

### CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

2020 Membership Application

### INTRODUCTION

#### **Get Involved**

The Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) Board of Directors is seeking qualified applicants for its Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC). The 34-member CAC is tasked with providing input and advice on transportation projects, studies and outreach activities. CAC members serve two-year terms. Members are appointed by the Board of Directors and must live in Orange County. OCTA is looking for individuals with:

- Community involvement must represent group(s) with an active membership/ constituency
- A demonstrated interest in community activities and transportation issues
- Willingness to dedicate no fewer than 15 hours per year to OCTA meetings/activities

# What is the Orange County Transportation Authority?

OCTA is a countywide transportation agency that works with state and local officials, community groups, businesses and other regional transportation agencies to coordinate a unified effort to identify, fund and implement local transportation solutions. OCTA is governed by a 17-member Board of Directors composed of the five county supervisors, city council representatives from across the county and two public members. Transportation plays a large role in Orange County's quality of life and economy. OCTA is involved in all aspects of providing a comprehensive transportation system for Orange County commuters, including:

- Implementing OC Go (also known as Measure M), Orange County's local 1/2 cent transportation sales tax
- Running one of the nation's busiest bus systems
- Improving freeways, highways and streets
- Synchronizing traffic lights
- Funding Metrolink commuter-rail service
- Operating the 91 Express Lanes
- Developing and implementing long-range transportation plans
- Technology and innovation solutions
- Implementing the OC Streetcar

# Responsibilities of the OCTA Citizens Advisory Committee

OCTA's Citizens Advisory Committee members actively participate in helping to examine traffic solutions, providing input to OCTA's transportation studies and communicating with their constituencies. During the year, committee members are asked to participate in ad hoc committees, roundtable discussions and hear special presentations on various transportation projects, programs and services. This is an unpaid volunteer position, and meetings adhere to the Brown Act. The committee's responsibilities include:

- Identify opportunities for community input
- Recommend mechanisms and methodologies for obtaining public opinion on specific transportation issues
- Serve as a liaison between the public and OCTA
- Comment on significant transportation issues and suggest possible ideas and solutions

#### **Deadline for Application**

All applications must be received by **May 1, 2020**. If you need additional information, please contact Jared Hill at (714) 560-5680 or jhill1@octa.net. Please mail the completed application form and resume if available to:

Orange County Transportation Authority Jared Hill, External Affairs P.O. Box 14184 Orange, CA 92863-1584

You may also scan the completed CAC application and email it to jhill1@octa.net. The OCTA Board of Directors will select the CAC members by the end of June 2020. You will be notified at that time.

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