Transportation and Aging in Community Notes

Date: 2/09/2023

Virtual Meeting via Zoom

The meeting was recorded.

Committee members present: Marita Leth, Monika Lee, Irene Liana, Liz Taylor

Committee members absent: Kathy Uhl

Staff: Cristina Ugaitafa, Suki Ho

Public: Tina Dubost, Sam Trans

1. In Kathy Uhl’s absence, Monika Lee acting as Chair called the meeting to order at 3:02p. Commissioner Leth moved to have the agenda approved and Commissioner Taylor seconded.
2. Note Taking: Commissioner Liana agreed to take notes
3. Public Comment: Tina Dubost updated information about the future Microtrans Project to begin 6/23 which will service East Palo Alto and Half Moon Bay with the possibility of servicing other areas. She also readdressed the Colma Vets Route stating there was not enough demand to warrant bus stop in this area and that it would take away from other riders to do so. Commissioner Taylor stated she will continue to make this need aware to the county Supervisors. She also addressed the need for a more accessible stop on Fairway Drive and Highway 1 in Half Moon Bay brought forward by Commissioner Leth at the previous meeting. Since the person with the information on the bus stop implementation plan and ADA accessibility is on leave information will follow at a later date.
4. New Goals and work plan discussion
   a. Discussion on this topic was tabled until the next meeting.
5. The notes from prior meeting were reviewed with two corrections noted and moved for approval by Commissioner Lee and seconded by Commissioner Taylor.
6. Member Reports
   a. Commissioner Leth reported on a meeting she attended in Half Moon Bay regarding transportation and housing. A discussion followed on the living conditions of the farm workers, the high level exposure they received with the recent tragedy and the immediate need for improvements.
7. New Business
8. Meeting adjourned