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**AGENDA ITEM 4b**  
HCAOG Board Meeting  
October 3, 2024

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DATE: September 26, 2024  
TO: Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)  
FROM: Beth Burks, Executive Director  
SUBJECT: Week Without Driving

### **Presentation**

The HCAOG Board declared September 30 to October 6, 2024, the Week Without Driving by proclamation at their September Board meeting. This year HCAOG is co-sponsoring the Week Without Driving along with the Coalition for Responsible Transportation Priorities, Humboldt Transit Authority, and Tri-Counties Independent Living.

The Week Without Driving is a national challenge that encourages elected officials, policy makers, and transportation professionals to give up their car for a week and experience the transportation system as a nondriver to better understand the barriers nondrivers experience in accessing our communities.

As part of HCAOG's sponsorship of this year's Week Without Driving challenge, Peggy Martinez, mobility consultant from Creative Inclusions will present "The Week Without Driving: Why it Exists, and How Accessible Programs and Services can Create Meaningful Efficiencies".

TAC members can sign up to take the Week Without Driving challenge at: <https://transportationpriorities.org/weekwithoutdriving/>

Additionally, two Walk Audits are scheduled for Wednesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> from noon to 1 p.m. and Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 5 to 6 p.m. (click the link to see the flyer).

<https://transportationpriorities.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/09/Walk-Audit-Flyer.png>