SENIOR TRANSPORTATION COALITION

Thursday, April 6, 2017
1:30 pm - 3:00pm
Pathways Hospice, Longs Peak Room
305 Carpenter Rd. Fort Collins, CO

AGENDA

STC Chair Updates
1. Welcome and introductions
2. Review of Meeting Notes (December)
3. Chair Update (Thomas)
   - Larimer County Senior Transportation
   - Senior Travel Training Program
4. Chair Election
5. Larimer County Senior Transportation Needs Report Update (Mason/Sieff)
6. Discussion Items:
   - Travel Training Update
   - Coordinated Public Transit/Human Services Transportation Plan (Gordon)
7. Member Updates
8. Next STC meeting – June 1, 2017
9. Adjourn
MEETING NOTES

ATTENDEES:

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<td>Carly Sieff</td>
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<td>Leslie Roy</td>
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<td>Gary Thomas</td>
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<td>Alex Gordon</td>
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<td>Ruth Fletcher-Carter</td>
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<td>Katy Mason</td>
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STC Chair Updates

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<td>Travel Trainings – PAFC is coming up with a schedule for travel trainings. Enzio’s has closed in downtown Fort Collins, so the STC will have to come up with a new restaurant for regional Travel Trainings. Ruth stated she will inquire about travel trainings on Bustang. Loveland has hired a Bicycle and Pedestrian Planner.</td>
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Discussion Items

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<th>LARIMER COUNTY SENIOR TRANSPORT STUDY</th>
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<td>Carly Sieff, Senior Transportation Planner at Fehr and Peers, gave a presentation to the group. Best practices were divided into peer communities and possible services. A draft survey was handed out for comments. Suzette asked how many responses are needed to be statistically valid. Katy stated they are looking for 400 survey responses. The group discussed the length of the survey, as older adults may be less willing to complete a long survey. The group suggested added directions stating respondents can have their children or aides read questions to them. A copy of the survey will be emailed out for comments and feedback. STC members also discussed focus groups, including locations. Four are being planned across unincorporated Larimer County. What barriers exist for seniors to attend these focus groups? Would an RSVP be required to attend? Information will be decided and forwarded to the group.</td>
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<td>Alex stated he had reached out to David Averill about 5310 funding in Larimer County. It is currently used for the NFRMPO’s Mobility Coordination Program and for the Dial-a-Taxi program. The group decided it should reach out to David for more information about funding.</td>
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Member Updates

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<td>The I-25 expansion is moving forward. CDOT hopes to have a</td>
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**Next Meeting:** **Thursday, February 2, 2017 - 1:30 to 3:00pm**  
Pathways Hospice/Aspen Room - 305 Carpenter Road, Fort Collins

**ADJOURN** | Meeting adjourned at 3:01 p.m. |
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Senior Transportation Coalition Meeting Schedule
Pathways Hospice · Long’s Peak Room · 305 Carpenter Rd. · Fort Collins, CO

1st Thursday of every other month:

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<th>February 2nd</th>
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** STC meetings may be canceled up to three days in advance of the meeting at the discretion of the STC Chair. For the most current meeting information, please contact Alex Gordon at (970) 416-2023 or agordon@nfrmpo.org.
Introduction

Who is the NFRMPO?

• Represents 15 communities in Northern Colorado
• Transportation and Air Quality Planning
• Provides information, tools, and public input needed for improving the regional transportation system’s performance
Introduction

What is the Coordinated Plan?

- Identifies the transportation needs of individuals with disabilities, older adults, and people with low incomes, provides strategies for meeting these needs; and
- Prioritizes transportation services for funding and implementation
- Current Coordinated Plan adopted in December 2013

Features of the Coordinated Plan

- An assessment of transportation needs for individuals with disabilities, seniors, and those with low incomes;
- An assessment of available transportation services that identifies current providers;
- Strategies to address the identified gaps between current services and needs, as well as opportunities to improve efficiencies in service delivery; and
- Priorities for implementing strategies.
Transportation Needs

Total Population with Disabilities

Legend
Overall Population with Disabilities
- Less than 1% - 5%
- 5.1% - 8.1%
- 8.2% - 11.6%
- 11.7% - 15.7%
- 15.8% - 24.8%
- NFRMPO Boundary
- County Boundary

Sources: CDOT, NFRMPO, 2011-2015 American Community Survey

Older Adult Population

Legend
Older Adult Population
- 0.1% - 7%
- 7.1% - 14%
- 14.1% - 21%
- 21.1% - 28%
- 28.1% - 35%
- NFRMPO Boundary
- County Boundary

Sources: CDOT, NFRMPO, 2011-2015 American Community Survey
Transportation Needs

Transportation needs
- Design outreach program to discuss with all populations, agencies, and providers by:
  - Attending events at activity centers
    - Senior Centers
    - Board Meetings
  - Reaching out to caregivers
  - Meeting with advocacy organizations
    - Suggestions?
  - Survey
Available Transportation Services

- Identify existing transit options and services

**Identified gaps**

- Lack of transportation *from and within* surrounding Towns (Severance, Milliken, Johnstown, Windsor, etc.) to Fort Collins, Greeley, Loveland

- Better and more regionally-coordinated training

- No public transit in unincorporated portions of the counties
  - Look at outcomes of Larimer County’s *Senior Transportation Needs Report*
Strategies for Identified gaps

- **Technology** – Uber, Lyft, social networks
- **Volunteer services** (SAINT, Senior Resource Services, etc.)
- **Region-wide Training** (National Transit Institute, Community Transportation Association of America, Federal Transit Administration, etc.)
- **Partnerships** – e.g. what are the outcomes of the Larimer County’s *Senior Transportation Needs Report*?

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**2017 Coordinated Plan**

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