# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Transit Administration

### Limitation on Claims Against Proposed Public Transportation Projects

**AGENCY:** Federal Transit Administration (FTA), DOT.

# ACTION: Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces final environmental actions taken by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA) for the Transbay Joint Powers Authority Transbay Terminal/Caltrain Downtown Extension/Redevelopment Project. The purpose of this notice is to announce publicly the environmental decisions by FTA on the subject project and to activate the limitation on any claims that may challenge these final environmental actions.

**DATES:** By this notice, FTA is advising the public of final agency actions subject to 23 U.S.C. 139(l). A claim seeking judicial review of FTA actions announced herein for the listed public transportation project will be barred unless the claim is filed on or before January 13, 2020.

# FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Nancy-Ellen Zusman, Assistant Chief Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, (312) 353–2577 or Juliet Bochicchio, Environmental Protection Specialist, Office of Environmental Programs, (202) 366–9348. FTA is located at 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590. Office hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that FTA has taken final agency actions by issuing certain approvals for the public transportation project listed below. The actions on the project, as well as the laws under which such actions were taken, are described in the documentation issued in connection with the project to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and in other documents in the FTA environmental project file for the project. Interested parties may contact either the project sponsor or the relevant FTA Regional Office for more information. Contact information for FTA's Regional Offices may be found at https://www.fta.dot.gov.

This notice applies to all FTA decisions on the listed project as of the issuance date of this notice and all laws under which such actions were taken, including, but not limited to, NEPA [42 U.S.C. 4321–4375], Section 4(f) requirements [23 U.S.C. 138, 49 U.S.C. 303], Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act [54 U.S.C.

306108], and the Clean Air Act [42 U.S.C. 7401–7671g]. This notice does not, however, alter or extend the limitation period for challenges of project decisions subject to previous notices published in the Federal **Register**. The project and actions that are the subject of this notice follow: Project name and location: The Transbay Joint Powers Authority Transbay Terminal/Caltrain Downtown Extension/Redevelopment Project, in San Francisco, California. Project Sponsor: The Transbay Joint Powers Authority. Project description: The Transbay Terminal/Caltrain Downtown Extension/Redevelopment Project, also known as the Transbay Program, as adopted in 2004, includes the Downtown Rail Extension (DTX), the establishment of a redevelopment area plan, and the construction of the Transit Center on the site of the former Transbay Terminal at First and Mission Streets, which was demolished in 2011. The purpose of the Transbay Program is to improve public access to bus and rail services, modernize the Transbay Terminal and improve service, reduce non-transit vehicle usage, alleviate blight, and revitalize the Transbay Terminal area. The proposed project is to design, construct, and operate the downtown rail extension, redevelopment area plan and transit center along with the specified refinements to the previously approved Phase 2 of the Transbay Program and other transportation improvements within the City and County of San Francisco. The decisions and determinations made in the 2005 Record of Decision (ROD) remain unaltered, except as expressly altered by this amended ROD.

Final agency action: The Transbay Joint Powers Authority Transbay Terminal/Caltrain Downtown Extension/Redevelopment Project Amended Record of Decision, dated July 22, 2019. Supporting Documentation: FTA's Transbay Program Final Environmental Impact Statement/ Environmental Impact Report, April 2004; FTA's Transbay Program Record of Decision, February 2005; FTA's Transbay Terminal/Caltrain Downtown Extension/Redevelopment Project Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report (SEIS/EIR), December 2015; FTA's Transbay Terminal/Caltrain Downtown Extension/Redevelopment Project Final SEIS/EIR, November 2018.

Authority: 23 U.S.C. 139(l)(1).

#### Felicia L. James,

Associate Administrator for Planning and Environment. [FR Doc. 2019–17412 Filed 8–13–19; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910–57–P

## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

#### **Maritime Administration**

#### [Docket No. MARAD-2019-0093]

### Deepwater Port License Application: Texas GulfLink LLC; Extension of Scoping Period

**AGENCY:** Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation. **ACTION:** Notice of extension of the public scoping comment period.

SUMMARY: By Federal Register notice of Wednesday, July 3, 2019, titled Deepwater Port License Application: Texas Gulflink LLC, the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG), in coordination with the Maritime Administration (MARAD), announced the intent to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) as part of the environmental review of the Texas GulfLink LLC (Texas GulfLink) deepwater port license application. Publication of that notice began a 30day scoping process, announced the date and location of a public scoping meeting as well as requested public participation to assist in the identification and determination of the environmental issues to be addressed in the EIS.

During the Texas GulfLink public scoping meeting held in Lake Jackson, Texas on Wednesday, July 17, 2019, USCG and MARAD advised that the public scoping period would be extended. This extension is due to delays in getting the application properly posted on the docket. This **Federal Register** Notice announces the date of the extended scoping period.

**DATES:** Comments or related material on the Texas GulfLink deepwater port license application must be received by August 30, 2019.

ADDRESSES: The public docket for the Texas GulfLink deepwater port license application is maintained by the U.S. Department of Transportation, Docket Management Facility, West Building, Ground Floor, Room W12–140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590. The license application is available for viewing at the *Regulations.gov* website: *http:// www.regulations.gov* under docket number MARAD–2019–0093. We encourage you to submit comments electronically through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at *http:// www.regulations.gov.* If you submit your comments electronically, it is not necessary to also submit a hard copy. If you cannot submit material using *http:// www.regulations.gov*, please contact either Mr. Patrick Clark, USCG or Yvette Fields, MARAD, as listed in the following **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION** 

**CONTACT** section of this document, which also provides alternate instructions for submitting written comments. Additionally, if you go to the online docket and sign up for email alerts, you will be notified when comments are posted. Anonymous comments will be accepted. All comments received will be posted without change to http:// www.regulations.gov and will include any personal information you have provided. The Federal Docket Management Facility's telephone number is 202-366-9317 or 202-366-9826, the fax number is 202-493-2251.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Patrick Clark, U.S. Coast Guard, telephone: 202–372–1358, email: *Patrick.W.Clark@uscg.mil* or Ms. Yvette Fields, Maritime Administration, telephone: 202–366–0926, email: *Yvette.Fields@dot.gov.* For questions regarding viewing the Docket, call Docket Operations, telephone: 202–366– 9317 or 202–366–9826.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

### **Request for Comments**

We request public comment on this proposal. The comments may relate to, but are not limited to, the environmental impact of the proposed action. All comments will be accepted. You may submit comments directly to the Federal Docket Management Facility during the public comment period (see **DATES**). We will consider all comments and material received during the extended scoping period.

The license application, comments and associated documentation, as well as the draft and final EISs (when published), are available for viewing at the Federal Docket Management System (FDMS) website: http:// www.regulations.gov under docket number MARAD-2019-0093.

Public comment submissions should include:

• Docket number MARAD–2019–0093.

Your name and address.

Submit comments or material using only one of the following methods:

• Electronically (preferred for processing) to the Federal Docket

Management System (FDMS) website: http://www.regulations.gov under docket number MARAD–2019–0093.

• By mail to the Federal Docket Management Facility (MARAD–2019– 0093), U.S. Department of Transportation, West Building, Ground Floor, Room W12–140, 1200 New Jersey Avenue SE, Washington, DC 20590– 0001.

• By personal delivery to the room and address listed above between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

• By fax to the Federal Docket Management Facility at 202–493–2251.

Faxed, mailed or hand delivered submissions must be unbound, no larger than  $8\frac{1}{2}$  by 11 inches and suitable for copying and electronic scanning. The format of electronic submissions should also be no larger than  $8\frac{1}{2}$  by 11 inches. If you mail your submission and want to know when it reaches the Federal Docket Management Facility, please include a stamped, self-addressed postcard or envelope.

Regardless of the method used for submitting comments, all submissions will be posted, without change, to the FDMS website (http:// www.regulations.gov) and will include any personal information you provide. Therefore, submitting this information to the docket makes it public. You may wish to read the Privacy and Use Notice that is available on the FDMS website and the Department of Transportation Privacy Act Notice that appeared in the Federal Register on April 11, 2000 (65 FR 19477), see Privacy Act. You may view docket submissions at the Federal Docket Management Facility or electronically on the FDMS website.

#### **Privacy Act**

The electronic form of all comments received into the FDMS can be searched by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). The Department of Transportation Privacy Act Statement can be viewed in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 (Volume 65, Number 70, pages 19477–78) or by visiting *http:// www.regulations.gov.* 

Authority: 33 U.S.C. 1501, *et seq.*, 49 CFR 1.93(h).

Dated: August 6, 2019.

By Order of the Maritime Administrator. T. Mitchell Hudson, Jr.,

Secretary, Maritime Administration. [FR Doc. 2019–17131 Filed 8–13–19; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4910–81–P

# DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### Internal Revenue Service

### Open Meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Tax Forms and Publications Project Committee

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS), Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Tax Forms and Publications Project Committee will be conducted. The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting public comments, ideas, and suggestions on improving customer service at the Internal Revenue Service.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held Wednesday, September 11, 2019.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Robert Rosalia at 1–888–912–1227 or (718) 834–2203.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. (1988) that a meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel's Tax Forms and Publications Project Committee will be held Wednesday, September 11, 2019, at 2:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The public is invited to make oral comments or submit written statements for consideration. Due to limited time and structure of meeting, notification of intent to participate must be made with Robert Rosalia. For more information please contact Robert Rosalia at 1-888-912–1227 or (718) 834–2203, or write TAP Office, 2 Metrotech Center, 100 Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11201 or contact us at the website: http:// www.improveirs.org. The agenda will include various IRS issues.

Dated: August 9, 2019.

# Kevin Brown,

Acting Director, Taxpayer Advocacy Panel. [FR Doc. 2019–17421 Filed 8–13–19; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 4830–01–P

# DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

### **Internal Revenue Service**

### Open Meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel Joint Committee

**AGENCY:** Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Treasury.

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** An open meeting of the Taxpayer Advocacy Panel Joint Committee will be conducted. The Taxpayer Advocacy Panel is soliciting