CAMPUS TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE  
March 18, 2022  
Minutes  
Teams  
8:30am-10:00am

VOTING MEMBERS PRESENT: Traci Snedden – Chair, Sue Ahn, Shawn Arneson, Alex Frank, Bernie Lesieutre, Jill Mullen, Christina Pier, Becky Zart

VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT: Beau Burdett, Ian Hardgrove, Tyler Katzenberger, Aaron Levine, Ethan Nelson

NON-VOTING MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Patrick Kass, Gary Brown

NON-VOTING MEMBERS ABSENT: 

GUESTS: Josh Arnold, Mary Czynszak-Lyne, Susan DeVos, Lauren Hawley, Rob Kennedy, Jon Kjarsgaard, Troy Ruland, Tanara Teal-Tate, Dar Ward

RECORER: Anne Bogan

1. Call to Order, Introductions:
   • Called to Order: 8:32a.m.
   • Approval February 18, 2021 | Minutes – motion to approve the minutes by Jill Mullen and second by Christina Pier
   Approved: Passed

2. Transportation Services Reports & Updates
   • Assistant Vice Chancellor Report: Patrick Kass
     o Still working through the budget process and conversations on reduced rate program
       ▪ Upcoming meetings with the AVC and VCFA
       ▪ Will send out proposed rate changes prior to the next meeting
       ▪ Would like to vote on these changes at the April meeting
       ▪ May need to change the April 18 meeting to April 22 to meet quorum
     o Preparing for the end of the semester and best traffic flow or vehicles and pedestrians
       ▪ UW Commencement & High School Graduations
       ▪ Construction Projects
   • Commuter Solutions Update: Dar Ward
     o In the process of renegotiating our contract with Madison Metro for the campus bus and the final draft is being circulated for signatures
     o Solar Bus Shelters
        ▪ Purchase order in process to be issued
        ▪ Installation may begin summer 2022
     o Electric vehicle charging amenities, putting out a request for information [RFI]
     o Madison Metro is the process of redesigning the city bus network
        ▪ Public virtual meetings are focused on the university
Nationally certified bike classes scheduled for May and June 2022
- League of American Bicyclist will teach a series of classes
  - Traffic 101
  - League Cycling Instructor Seminar Certification
- 8 participants are needed so please pass the word

BCycle has started their services
- Installing 8 new stations on campus
- Still waiting for equipment to arrive

New Pilot Program | Fleet Cycles
- Is a cargo bicycle
- Intended for heavy loads up to 800 pounds
- Testing in various sites nationally and asked UW-Madison to test as well
- Chuck Strawser, Bike/Ped Coordinator will be testing
- Will be approaching grounds and housing to see if they have an interest
- If you know of any one campus that’s an employee, they can test
- Students not employed by the university cannot test as they are not covered under the insurance.
- The testing is scheduled to start in May 2022.

Mask mandate extension on transit: [link](https://transportation.wisc.edu/2022/03/16/madison-metro-transit-mask-mandate-extended-through-april-18/)

**Construction Update: Rob Kennedy** construction map handout.
- Current construction updates can be found on the Transportation Services website.
  - University Ave and U Bay Drive reconstruction project coming Spring 2022 for a two-year project that will include a new bridge that aligns with the Campus Drive bike path
  - New utility line though Walnut Street, one way northbound and will happen during the summer. Round about will not be affected but there will be campus detours.
  - Linden Drive utility project with eastbound traffic only during the summer.
  - Utility project starting in mid-March will turn Observatory Drive to one-way westbound between Bascom Hall & Charter St. and this project will go through the fall and affect Bascom Hall’s Lot 11. Will install a temporary walkway behind jersey barriers for pedestrians.
  - Service Building between University and Johnson St is being torn down to make way for the new CIDS building. This will be an ongoing project for a couple of years. Impacts to University Avenue will be similar to the Chemistry Building impacts.
  - Utility project to start in mid-March at Park St and Johnson St and bus stop will be relocated.
  - Kohl Center project will get started in April and it will close Lot 78 and Kohl Center loading dock.

**3. Chair Discussion: Tracy Snedden – Nothing to report**

**4. Office of Sustainability & Transportation Services Update: Alex Frank**
- Pilot projects that are be collaborated between the office of Stainability and The Transportation Services team
- VCFA came out with additional funding for opportunities to invest in new sustainability related programs.
- Office of Sustainability has worked closely with FP&M units like with our Green Fund to identify project opportunities
- Evaluate them on a number of criteria and advancing sustainability
- Big list of projects
  - Solar energy opportunities offsite investing in electric grounds equipment
  - Additional solar panels on Gordon Dining Hall
  - More meters in buildings
  - Potential solar panel bus shelters
  - Campus electric vehicle charging infrastructure
  - Solar EV charging stations
- Worked with Carey McAndrews’ class last year doing analysis of our fleet vehicles and opportunities for transition.
- Electric vehicle food truck managed by housing
  - Will there be a charge for EV charging stations? We currently do not charge; however, parkers need to be in paid status to use the charging stations by using a parking permit or paid visitor.

5. **Committee Updates**: Campus Planning Committee (CPC) – Aaron Levine [absent] Gary Brown presented -
   - CPC made their final recommendations to the Chancellor on the six-year capital plan
   - There are about 40
   - State enumerated projects over the next six years and a little over $2.6 billion work of work
   - Will know more as we get into the summer months as the system staff review and rank all of the projects against other schools and colleges across systems
   - The recommendations go to the Board of Regents in August
   - There are some parking facilities included in the process

6. **Other Agenda Items**
   - Please let Anne know if you are unable to attend the April 15 meeting, want to make sure we have adequate team members to vote.

7. **Future Agenda Items**:
   - Parking Rates - April Meeting

8. **Adjournment**: 9:08am | Motion to adjourn made by Alex Frank and seconded by Becky Zart

**Next meeting:**
May 20, 2022
8:30a.m. – 10a.m.
Teams Virtual Meeting

**Handouts:**
March 18, 2022 Agenda
February 18, 2021 CTC Minutes
Construction Map (03-2022)
Sustainability PowerPoint Presentation