



Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Specialized Transportation Commission

Consider: Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Wednesday, November 19, 2025

5:15 PM

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If you want to submit a written comment for this meeting, or send handouts for board members, please send them to: moll.jana@danecounty.gov

A. Call To Order

Staff and Guests Present: Nathanael Brown, Jana Moll

Chair Veldran called the meeting to order at 5:15 pm.

Present 6 - BILL CARTER, JENNIFER HARDESTY, BEN LYMAN, Supervisor MATT VELDRAN, ADAM BRABENDER, and RON KUHN
Absent 3 - Supervisor MICHELE DOOLAN, Supervisor KERRY MARREN, and TOMMY RYLANDER

B. Consideration of Minutes

[2025](#)
[MIN-337](#)

STC AUGUST MINUTES

Attachments: [8.27.25 STC Minutes](#)

A motion was made by BRABENDER that the Minutes be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 6 - CARTER, HARDESTY, LYMAN, VELDRAN, BRABENDER and KUHN

Absent: 3 - DOOLAN, MARREN and RYLANDER

C. Presentations

None.

D. Action Items

1. Approve the s85.21 - County Elderly and Disabled Transportation Assistance Program, Grant Application for Calendar Year 2026

A motion was made by LYMAN that the 2026 s85.21 Grant Application be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - CARTER, LYMAN, VELDRAN, BRABENDER and KUHN

Absent: 3 - DOOLAN, MARREN and RYLANDER

Abstain: 1 - HARDESTY

[2025](#) 2026 85.21 APPLICATION WORKBOOK (DRAFT)
[PRES-188](#)

Attachments: [2026_85_21_Application_Workbook](#)

E. Reports to Commission

1. Updates from Transportation Call Center - Nathanael Brown

Brown mentioned a bill is going to be introduced into the Wisconsin State Legislature for volunteer driver insurance protection.

2. Updates from Greater Madison Metropolitan Planning Organization - Ben Lyman

Lyman said Metro Transit is now serving Verona and Monona, and paratransit is available in both of them as well.

Lyman mentioned at the last MPO Policy Board Meeting the Tip Amendment was approved to include the 5310 Project Awards. The projects funded were the Mobility Management Project for the county, Paratransit eligibility coordinator at Metro and New Bridge Madison operational funding.

Lyman brought up the concern over the out of class electric vehicles (OCEV). You don't peddle these, you push a button and can go from 30 to 60 mph. They are not legal to use on roads or sidewalks, only on private property. The MPO is working on drafting recommendations for local communities and the State to look at local restrictions.

F. Future Meeting Items and Dates

[2025](#) 2026 STC CALENDAR
[RPT-503](#)

Attachments: [STC Calendar 2026 DRAFT](#)

G. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

None.

H. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

None.

I. Adjourn

A motion was made by KUHN that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by a voice vote 6-0.

The meeting adjourned at 6:13 pm.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Jana Moll.

Present 8 - DONALD ASHBAUGH, BILL CARTER, JENNIFER HARDESTY, BEN LYMAN, Supervisor MATT VELDRAN, SHAR BRUNES, ADAM BRABENDER, and RON KUHN

Absent 3 - Supervisor MICHELE DOOLAN, Supervisor KERRY MARREN, and TOMMY RYLANDER