

MINUTES

LINK TRANSIT PUBLIC TRANSIT ADVISORY COMMISSION

Tuesday, November 12, 2024

5:00 P.M.

Meeting held via Zoom and at 425 S. Lexington Avenue, Burlington, NC 27215 in the
Municipal Conference Room (Lower Level)

MEMBERS PRESENT

Austin Dorval, Burlington
Moses Corbett, Burlington (Secretary)
Ralph Harwood, Elon
Roger Meisenbach, Burlington
Brian Doward, ACC Alternate
Steve Carter, Alamance County
Bonita Brown, Burlington (Vice Chair)
Sean Ewing, Mebane
Montrena Hadley, Mebane Alternate

OTHERS PRESENT

John Andoh, Transit Manager
Roger Renfrow, Transdev
Richard Ticehurst, Transdev
Mike Mills, Citizen
Jacob Campbell, Transdev
Peter Murphy, ACTA

MEMBERS ABSENT

Joyce Harris, Gibsonville
Melissa McBane, Elon Alternate
Blake Slaughter, Burlington Alternate
Chief Armstrong, ACC

Call to Order

Secretary Corbett called the meeting to order at 5:05 PM and welcomed all members and guests.

Secretary Corbett solicited public comments from the floor and requested comments to be limited to three (3) minutes per speaker. No public comments. The meeting agenda was reviewed. No changes were made to the agenda.

Introduction of New Members from Burlington and Mebane

Mr. Andoh introduced the three new members to the PTAC, Sean Ewing, Mebane, Montrena Hadley, Mebane and Austin Dorval, Burlington. Each of the new members said a few words about themselves and their desires with participation in the PTAC.

Presentation of a Plaque to Mike Mills

Mr. Andoh introduced this item and discussed the years of service provided by Mr. Mills as Chairman on the PTAC. Mr. Mills came up and accepted the award from Secretary Corbett and a photo was taken.

Approval of the July 2024 Meeting Minutes

The July 2024 meeting minutes were reviewed. Mr. Corbett made a motion to approve the meeting minutes. Mr. Harwood seconded the motion. All PTAC members voted in approval of the July 2024 meeting minutes.

Link Transit System Update

Mr. Andoh provided the following updates and explanations regarding Link Transit on the topics below:

- Update on Transit Development Plan & Transit Facility Study.
- Update on Status of Transit System Activities.
- Mebane Extension.
- Passenger Amenities Update.
- Medicaid Transportation – Mr. Murphy of ACTA asked a few questions regarding this item. Mr. Andoh had to call Mr. Murphy out of order for making false statements. Mr. Andoh stated he can submit any questions he had on this matter in writing.
- Free rides on Election Day.
- NCDOT Unified Grant Program.
- Elon University.
- PTAC Member Directory – Mr. Andoh stated that this item was emailed to all members separately.
- Umo.
- Update on Transit Operations from Transdev – Mr. Ticehurst presented an update of activities by Transdev for the month of October and November.

The Commissioners had a discussion and asked questions about the topics discussed.

Link Transit Operations Report

Mr. Andoh presented the ridership update through October 2024 and discussed the performance of each route.

Other Business

There was none.

Adjournment

Secretary Colbert asked for a motion for adjournment. Mr. Ewing made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Mr. Dorval seconded the motion. All PTAC members voted in approval. Chairman Mills adjourned the PTAC meeting at 5:45 P.M.