

**REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
CITIZENS MULTIMODAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE
Meeting Minutes**

Wednesday, September 4, 2019

CMAC Members Present

Chun (Alan) Chao	Laura Azzam
Vince Harris	Mark Tadder
Chair, Molly O'Brien	Rudy Leon
Paul Malikowski	Harvey Katz
Scot A. Munns	Vice-Chair, Jeff Bonano
Suraj P. Verma	

CMAC Members Absent

Majima Mayuko	Dora Uchel
Sigurd Jaunarajs	

RTC Staff

Dan Doenges	David Carr
Rebecca Kapuler	Michael Dulude
Jacqueline Maldonado	

CMAC Guest

Jillian Keller, Reno Bike Project	Twyla Lemay, Public
Stephanie Chen, WCSD	Robert Mulvana, Reno Citizens Advisory Committee

The Citizens Multimodal Advisory Committee (CMAC) met in the RTC 1st Floor Conference Room, 1105 Terminal Way, Reno, Nevada. The meeting was called to order at 5:31 p.m. by the Chair, Molly O'Brien.

ITEM 1. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The agenda was approved as submitted.

ITEM 2. PUBLIC COMMENT

Ms. Stephanie Chen, at present representing, the Washoe County School District, gave a public comment of she will be attending the RTC TAC meetings for current activities of the environment transportation.

Mr. Robert Mulvana, at present representing, the Reno Citizens Advisory Committee, had comments about weapons concerns and he gave a handout of an email from the City of Reno, mayor's office.

ITEM 3. APPROVAL OF THE AUGUST 7, 2019 MEETING MINUTES

The minutes of the CMAC meeting August 7, 2019, were approved as corrected.

ITEM 4. RECOMMEND APPROVAL OF THE FFY 2020-2024 REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager briefed the committee on the FFY 2020-2024 Regional Transportation Improvement Program which, will go the RTC Board on September 20, 2019, for approval. He stated comments were received from the Washoe County Health District for the Ozone status. A copy of the PowerPoint presentation is on file at the RTC Metropolitan Planning Department.

Scot A. Munns asked about the submittal of comments online for the FFY 2020-2024 RTIP document. Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager stated at the RTC website and directly to him for the FFY 2024 RTIP 21 day public comment period. There was no discussion.

Harvey Katz made a motion to recommend approval of the FFY 2020-2024 Regional Transportation Improvement Program.

Vice-Chair, Jeff Bonano seconded.

The motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 5. ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF A REPORT ON THE RTC PROJECT PRIORITIZATION FRAMEWORK

Dan Doenges, Planning manager gave a presentation on the RTC Project Prioritization Framework. A copy of the PowerPoint presentation is on file at the RTC Metropolitan Planning Department. He then asked if there any questions.

Scot A. Munns asked about the Sierra Street projects listed in the Large and Small list from the PowerPoint presentation and also asked about the cross signal at I-80 street area projects.

Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager stated the projects listed in the large projects are bridge replacement projects and the small projects are at Sierra Street to Ninth Street to Virginia Street and also we are looking into implementing a 2-way cycle track and sidewalk improvements and the I-80 area improvement projects are from Riverside Drive to the University Terrace.

Mark Tadder asked about the bridge project scores on Sierra Street. Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager stated the scores don't reflect the infrastructure scores that the bridge is rated against and NDOT provides the rates and scores for structural proficiencies.

Suraj P. Verma made a motion to acknowledge receipt of report on the RTC project prioritization framework.

Scot A. Munns seconded.

The motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 6. ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF A PRESENTATION ON THE ADA TRANSITION PLAN UPDATE

Rebecca Kapuler, RTC Senior Planner gave a presentation on the ADA Transition Plan Update. A copy of the PowerPoint presentation is on file at the RTC Metropolitan Planning Department. The draft plan is on the RTC website for feedback. She then asked if there were questions and there were no questions given.

Laura Azzam made a motion to acknowledge receipt of a presentation on the ADA Transition Plan Update.

Mark Tadder seconded.

ITEM 7. REPORTS

There were comments given on the RTC Board Minutes for the recognition of the Sparks' Mayor Ron Smith's 70th Birthday.

ITEM 8. MEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS/AGENDA ITEMS FOR FUTURE CMAC MEETINGS

Laura Azzam had comments on the multimodal projects and commented the green space at Victorian Avenue in the City Sparks and she had concerns on the wide sloping curbs and requested different curb shapes for an improvement project. Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager stated he will contact the City of Sparks. A discussion continued.

Mark Tadder asked about the RTC FlexRIDE service app and would like to assist with the app's ADA accessible. Michael Dulude, RTC Transit/Planner Scheduler stated he will give the information to Ed Park, RTC Transit Planner to contact him.

Vice-Chair, Jeff Bonano commended on the RTC transportation for the Best in the West Nugget Rib Cook-Off event and also announced he received feedback from the National Judicial College employees at the UNR campus which, they commended the RTC Sierra Spirit transit service and he stated that they commended the service was beneficial and hoping of transportation availability soon. He also gave comments on a new mural at the Keystone underpass and to go view the mural.

Paul Malikowski asked about the scooters coordination with the Cities of Reno and Sparks plan/studies. Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager gave an update on the contracted company for the studies and the safety concerns on the electric scooters and Rebecca Kapuler, RTC Senior Planner stated Bantum Strategies is contracted for the studies on the electric scooters. A discussion continued on the electric scooters.

Chair, Molly O'Brien announced that there is a Nevada Truck Traffic Safety Summit coming up in October 14-17, 2019 and she will give the link to Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager to give to the committee.

ITEM 9. RTC/RIDE/ACCESS STAFF ITEMS

Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager announced the RTC Affordable Housing Study on September 12, 2019, at the McKinley Arts Center from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. He also announced the RTC's MPO Certification review meeting on Tuesday, September 24, 2019, at 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and a CMAC agenda item will be given following the MPO Certification review.

Michael Dulude, RTC Transit/Planner Scheduler announced the microtransit service and the RTC RIDE Route 25 and 26 service changes and updates to the transit service. He stated that there is upcoming marketing information and will be distributed within the next 2 months. He stated the RTC Sierra Spirit was replaced with the RTC UNR-Midtown Direct service and gave updates on the service changes which, he stated are similar to the RTC Sierra Spirit. He stated on November 2, 2019, RTC RIDE Route 9 will be re-routed.

Vice-Chair, Jeff Bonano requested a current map or route schedule to view on the Midtown Direct service. Michael Dulude, RTC Transit/Planner Scheduler stated he will give a copy of a marketing piece to Dan Doenges, RTC Planning Manager, to give to the CMAC committee.

Harvey Katz asked if the information on the transit service changes were online. Michael Dulude, RTC Transit/Planner stated the service changes are on the RTC website. Mark Tadder asked about the costs for the service and the on time performance. Michael Dulude, RTC Transit/Planner Scheduler stated that the Midtown Direct service fare is the standard RTC RIDE fare and the on time performance is at around 92 percent.

Laura Azzam asked about the route detours for the Midtown Direct service and Michael Dulude, RTC Transit/Planner Scheduler stated the detours are due to the RTC Virginia Street Project construction, he stated the RTC UNR Midtown Direct service will change and update when the RTC Virginia Line RAPID is extended to the University which, is in early 2021.

ITEM 10. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no public comments given.

ITEM 11. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:29 p.m.