



Transit Advisory Council (TAC) Meeting Minutes

Mission Statement

The Mission of the Transit Advisory Council (TAC) is to advocate for and assist with the implementation of the Carroll County Transportation Development Plan (TDP)

Meeting Date: 9/9/2019

Start Time: 3:00

Location: County Office Building, Room 003

Chairperson: Jenny Graybill

Vice-Chair: Brian Keseling

County Deputy Director:

Topic	Discussion
Attendance:	Stacey Nash, Mary Lane, Scott Graf, Tammy Black, Larry Burbank, Commissioner Frazier, Jenny Graybill, Lib Rood, Lou Yeager, Dana Lunceford, Debby Standiford, Denise Beaver, Scott Graf, Monica White, Heidi Pepin, Celene Steckel, Crystal Winebrenner, Brian Keseling, Gary Legates, Ninette Legates.
Welcome & Brief Introductions	Jenny Graybill called to order the meeting at approximately 3:00 p.m. at the Carroll County Office Building.
Establishment of Quorum	A quorum was established with six of seven voting members present.
Approval of Minutes	A vote was taken for approval of minutes. After receiving a motion and a second, the minutes were unanimously approved
Committees:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Executive Committee: the goal planning for our next meeting we will take all ideas and figure out what our committee can do in the next year to make transportation better in Carroll County. Rider Experience Committee: Brian Keseling stated that there was nothing to report.
Reports	<p>Crystal Winebrenner, ridership report:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ride with Us is working to accommodate out of county transport through a new shuttle going to the Owings Mills Metro for Carroll County residents only. The cost of the trip is still being decided but an average Uber or Lyft ride from Westminster to the Metro is \$54 one way. We are looking to provide service for about 20% of that or less. Trailblazer: Westminster has decreased ridership by 214 passengers or 8% South Carroll has increased ridership by 114 passengers or 17% Eldersburg has increased ridership by 399 passengers or 38% Taneytown has increased ridership by 295 passengers or 19% North Carroll has increased ridership by 320 passengers or 26% <p>Stacey Nash:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Our goal for Trailblazer is a quicker wait time. Some buses will be removed due to low ridership, some will be added and re-routed to make what we have work. Hopefully changes will go into effect in the beginning of January. <p>Tammy Black</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Transit Advisory Council TDP Subcommittee 5-year Plan Preparatory Meeting
Adjournment	Meeting adjourned
Next Meeting Date	Next meeting date is November 18th at 3:00 pm in the County Office Building, Room 105