

# MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

## MINUTES

January 19, 2022

The Multimodal Transportation Commission met on the above date at 5:30 p.m. via Zoom.

Members Present: Mr. Chad Carwein      Ms. Dionne Evans      Mr. Andrew Denton  
                         Mr. Bob Edwards      Mr. Daniel Hemme  
                         Mr. Hunter Peyton

Staff Present:      Mr. Ryan Mayers      Mr. Eliud De Jesus      Mrs. Donna Kabakjian

Council Liaison:

Members absent: Ms. Dee Dinsdale  
                         Mr. Trey Smith

Guests:

### **I. Call to order**

Mr. Char Carwein called the meeting together

### **II. Roll Call/Establish Quorum**

Donna Kabakjian called roll and established a quorum.

### **III. Approval of November 17, 2021 Minutes**

Mr. Daniel Hemme made a motion to approve. Mr. Andrew Denton second the motion. Minutes were approved unanimously.

### **IV. Approval of December 8, 2021 Special Meeting Minutes**

Mr. Daniel Hemme made a motion to approve. Ms. Dionne Evans second the motion. Minutes were approved unanimously.

### **V. Announcements:**

Mr. Chad Carwein noted that there was no place for announcements but wanted to add a couple to the meeting. Welcomed new member, Ms. Arcina Dixon to the board. Thanked Ryan Mayers for heading up Transit and knows that there are big plans for him. Mr. Carwein moved on to new business.

### **VI. New Business**

#### **o Integrated Mobility & Enhancement Plan**

- Ryan Mayers gave an update on the ongoing study.
- Announced that Kevin Mulligan would be the new contact person until further notice.
- Ryan stated that the survey team was tabulating the results from the survey and analyzing the information. Ryan did talk to the team about diving in a little more into the integration all forms of mobility, dealing with ECU and Pit Area Transit not just one area. There should be a more detailed update at the March meeting.

- Question: What were some of the key take a ways so far? Ryan stated that hours of transportation, routes, and dessert areas where no transit routes run were just some of the information so far.
- **GUAMPO Update**
  - Still waiting on some updates – looking at spring of 2022 – updated plans will be submitted with minutes. Lots of information that is being tabulated into different reports.
  - Possible study into passenger rail – looking into it. Merely a test at this time. Did not score high.
  - Pitt County is also working on a transportation plan including bike paths. GIS now has access to grocery stores and medical areas so that they can include that information into total transportation plan.
- **ARPA Funds Update – Open Discussion**
  - Question: Is there a new list of updates on how the city plans to spend the money.
  - Haven't heard back from the city regarding the letter that was sent to City Council.
  - This was tabled till the March meeting.

**VII. Proposed Agenda Items for March 16, 2022**

ARPA Fund Update

Raise/Tiger Grants Update

Update from Police Department about left turns

**VIII. Adjourn Meeting**

Mr. Chad Carwein asked for a motion to adjourn. Ms. Dionne Evans made a motion and it was seconded by Bod Edwards. Adjournment was unanimous.

Respectfully submitted,  
Donna Kabakjian, Secretary

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