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Alameda CTC Actively Supports Meal Delivery Services During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Guideline modifications offer vulnerable populations continued food security and safety

ALAMEDA COUNTY, Calif. – Bay Area counties are laser-focused on safety as the county begins to reopen in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic, a pandemic that disproportionately impacts seniors and people with disabilities. Currently, many in these vulnerable populations are homebound for health and safety reasons and require multiple forms of assistance.

To readily assist, the Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC) has modified its implementation guidelines for direct local distribution (DLD) funding specifically for the Seniors and People with Disabilities (paratransit) program regarding meal delivery. This modification enables DLD-recipients the option to use their Measure B and BB funds to support transportation services for meal delivery, such as programs that include [Alameda County Meals on Wheels](#), city- or area-specific Meals on Wheels programs and other meal delivery services, through fiscal year 2020-2021.

About the Alameda County Transportation Commission

Alameda CTC coordinates countywide transportation planning and delivers essential, voter-supported transportation improvements in every jurisdiction throughout Alameda County. Funding sources for Alameda CTC's expenditure plans include Measure B, approved by 81.5 percent of county voters in 2000, and Measure BB, approved by more than 70 percent of voters in 2014. Please visit www.AlamedaCTC.org to learn more, and follow Alameda CTC on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

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