



## California Air Resources Board

### Clean Transportation Equity Incentives Symposium

Tuesday, May 5, 2026, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (PST)

*Holiday Inn Sacramento Downtown (300 J Street, Sacramento, CA 95814)*

[Please Register Here.](#) For more details, visit the [Symposium Website.](#)

#### Agenda

<b>Time</b>	<b>Event</b>	<b>Location</b>
8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	<b>Arrival and Sign-in (Coffee and Refreshments)</b>	<i>Front Lobby</i>
9:00 a.m. - 10:05 a.m. <a href="#">Zoom Link to Keynote</a>	<p><b>Welcome and Keynote Address</b></p> <p>Lucina Negrete, Assistant Division Chief of the Mobile Source Control Division, CARB</p> <p><b>Fireside Chat: What’s Next for Clean Transportation</b></p> <p>Eric Guerra, <i>Current CARB Board Member; Mayor Pro Tem/Sacramento City Council Member District 6</i></p> <p>Sandra Berg, <i>Former CARB Board Member, Current Board Chair Pacific Resource Recovery</i></p> <p>Davina Hurt, <i>Former CARB Board Member, Current Climate Policy Director at Pacific Environment</i></p>	<i>California/Balboa/Calaveras</i>
10:05 a.m. - 10:15a.m.	<b>Break</b>	<i>Front Lobby/North Lobby</i>

Time	Event	Location
10:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	<b>Morning Breakout Sessions</b>	
<a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Breakout 1 (A.M.)</u></a>	<p>1. Mobility Justice for All: Rapid Response and Defense <i>More than ever, our communities' mobility and freedoms are feeling threatened by federal immigration policies. Join this working session to learn about ways to keep your community safe while continuing to advance equitable mobility.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Daniela Ramos, Inland Empire Immigrant Youth Collective</li> <li>• Kimberly Hernandez, Inland Empire Immigrant Youth Collective</li> <li>• Moderated by Marlene Chavez, Inland Empire Immigrant Youth Collective</li> <li>• <i>Session developed by GRID Alternatives</i></li> </ul>	<i>Granada/Hermosa</i>
<a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Breakout 2 (A.M.)</u></a>	<p>2. E-bike Ridership and Adoption Trends <i>E-bike ridership and adoption continue to evolve in California's transportation ecosystem. Hear how community led e-bike projects and individual ownership are transforming how Californian's travel.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Joey Juhasz-Lukomski, The LEAP Institute</li> <li>• Dillon Fitch-Polse, UC Davis Institute for Transportation Studies</li> <li>• John Tully, Light Transit</li> <li>• Moderated by Debra Banks, Sacramento Area Bicycle Advocates</li> </ul>	<i>California/Balboa/Calaveras</i>
<a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Breakout 3 (A.M.)</u></a>	<p>3. Implementing Clean Transportation Projects in Tribal Communities <i>Transportation projects in Tribal Communities come with their own unique opportunities and challenges. Panelists will share their experiences and lessons learned from implementing projects in three distinct tribal communities.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brian Yepez, Hopland Band of Pomo Indians</li> <li>• Garrett Pewe, Sovereignty Construction</li> <li>• Heidi Moore-Guynup, Blue Lake Rancheria</li> <li>• Mike Avcollie, Redwood Coast Energy Authority</li> <li>• Moderated by Larry Rillera, CARB</li> </ul>	<i>Fresno</i>
11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch break, Networking, and Project Poster Session</b>	<i>North Lobby/Front Lobby</i>

Time	Event	Location
1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.	<b>Afternoon Breakout Sessions</b>	
<a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Breakout 1 (P.M.)</u></a>	<p>1. Trust as Infrastructure: How Relationships Drive Clean Transportation Adoption <i>Nurturing and building trust with communities is the foundation of effective incentive programs. This session will highlight how credibility, cultural relevance, and local leadership can influence community engagement.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brittany Carpenter, Fresno Metro Black Chamber of Commerce</li> <li>• Adriana Smith, CARB</li> <li>• Jill Sherman-Warne, Native American Environmental Protection Coalition</li> <li>• Moderated by Larry Rillera, CARB</li> <li>• <i>Session co-developed with emergent labs</i></li> </ul>	<i>Granada/Hermosa</i>
<a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Breakout 2 (P.M.)</u></a>	<p>2. Lessons in Workforce, Training, and Standards for ZEV Programs <i>Hear about best practices and lessons learned implementing ZEV workforce training programs and explore strategies to uplift job quality.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blaine Torpey, Eden Area Regional Occupation Program</li> <li>• Sandy Paben, Green Economy Lab</li> <li>• Martin Barrera, Jobs to Move America</li> <li>• Moderated by Alex Stockton, CARB</li> </ul>	<i>California/Balboa/Calaveras</i>
<a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Breakout 3 (P.M.)</u></a>	<p>3. The Advocate’s Toolkit: Strategies for Funding Transportation Equity Programs through Legislative Impact <i>Have you ever wondered how the state budget works and how you can influence it? In this session we'll demystify California's transportation equity policy framework, map the power players that control state budget decisions and learn how to leverage your unique voice to secure investments for clean, accessible transportation for communities that need it the most.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Linda Khamoushian, GRID Alternatives</li> <li>• Mars Wu, Greenlining Institute</li> <li>• <i>Session developed by GRID Alternatives</i></li> </ul>	<i>Fresno</i>
2:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	<b>Break</b>	

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<p>2:30 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.</p> <p><a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Panel Session #2</u></a></p>	<p><b>Afternoon General Session</b></p> <p>Equity as Infrastructure: Building Systems that Prioritize People First</p> <p><i>This session plans to explore equity beyond just a program goal, but as core infrastructure, providing attendees a chance to reflect on the role equity plays within their organizations and how it shapes their programs.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alix Emory, Central California Asthma Collaborative</li> <li>• Román Partida-López, The Greenlining Institute</li> <li>• Alina Borja, Southern California Association of Governments</li> <li>• Moderated by Mario Cruz, CARB</li> </ul>	<p><i>California/Balboa/Calaveras</i></p>
<p>3:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.</p> <p><a href="#"><u>Zoom Link to Concluding Remarks</u></a></p>	<p><b>Concluding Remarks</b></p>	<p><i>California/Balboa/Calaveras</i></p>