This year’s workshop focuses on important local and regional efforts that aim to maximize mobility in this era of constrained resources by seeking efficiencies, developing coordinated approaches to service delivery, and better connecting consumers to the range of mobility options available in their communities.

The workshop will feature presentations and a resource fair, and will conclude with a facilitated working session that will enable attendees to identify and elaborate on actions, strategies, and priorities for improving mobility for Alameda County’s seniors and people with disabilities. While this session will be focused on Alameda County’s Countywide Transportation Plan and Transportation Expenditure Plan processes, attendees from outside the county are welcome to join in the conversation.

Presenters include speakers from the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC), Marin Transit, the Alameda CTC, and Nelson\Nygaard Consulting Associates, among others.

This annual workshop is sponsored by the Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC), which administers Measure B, Alameda County’s half-cent transportation sales tax. Funding is provided for transportation improvement projects and programs in the County, including specialized transportation for seniors and persons with disabilities. This workshop is co-sponsored by the Paratransit Advisory and Planning Committee (PAPCO)—an advisory group to the Alameda CTC Board made up of accessible transportation consumers. For more information, contact Naomi Armenta, Alameda CTC Paratransit Coordinator, at 510-208-7469.

You’re Invited!

Tuesday, July 12, 2011
Registration & Resource Fair
9:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m.
Workshop Program
10:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.
Lunch & Resource Fair
12:35 p.m.-1:45 p.m.

NEW LOCATION:
Ed Roberts Campus
3075 Adeline St.
Berkeley, CA 94703
(at Ashby BART Station)
www.edrobertscampus.org

Please RSVP by July 5 to:
Naomi Armenta
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• Space is limited – first come, first served.
• Lunch will be provided.
• Please let us know if you require special accommodations.
“State of the System” Presentation
Bonnie Nelson of Nelson\Nygaard Consulting Associates will set the stage for the day by discussing the evolution of the Measure B Special Transportation Program for Seniors and People with Disabilities, and key funding issues, planning initiatives, and coordination strategies that have the potential to impact service delivery in Alameda County and beyond.

Federal Funding Context
This session will provide an update on reauthorization of the federal transportation funding bill and present an overview of the federal funding context for local efforts to improve mobility. (Federal Transit Administration representative invited.)

Panel Discussion: Planning for Mobility
Speakers from the Metropolitan Transportation Commission, Marin Transit, and the Alameda CTC Paratransit Coordination Team will discuss planning processes that are shaping mobility in the Bay Area, including the Transit Sustainability Project and development of the Marin Access Mobility Management Center.

Alameda County Coordination Working Session
This facilitated working session is an opportunity to provide input into Alameda County’s Countywide Transportation Plan (CWTP) and Transportation Expenditure Plan (TEP) processes, which will identify the funding priorities for an extension of Measure B, to be placed before voters in November 2012. Participants will receive a briefing and discuss specific actions, services, and resources that are needed to improve mobility for Alameda County’s seniors and people with disabilities.

Resource Fair
A morning and lunchtime resource fair will provide the opportunity for attendees to learn about key services and service providers that support mobility for seniors and people with disabilities.