

Price County Transportation Coordinating Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: February 20, 2023

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: Courthouse County Board Room 101; 126 Cherry St; Phillips, WI 54555

Meeting called to Order and Roll Call: Meeting called to order by Patricia Stephen, Committee Chair at 1:00 p.m.

Present: Jordyn Fink, Sarah Reese-Socha, Pam Snyder, Patricia Stephen. Excused: Carissa Smith.

Also present: Kris Mabie, Nick Trimner, Pat Daoust from BART.

Items for discussion and possible action:

1. Public Comment and Communications: None.
2. Meeting Minutes from August 15, 2022: Motion Reese-Socha/Snyder to approve the minutes from the August 15, 2022 meeting as presented. Motion carried.
3. Membership: Terms ending April 30, 2023: Jordyn Fink (1st term); Clarissa Smith (2nd term); Pam Snyder (1st term): Both Jordyn and Pam are interested in being reappointed. Will reach out to Carissa.
4. Review Committee Function: Pat talked about what other county committees do. The committee needs to decide on the city funding levels.
5. Route Reports: Reviewed ridership data for:
 - a. Park Falls Transit
 - b. Phillips Transit
 - c. Minocqua Transit
6. Program Reports
 - a. Fares and Hours of Operation: Discussed costs. Suggestion for next meeting to lower the fare. Perhaps \$2 for first ride.
 - b. Marketing: Social media push. Pat will get information to Kris. Will review free summer rides for area youth.
 - c. Budget and Funding: City of Phillips doesn't know if they will be funding the bus going forward. Nick and Pat will request being on a future council meeting agenda. Discussed changing the bylaws to include committee membership to incorporate one alderperson from each city.
7. Next meeting date – May 15th
8. Meeting adjourned at 1:44 p.m.

Submitted by: Jean Gottwald, County Clerk