



Dear RTD Stakeholders,

After months of analysis and stakeholder input on the short-term and long-term options for completing the FasTracks Program, RTD staff provided its staff recommendation to the RTD Board of Directors on Jan. 25.

The staff is recommending that the \$305 million currently available be invested in the projects either not yet in construction or under contract, with the majority being dedicated to U.S. 36 BRT Phase 2, the I-225 Corridor and North Metro Corridor.

Also, the staff recommends pursuit of a .2% sales tax increase election in November 2011. The RTD Board has not made a decision yet on a tax increase, but is expected to do so at the Feb. 22 Board meeting.

For a complete overview of the staff recommendation, as well as a copy of last night's presentation and a Frequently Asked Questions sheet, please visit the FasTracks [website](#). We invite you to provide any comments through our website as well.

Thank you for your continued support!