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Accessible Transportation Strategic (ATS) Policy Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting **AGENDA**

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DATE: Friday, October 9, 2020
TIME: 11:00 AM
PLACE: REFER TO COVID-19 SPECIAL NOTICE

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1. CONVENE MEETING

2. INTRODUCTIONS

3. PUBLIC COMMENT: Members of the public are invited to address the Committee regarding any item that is not listed on the agenda. Please refer to the COVID-19 Special Notice for Public Comment guidelines.

4. APPROVAL OF SUMMARY OF ACTIONS

A. Accessible Transportation Strategic (ATS) Plan Policy Advisory Committee Summary of Actions from August 10, 2020

5. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

- A. Significant public outreach was completed regarding gaps and needs around accessible transportation. The PAC will receive an overview of findings from the outreach.
- B. Overview and Discussion of Coordination Organization Structures and Potential Strategies. Staff will provide a brief overview and the PAC will have an opportunity to discuss potential advantages, disadvantages, and barriers.
- C. Discussion of Potential Criteria for Evaluation of Strategies. The PAC will discuss and provide feedback on potential ways to evaluate and prioritize needs and strategies.

6. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- A. November 18, 2020 – Evaluation of Strategies
- B. January 2021 (Final Meeting) – Review Plan

7. ADJOURNMENT to the next regular meeting proposed for November 18, 2020 at 2:00 PM.

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*Accessible Transportation Strategic (ATS) Plan Policy Advisory
Committee (PAC) Meeting* **SUMMARY OF ACTIONS**

MEETING DATE: Monday, August 10, 2020

ACTIONS LISTED BY: Firdaus Jahan

MEMBERS PRESENT:
Candace Andersen, Member
Charlie Anderson, Member
Ian Bremner, Member
Teresa Gerringer, Member
Nicole Howell, Member
Dave Hudson, Member
Mike Hursh, Member
Jeanne Kreig, Member
Josh Sullivan, Member
Debbie Toth, Member

STAFF PRESENT:
Peter Engel
Tarienne Grover
Firdaus Jahan

MEMBERS ABSENT:
Debora Allen, Member
Rick Ramacier, Member

A. CONVENE MEETING

DISCUSSION: The meeting convened at 2:01 p.m.

B. INTRODUCTIONS

C. PUBLIC COMMENT: Members of the public are invited to address the Authority regarding any item that is not listed on the agenda. Please refer to the COVID-19 Special Notice for Public Comment guidelines.

D. DISCUSSION: There were no public comments.

1. REGULAR AGENDA ITEMS

- 1. Background of Accessible Transportation Strategic (ATS) Plan. The Policy Advisory Committee (PAC) will be provided a brief history of the genesis of the ATS Plan and its purpose. Staff Contact: Peter Engel (No Attachment – Information) DISCUSSION:** Presentation was given by Richard Weiner, Principal at Nelson/Nygaard.

Outcomes of Outreach. Significant public outreach has occurred to date regarding gaps and needs around accessible transportation. The PAC will receive a briefing of public outreach during the pandemic and Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) involvement in the process. Staff Contact: Peter Engel *(No Attachment – Information)*

DISCUSSION: Presentation was given by Richard Weiner, Principal at Nelson/Nygaard.

3. **Discuss Challenges and Opportunities.** The current operating environment has developed reactively in response to changing regulatory requirements and funding silos. Previous study recommendations have seen limited implementation. Staff will brief the PAC on the historical perspective of these issues and address how the ATS Plan can help improve service delivery moving forward. Staff Contact: Peter Engel *(No Attachment – Information)*

DISCUSSION: Presentation was given by Naomi Armenta, Senior Associate II and Richard Weiner, Principal at Nelson/Nygaard.

2. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

3. **ADJOURNMENT** to the next regular meeting proposed for October 2020.

DISCUSSION: The meeting adjourned at 3:28 p.m.