Weld County Mobility Committee (WCMC)—AGENDA
August 27, 2019
1:30 – 3:00 p.m.

1. Call Meeting to Order, Welcome and Introductions
2. Review of Agenda
3. Public Comment *(2 minutes each)*
4. Approval of June 25, 2019 Meeting Minutes

PRESENTATIONS

1) Pronto

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1) Transit Survey Discussion
2) Northern Colorado Transportation Discussion
3) Larimer County Senior Transportation Project Update

GREELEY-EVANS TRANSIT NEWS AND UPDATES

WCMC MEMBER REPORTS

4. Final Public Comment *(2 minutes each)*
5. Next Month’s Agenda Topic Suggestions
6. Next WCMC Meeting: October 22, 2019
Weld County Mobility Committee (WCMC)—MINUTES
June 25, 2019
1:36 p.m. – 2:56 p.m.

1. Call Meeting to Order, Welcome and Introductions
   Members: Leiton Powell, Greeley-Evans Transit; Steve Teets, WAND; Celeste Ewert, Envision; Julie Glover, Greeley Center for Independence; Kathy Davis, Pronto; Dori Baker, Frontier House; Janet Bedingfield, 60+ Ride; Alex Gordon, NFRMPO

   Public: Robyn Upton, Greeley Citizens Bus Improvement Committee

2. Review of Agenda

3. Public Comment (2 minutes each)

4. Approval of April 23, 2019 Meeting Minutes
   Leiton motioned to approve the minutes. Steve seconded the motion and it was approved unanimously.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1) Outreach
   Gordon
   Alex distributed a handout with events where the NFRMPO will attend. The group suggested there be WCMC representation at the following events:
   • July 13th Greeley Subaru Bike event
   • Bike to Work Day (June 26)
   • Project Connect (October 18)
   • Active Adults Center (set up a table)

2) 2045 RTP/Statewide Transportation Plan
   Gordon
   Alex reviewed the 2045 RTP and its separate sections. The RTP is expected to go out for public comment between August 1 and August 31, 2019. Alex will distribute the link and paper copies as requested. Celeste noted there may be more transportation funding if the TABOR repeal happens. The group noted the need for improved services from HCPF.

   Alex distributed the FAQ from the Your Transportation Plan, the statewide transportation plan, website. The group highlighted the needs in Weld County.

3) Larimer County Senior Transportation Project Update
   Gordon
   Alex noted the group is working on figuring out what is necessary versus what is ancillary or an add-on. Steve requested Alex continue to bring updates about the project.

GREELEY-EVANS TRANSIT NEWS AND UPDATES

Leiton provided an update on the Poudre Express. The buses are going to hit the assembly line soon and will be shipped in August. Drivers from GET have practiced the route and have the following drive times: 80 – 85 minutes from Greeley to Fort Collins and 75 minutes from Fort Collins to Greeley. GET is looking at adding a midday service. GET has been approved for 4 additional FTE to operate the route. The estimated
launch is still January 2, 2020. Discussions with Transfort and COLT continue regarding fare reciprocity. The paratransit service to UC Health’s new campus is going well.

**WCMC MEMBER REPORTS**

Celeste is looking to hire direct care staff. Envision continues to receive a $7,000 grant from the City of Greeley for non-reimbursed travel costs.

Dori noted Frontier House members have been successful finding jobs, but there have been some issues with finding transportation to those jobs. She will be buying more GET tickets soon.

Janet stated there is a need for volunteer drivers. 60+ Ride is working with the NFRMPO on a grant opportunity to purchase a wheelchair-accessible van and for operating funds. The Ride and Revel event is on July 20.

Steve noted Mike Timlin came to the Citizens Transportation Advisory Board meeting to discuss Bustang and Bustang Outrider. WAND continues to focus on transportation and affordable housing.

5. **Final Public Comment (2 minutes each)**

6. **Next Month’s Agenda Topic Suggestions**
   - Bustang discussion
   - Pronto

7. **Next WCMC Meeting: August 27, 2019**
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