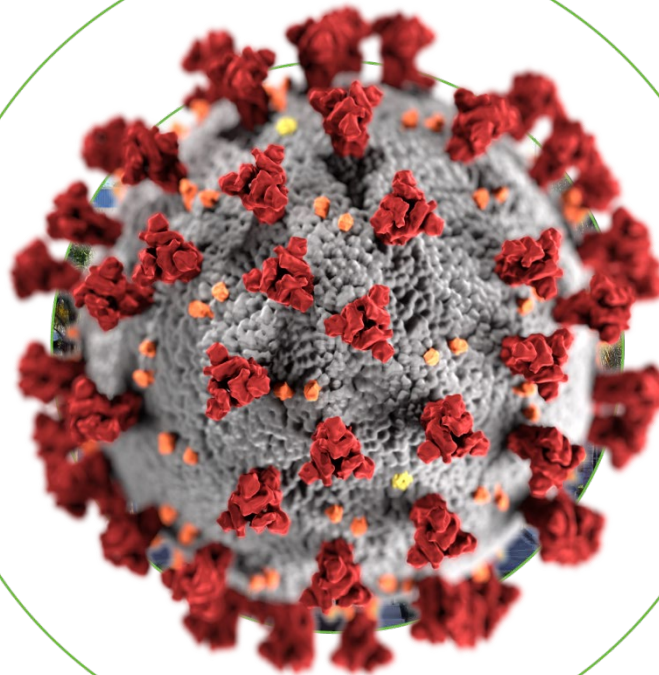


# GCTD COVID-19 REPORT TO GCTD BOARD OF DIRECTORS

June 3, 2020



## 191 Total Employees (All Departments)

- **0 COVID-19 employee positive cases**  
Confirmed or self-reported
- **19 employees on COVID-19 leave**  
Self-Quarantine or COVID-19 related
- **7 employees on non COVID-19 leave**  
other reasons

**To date: 3,000+ hours of COVID related absences**

# TEAMWORK



## **GCTD's COVID-19 Successful Response Reflects Collaboration**

- Operations & Planning Implementation of Reduced Service Schedule
- PPE Acquisition (Procurement/Facilities)
- Union Input
- Vehicle Sanitization Efforts
- Social Media Communication
- Mutual Aid - Shared Information w/other agencies

**Adaptivity (No Pandemic Response Handbook)**

# HUMAN RESOURCES COVID-19 PROTOCOL

- Developed set of procedures for managers, supervisors and other employees to follow in response to possible COVID-19 contamination.
- Several different scenarios are represented in the procedures.
- The protocol has been activated a few times.

**All employees at GCTD have access to the following PPE equipment.**

- **Facemasks**
- **Gloves**
- **Hand Sanitizer**
- **Goggles / Safety Glasses**
- **Thanks to Ventura County**



## ACTIONS TAKEN TO DATE:

- Emergency declaration by GM Steve Brown
- Encourage Social Distancing By:
  - Providing Rear Door Boarding
  - Encouraging Essential Travel Only
  - Suspension of Fare Collection
  - Monitoring/Limiting Vehicle Loads
  - Placement of the Yellow “Stand Back” further from Operator
  - Followed CDC Recommendations
- Recommendation for riders to wear mask
  - Operators provided masks for customers.

# Rear Door Boarding





## Strongly Recommend Face Coverings

 **COVID-19** 


**To the maximum extent possible, PASSENGERS NEED TO WEAR A FACE COVER or CLOTH MASK AT ALL TIMES.**

Face Masks      Neck Gaiters/Warmers      Scarf/Bandana




Cloth face coverings does not prevent the wearer from getting sick, but may prevent the spread of the virus from the wearer to others. N-95 & Surgical masks should be reserved for health care workers.

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 **COVID-19** 

**En la medida de lo posible, LOS PASAJEROS DEBEN USAR UNA CUBIERTA DE TELA PARA LA CARA O MASCARILLA EN TODO MOMENTO.**

Mascarilla      Polaina de cuello      Pañuelo



Las mascarillas no evitan que el usuario se enferme, pero pueden prevenir la propagación del virus del usuario a otros. Las mascarillas quirúrgicas y N-95 deben reservarse para los trabajadores de la salud.

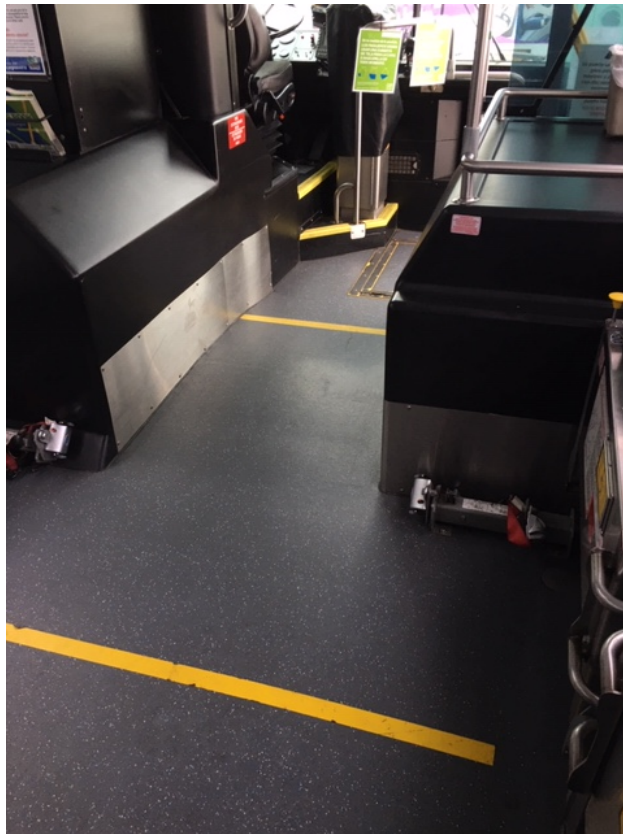
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# Essential Trips Only



# Social Distancing on Buses

## Extend Yellow Distance Line

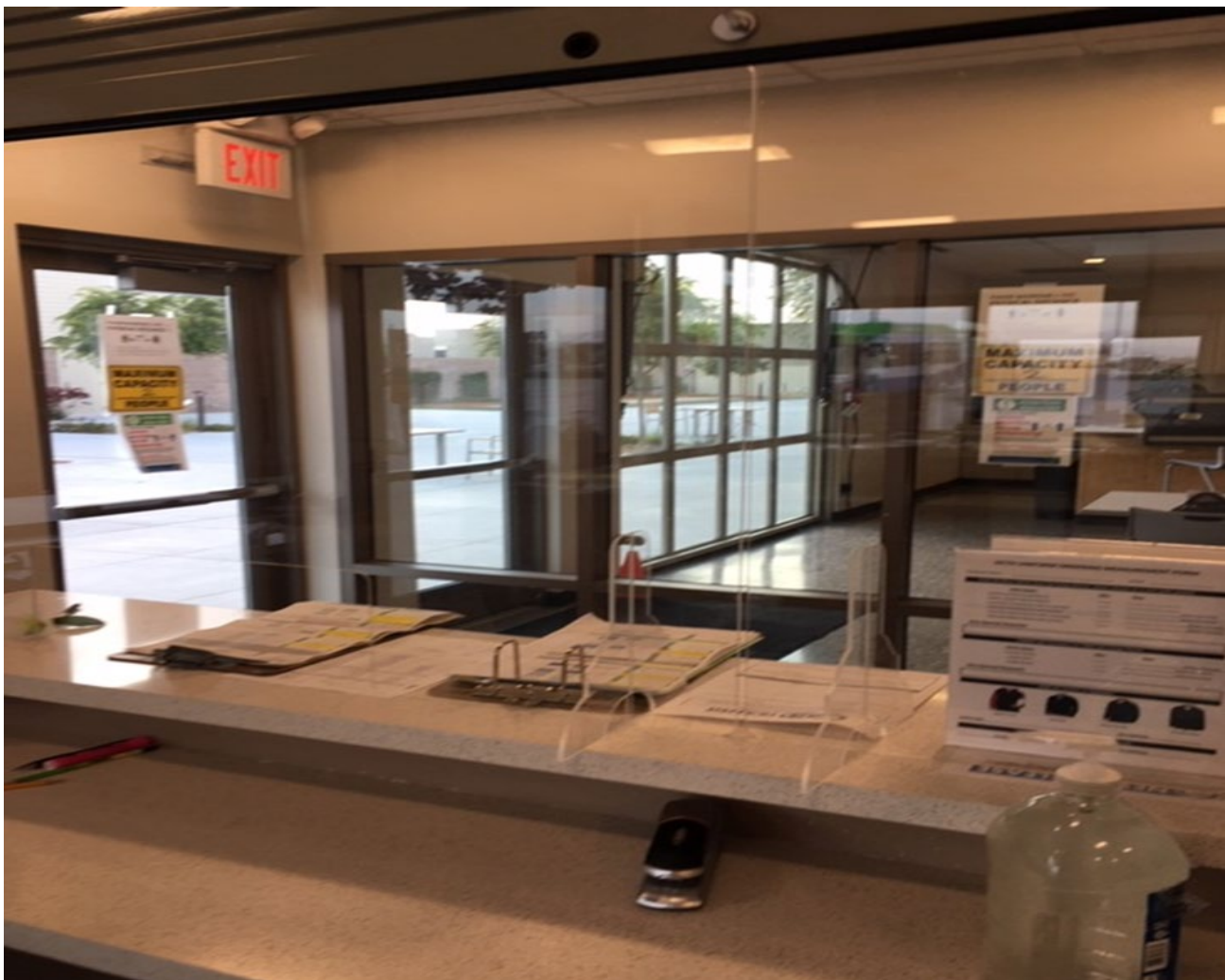


## Plastic Caution Tape Separation





## Sneeze Guards Installed in Dispatch



# ADAPTABILITY

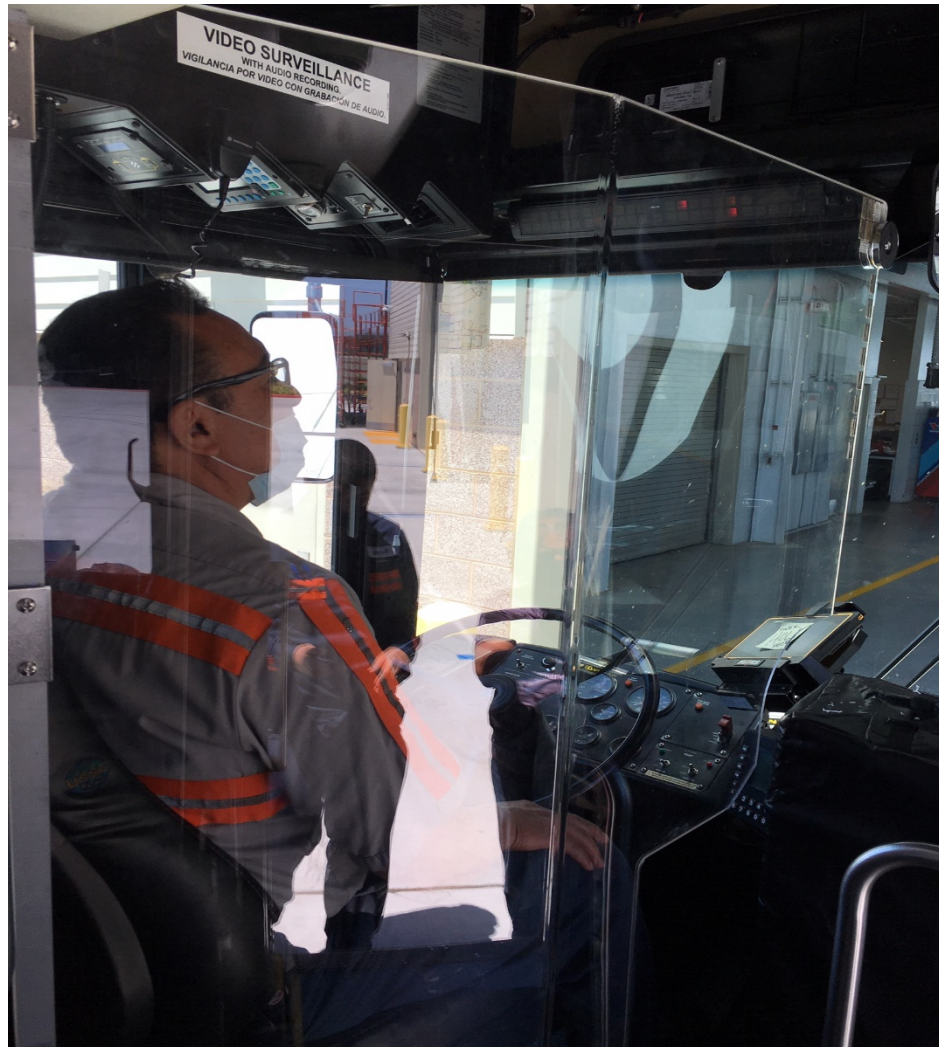
- **SANITIZATION PROTOCOLS INTRODUCED:**
- Facility Sanitized Multiple Times Daily
- In-Service Bus Sanitization
  - 5 dedicated positions
  - VTC, OTC, PV Mall
- Maintenance Sanitizes
  - ALL Buses Nightly
  - “SANITIZED” TAG



## NEXT STEPS:

- Maintain PPE Stock
- Full-Service Implementation (Monitor Staffing)
- Re-Introduce Fare Collection
- Lifting Maximum Passenger Loads on Bus
- Institutionalize Cleaner/Sanitizer Positions
- Contact-Less Fare Campaign (Token Transit)
- Driver Barriers

# Driver Barrier Test



# **THANK YOU TO THE FRONTLINE WORKERS!!**

- **Bus Operators**
- **Operations Supervisors & Manager**
- **In-Route Sanitizing Crew**
- **Maintenance & Facility Staff**
- **CSC Staff**



# Questions?