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LADOT EXPANDS REAL TIME INFORMATION FOR ALL 30 DASH ROUTES

LOS ANGELES (February 1, 2013) — The City of Los Angeles Department of Transportation (LADOT) announced the expansion of real time information to the remaining 11 DASH routes effective February 1, 2013. Riders can get information about next bus arrival time by smart phone, web browser, text, or phone.

"LADOT is making our buses even easier to ride," said LADOT General Manager Jaime de la Vega.

The new Community DASH routes now available are:

DASH Boyle Heights/East LA
DASH Chesterfield Square
DASH El Sereno/City Terrace
DASH Northridge

DASH Panarama City/Van Nuys DASH Pico Union/Echo Park DASH San Pedro

DASH Van Nuys/Studio City

DASH Vermont/Main

DASH Watts

DASH Wilmington

Riders can check the status of all 30 DASH routes in one of three ways:

- 1. On-line at <u>www.ladotbus.com</u>, or
- 2. Text "ladot" and the bus stop number (located on the sign) to 41411
- 3. Automated telephone line at 213-785-3858

Real time information has been available on 19 DASH Downtown and community routes for the past two years. The system also enables LADOT managers to monitor on-time performance and make service changes to improve service reliability.

LADOT is the second largest transit operator in Los Angeles County. For more information about LADOT Commuter Express and DASH services visit our transit website at www.ladottransit.com or contact the LADOT Transit Store at (213, 310, 323 or 818) 808-2273.

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