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The City of Morro Bay Public Works Advisory Board will hold a public hearing at its September 15, 2010 meeting to receive input from citizens about the new Morro Bay Transit fixed route and Call-A-Ride services that began operation July 1. The Public Works Advisory Board meeting will begin at 3:00 p.m. in the Morro Bay Community Center. Morro Bay Transit will provide free rides to and from the meeting for citizens wishing to attend.

“Now that the new transit service has been in operation for a couple months, the City would like to hear from riders how the service is working for them.” said Janeen Burlingame, Management Analyst for the City. “The City would like to know if there are small changes needed that can be implemented to improve service for the riders.”

Due to State cuts to transit funding over the past several years, the City was not going to be allocated enough transit funding to retain the demand response dial-a-ride service that had been operating for several decades. After several public hearings, the City Council approved changing to a flex fixed route type of transit system based on the State funding that would be allocated to the City.

For those individuals who cannot attend the public hearing and would like to provide input, comments can be sent to Janeen Burlingame via e-mail, jburlingame@morro-bay.ca.us, or regular mail, City of Morro Bay, 955 Shasta Avenue, Morro Bay, CA 93442.

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