

Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Specialized Transportation Commission

Thursday, October 26, 2017

5:00 PM

City County Building, Room 321

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A. Call To Order

Staff & Guests: J Betzig, P Zander, Suprvisor Matano

Meeting called to order by Durocher at 5:24 p.m.

Present 5 - MATT VELDRAN, CARL DUROCHER, PATRICK DOWNING, DEE NASH, and

MICHELE RITT

Absent 4 -JENNIFER HARDESTY, DENNIS O'LOUGHLIN, ROBIN SCHMIDT, and PAUL

B. Consideration of Minutes

2017

Specialized Transportation Commission Minutes 9/28/2017

MIN-328

Attachments:

STC Minutes 09282017 Final

A motion was made by DOWNING, seconded by RITT, that the Minutes be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - VELDRAN, DUROCHER, DOWNING, NASH and RITT

Absent: 4 - HARDESTY, O'LOUGHLIN, SCHMIDT and BITTORF

C. Action Items

1. Approve Draft s85.21 Application for Calendar year 2018

The s85.21 application for calendar year 2018 will fund five projects: Rural Community Access - Group Transportation, Community Access - Individual Transportation, Volunteer Driver Program, Urban Paratransit Coordination and Senior Diversity Program Transportation.

2017 **RPT-434** [2018 s85.21 Application Draft 10262017

Attachments: 2018 s85.21 Application in draft format 10262017

A motion was made by DOWNING, seconded by DUROCHER, that this Report be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - VELDRAN, DUROCHER, DOWNING, NASH and RITT

Absent: 4 - HARDESTY, O'LOUGHLIN, SCHMIDT and BITTORF

D. Presentations

None

E. Reports to Committee

1. s85.21 Allocation for calendar year 2018

S85.21 Allocation for calendar year 2017 \$936,513 S85.21 Allocation for calendar year 2018 \$943656

The increase of \$7,143 will be allocated to the two largest Dane County Department of Human Services Transportation Programs: Retired Senior Volunteer Program and Rural Senior Group Transportation Program.

2017 RPT-432 s85.21 Allocation for Calendar Year 2018

Attachments: s85.21 Allocation for Calendar Year 2018 10262017

2. s85.21 Budget Report

2017 MPO Revised Budget Draft with full s85.21

RPT-477

Attachments: MPO Revised Budget Draft with full 85.21 Funds 10262017

3. Public Hearing s85.21

November 14, 2017

5:00 pm

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Discussion to possibly move the public hearing to the City County Building or

ADRC in 2018.

4. City Council Report

Transportation Manager attended the October 2017 City Council meeting to appeal the deduction of \$7481 from the Section 5310 Mobility Management grant for calendar year 2018. The Council suggested possibly amending the 2018 Mobility Management grant with carryover funds from calendar year 2017.

5. NEMT Letter

2017 NEMT Letter 2017

RPT-433

Attachments: NEMT Letter 10262017

The Commission reviewed the attached letter regarding the renewal of the NEMT state contract. The Commission supports the issues in the letter.

6. Employee Transportation Assistance Semi Annual Report

From January 1, 2017 through June 30, 2017: 249 client received Job Search transportation.

90% of these clients were contacted and 77% of the contacted clients found work. From 2014 to date 80% of all clients who received job search transportation were contacted and 75% of the contacted clients found work. The Employment Transportation Assistance Program continues to be successful.

2017 ETA 2014 2015 2016 2017 (6 Month) Percentage

RPT-473

<u>Attachments:</u> ETA 2014 2015 2016 2017 Percentage 10262017

2017 ETA 2014 2015 2016 2017 6 MONTH TOTAL

RPT-474

Attachments: ETA 2014 2015 2016 2017 Percentage 6 month Total 10262017

2017 ETA 2017 ANNUAL PERCENTAGE 6 MONTHS

RPT-475

Attachments: ETA 2017 ANNUAL PERCENTAGE 6 Months 10262017

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

No November Meeting

Next Meeting: December 7, 2017 City County Building Room 321 5:15 pm

G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

Metro Paratransit Public Hearting October 11, 2017

Three hour public hearing. Participants main concerns were: door-to-door versus curb-to-curb service, difficulties with cash fares and providing the leave attended service.

2. City, County and Alderman Meeting

County Transportation Manager, City Metro Paratransit Manager, Supervisor Ritt and Alderman Kemble reviewed transportation options and potential changes in 2018. .

3. Family Care

The County will approach the MCOs and ICAs regarding group transportation service to adult day center and work shelters.

H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

I. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 pm

Minutes respectfully submitted by Peter Zander