

Statewide Equity Listening Sessions

Caltrans Office on Race and Equity

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Updates

Adjusted Timeline

- Listening sessions tentatively planned for March/April
- Contract extension to accommodate scheduling limitations

CBO Outreach

- Subcontracts in process with CBOs
- MPO Coordination to support outreach

Building upon the Equity Listening Sessions

- Site Visits
- Open Forums

Partnering with CTC and CalSTA to develop future sessions in late 2022

- Increase opportunities for geographical representation
- Open sessions with unlimited attendance

Focus Areas

Geographic locations:

- Kern County (Arvin/Lamont)
 - Date: March 24, 2022 – Virtual
- Lake County (Lakeport/Kelseyville/Clearlake)
 - Date: March 30, 2022 – Virtual
- East Bay (Richmond)
- Imperial Valley (Calexico/El Centro)
- Inland Empire (San Bernardino)
- Los Angeles Portside (Wilmington)

Internal Preparation

Facilitation Training Sessions

- Conducted on January 18th and 31st

Topics covered:

- Why facilitation matters
- Facilitation in a virtual environment
- Incorporating a trauma-informed approach to navigate sensitive experiences and topics
- Importance of self-awareness, reducing secondary trauma, and compassion fatigue

Thank You

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