

Welfare to Work to Career

GOALS:

- 1 Create programs in partnership with others to effectively serve welfare to work clients.
- 2 Enhance mobility for welfare to work clients, especially access to childcare, training, and jobs.
- 3 Strive to be an employer that provides opportunities to welfare to work clients.

STRATEGIES:

PARTNERSHIPS Seek partnerships with social service agencies, employers, transit providers, and MTC to plan and implement programs and improvements that will be of particular benefit to welfare to work clients.

ACCESS Undertake access improvements consistent with the Board-approved Access Management and Improvement Policy Framework, focusing on improvements that will be of particular benefit to welfare to work clients.

TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT Promote transit-oriented development (TOD) at, and within, walking distance of BART stations. TODs incorporating a variety of land uses, such as childcare, housing, neighborhood-serving retail, services, educational training opportunities, and jobs can help simplify trip-making for welfare to work clients.

EMPLOYMENT Define a program to offer opportunities to welfare to work individuals for hiring and training at BART. The program may be carried out internally or externally to BART.

