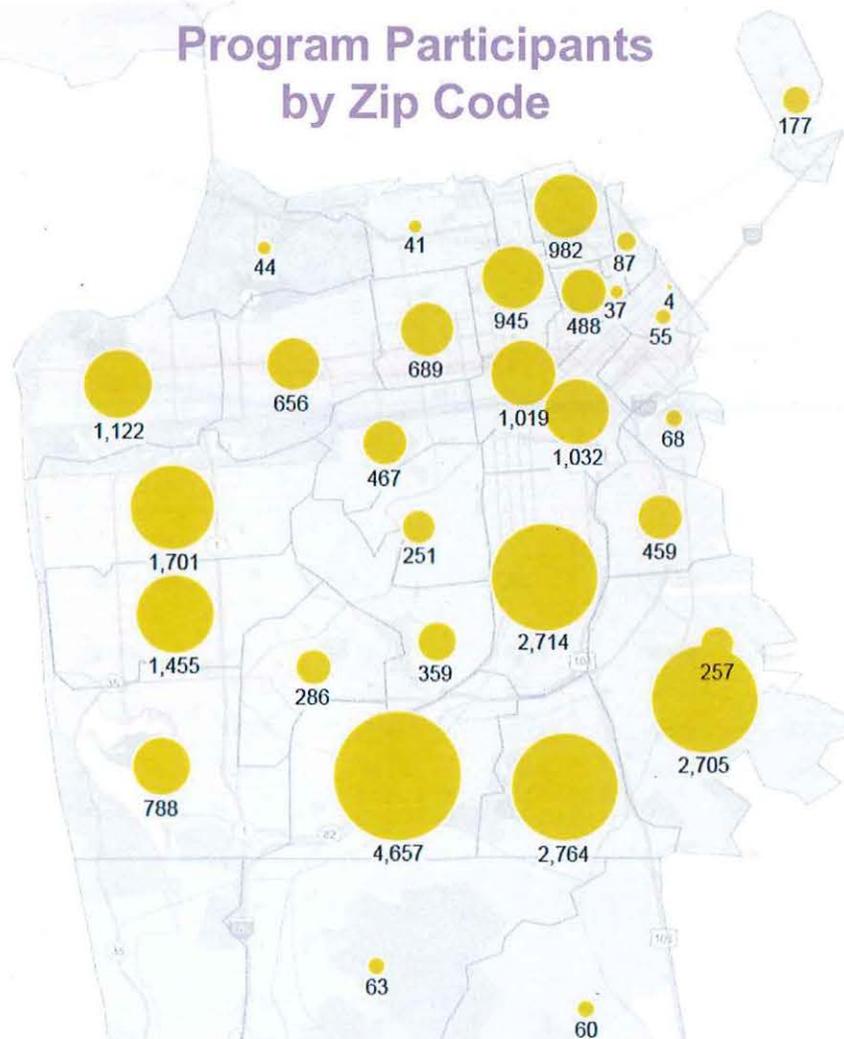
Youth – SFUSD English Learners Program	537
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Youth – SFUSD Special Education Services Program	128
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TOTAL	~31,000
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Free Muni for Youth

Program Participants
by Zip Code

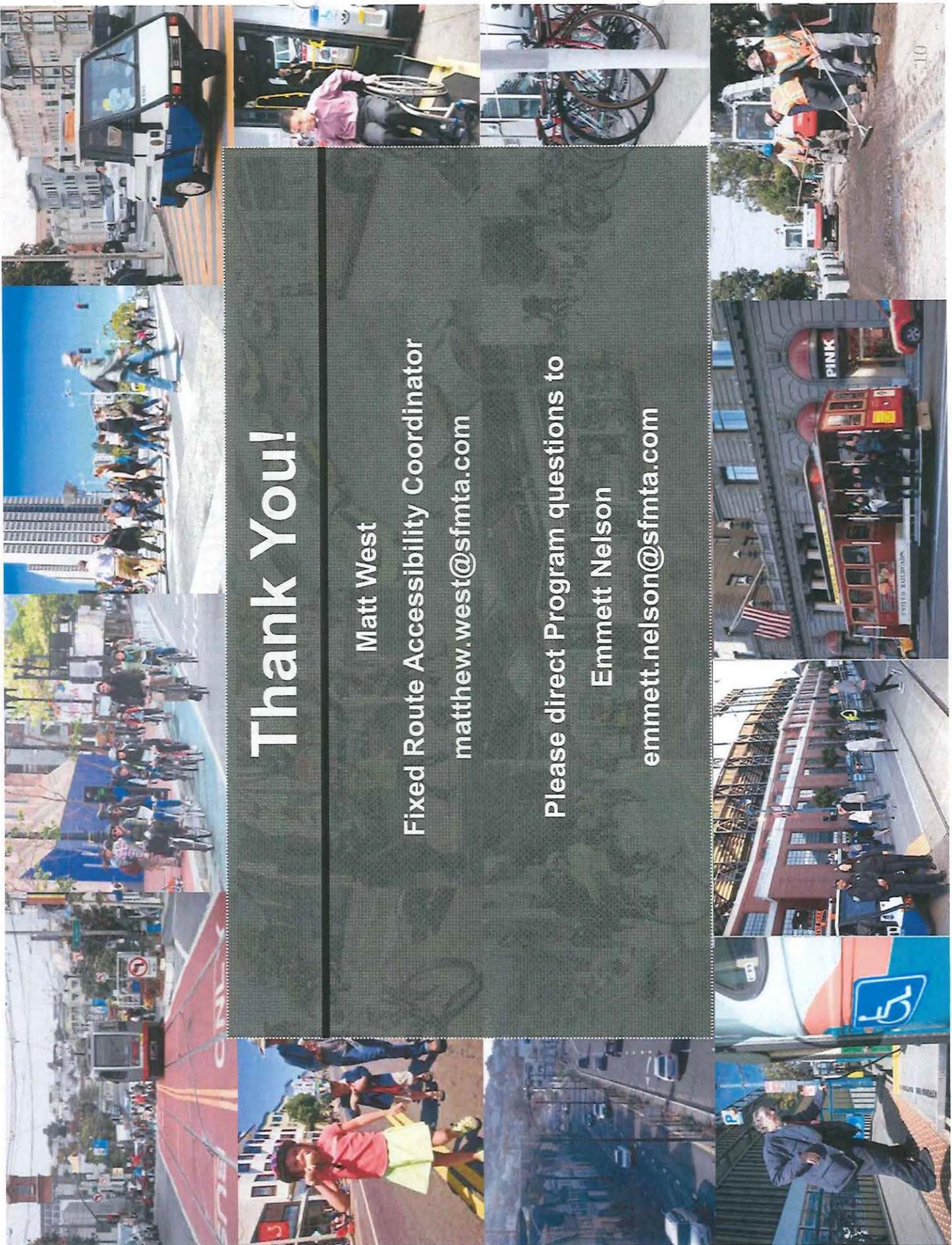


SFMTA provides free transportation to students from low- and moderate-income households

- Over 30,000 students currently enrolled
- The SFMTA recently extended eligibility to 18 year-olds as well as 19 to 22-year olds enrolled in SFUSD Special Education Services & English Learner Program
- **\$8.2 million two-year cost** (Source: Budget and Legislative Analyst's Office)

Updates and New Service Increases

- Muni Forward service increases to 140,000 customers effective September 26, 2015
- Larger vehicles arriving to ease crowding
- Key routes heavily used by school customers
Other routes increased earlier in April/Jan
 - 5R, 8X, 14R, 14X, 28, 29, 38R, 44
- Monthly coordination meeting between SFUSD and SFMTA



Thank You!

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Introduction Form

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

Time stamp
or meeting date

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):

- 1. For reference to Committee. (An Ordinance, Resolution, Motion, or Charter Amendment)
- 2. Request for next printed agenda Without Reference to Committee.
- 3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee.
- 4. Request for letter beginning "Supervisor inquires"
- 5. City Attorney request.
- 6. Call File No. from Committee.
- 7. Budget Analyst request (attach written motion).
- 8. Substitute Legislation File No.
- 9. Reactivate File No.
- 10. Question(s) submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on

Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following:

- Small Business Commission Youth Commission Ethics Commission
- Planning Commission Building Inspection Commission

Note: For the Imperative Agenda (a resolution not on the printed agenda), use a Imperative Form.

Sponsor(s):

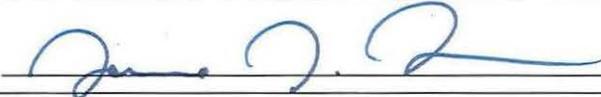
Supervisor Jane Kim

Subject:

Hearing regarding updates on the Free Muni for Youth Program

The text is listed below or attached:

Hearing regarding updates on the Free Muni for Youth Program from SFMTA and any relevant departments.

Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor: 

For Clerk's Use Only: