

TRANSIT COMMITTEE

Public Agency Center
West Bend WI

March 10, 2008
9:00 a.m.

Present: Lawrence S. Hoffman, Rick Gundrum, Roy C. Justman, and Paul A. Tuchscherer.

Absent: Joan A. Russell.

Also Present: Aging & Disability Resource Center Director Linda Olson, Appointed Transit Manager Joseph Steier, Highway Commissioner Kenneth Pesch, County Clerk Brenda Jaszewski, Jim Christian and Gary Turtenwald, Riteway, Inc., Steve Johnson and Sandy Ziehr, Johnson Bus.

Chairperson Hoffman called the meeting to order and read the Affidavit of Posting.

MINUTES

Moved by Mr. Justman, seconded by Mr. Gundrum to approve the minutes of February 18, 2008 as presented. Motion carried.

WASHINGTON COUNTY SHARED-RIDE TAXI UPDATE

Ms. Olson reviewed the Washington County Share Ride Taxi Report.

WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUTER EXPRESS UPDATE

Ms. Olson reviewed the 2008 WCCE Ridership Summary, and the 2007 WCCE ridership, stating that in 2007 total ridership was 94,691, which is a 3% decrease from the 2006 total of 94,869.

Mr. Hoffman provided a summary of the programs and projects the Transit Committee has been working on over the last several years. He emphasized the importance of continuing the work to provide adequate park and ride lots for the WCCE. Ms. Ziehr stated the new Route Match software has provided efficiencies and expects additional efficiencies to be realized in the future. Ms. Olson discussed the overage in the 2007 fuel account for Transit. Ms. Olson is recommending a complete Transit Study for the county be conducted through SEWRPC. Mr. Joseph Steier was introduced as the newly appointed Transit Manager.

DESIGNATION OF FUTURE MEETINGS

Future meetings will be conducted as the Transportation Committee and will begin after April 15, 2008.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Mr. Tuchscherer, seconded by Mr. Gundrum, to adjourn the meeting at 9:45 a.m. Motion carried.

Brenda J. Jaszewski, County Clerk