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## VCTC Seeks Input on Unmet Transit Needs at Public Meetings to be held in January and February 2021

Camarillo, Calif. – The Ventura County Transportation Commission (VCTC) invites the public to attend an online Unmet Transit Needs community meeting or public hearing to let local government leaders hear ideas about how to improve bus service in Ventura County. The meetings are an opportunity for community members to tell VCTC what can be done to improve transit and to help local residents get where they need to go.

"Each year, the annual Unmet Transit Needs process provides an opportunity for residents to share input to improve public transit in Ventura County," said Martin Erickson, VCTC transit director. "This year, with the coronavirus changing how people live their lives, your input can help local transit operators to offer the most essential transit service to passengers."

Two community meetings and one public hearing are scheduled to be held online on the following dates and times:

Community Meetings (links available at www.goventura.org/unmet-needs):

Wednesday, Jan. 13 at 6 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 21 at Noon

Public Hearing (link available at www.goventura.org/unmet-needs):

Friday, Feb. 5 at 9 a.m.

The purpose of the meetings is to identify transit needs that are not currently being met and are reasonable to meet in Camarillo, Fillmore, Moorpark, Santa Paula, Thousand Oaks and adjacent areas of unincorporated Ventura County. Those unable to attend an online community meeting can share input at <a href="https://www.goventura.org/unmet-needs">www.goventura.org/unmet-needs</a>.

## **About the Ventura County Transportation Commission**

The Ventura County Transportation Commission is the regional transportation planning agency committed to keeping Ventura County moving. Program information is available at <u>goventura.org</u>.