



**Metro**

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# Meeting Summary

Meeting: Cornelius Community Advisory Group Meeting  
Date/time: Tuesday, August 25<sup>th</sup> 2020, 6:00 PM  
Place: Zoom video meeting  
Purpose: Future Metro West public meeting

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## Members Present

Arturo Villaseñor, Ashley Hall, David Valladares, Doris Gonzalez Gómez, Ignacio Copado Oropeza, Jasmine Dolores Cruz, Kelly Marquis, Linda Galbreath, Maria Guadalupe Estrada, Mayra Hernandez, Milka Mendez, Seferina Deleon Dale

## Members Absent

None

## Presenters

Gloria Pinzon-Marin, Metro Communications, Enrique Vargas, Metro Community Engagement Specialist, Sara Seid, Metro Communications Administrative Assistant, Mariana Valenzuela, Centro Cultural Partnerships and Advocacy Director, Matt Tracy, Project Manager

## Topics

“Recycling or Not” activity, Metro west project vision and overview

- **Recycle or Not:** Community advisory group members engaged in an interactive activity where they brought items to the group. Enrique Vargas helped find what local facilities and organizations would be able to recycling or dispose of the item using the Metro “find recyclers” tool online.
- **Project vision and overview:** Matt Tracy presented the reasons for the transfer station project in the West part of the region now, the history of the project, the purpose of the 2030 Regional Waste Plan, and the property due diligence process. He also discussed the features of state-of-the-art transfer and recycling centers, including features that mitigate most of the potential impacts.

Community advisory group members and staff discussed the basic potential features of the transfer and recycling center, as well as the type of economic opportunities that can come with a facility like this in a community.

## Follow up for community advisory group questions:

- Metro staff will share information for recycling information discussed during meeting.
- Conversation will continue regarding questions posed by the advisory group members.