



2017
Spring Legislative
Conference
Sacramento, CA

Reception: May 16, 2017
 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
 Esquire Grill
 Conference: May 17, 2017
 9:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
 Tsakopoulos Library Galleria



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Wednesday, May 17, 2017
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8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
9:00 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	Welcome and Opening Remarks Mike R. Wiley, Chair, Executive Committee, California Transit Association
9:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.	Welcoming Address Darrell Steinberg, Mayor, City of Sacramento
9:45 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	New State Transportation Funding Key voices from the Brown Administration and the Legislature weigh in on the passage of SB 1 (Beall & Frazier) and provide critical insights into the politics behind this landmark legislation. Moderator: Mark Watts, Transportation California Panelists: The Honorable Jim Beall, Chair, Senate Transportation and Housing Committee The Honorable Todd Gloria (Invited) The Honorable Nancy Skinner The Honorable Scott Wiener Governor Jerry Brown (Invited) Secretary Brian Kelly, California State Transportation Agency (Invited) Michael Martinez, Deputy Legislative Secretary, Office of Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr. Carrie Cornwell, Chief of Staff, Office of Assembly Speaker Anthony Rendon (Invited)
10:45 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Break
11 a.m. – 12 p.m.	State Legislative Update The Association’s advocacy team provides an update on priority legislative and regulatory efforts, and explains how new funding approved in SB 1 will flow to transit agencies. Panelists: Brian Annis, Undersecretary, California State Transportation Agency (Invited) Joshua W. Shaw, Executive Director, California Transit Association Matt Robinson, Legislative Advocate, California Transit Association Michael Pimentel, Legislative and Regulatory Advocate, California Transit Association

12 p.m. – 1 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

The Evolving Zero Emission Bus Regulation

Leading voices in the debate surrounding the California Air Resources Board's ZEB regulation discuss its evolution and what transit agencies can expect in 2017 and beyond.

Moderator:

Michael Pimentel, Legislative and Regulatory Advocate, California Transit Association

Panelists:

Jack Kitowski, Chief, Mobile Source Control Division, California Air Resources Board

Paul Jablonski, Chief Executive Officer, San Diego Metropolitan Transit System

John Drayton, Director, Vehicle Technology, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority

Norm Hickling, Chief Operations Office, Antelope Valley Transportation Authority

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Autonomous Vehicles – The Future is Here

Panel on the state of autonomous vehicles and the transition to the heavy-duty sector

Moderator:

Kate Breen, Government Affairs Director, San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency

Panelists:

Jennifer Cohen, Government Affairs Director, City of Los Angeles Department of Transportation

Brian Souble, Deputy Director, Department of Motor Vehicles

Randy Iwasaki, Executive Director, Contra Costa Transportation Authority (invited)