

Transportation and Aging in Community Notes

Date: 06/08/23

In Person Meeting

Committee members present: Kathy Uhl, Monika Lee, Irene Liana, Liz Taylor

Staff: Suki Ho

Public: Bo Unga, Legislative Aide, Supv. Canapa's Office; Lynn Spicer, Sam Trans

- 1. The meeting was called to order at 2:34pm by Chair Kathy Uhl.
- 2. Note taking: Commissioner Liana agreed to take notes.
- 3. Public
 - a. Bo Unga introduces herself as the Legislative Aide from Supervisor Canapa's office. She will be attending future meetings
 - b. Lynn Spicer updated us the Micro transit which will be on 06/18 in Half Moon Bay, East Palo Alto and Bellhaven in Menlo Par. For the first 8 weeks (through 07/31) rides will be free of charge and ordered on demand by users. Rides must start and finish in these locations. Information is being sent out through numerous local sources. New books on Sam Trans rides are not currently available but are being prepared and will be out soon. The Colma bus stop to accommodate the 68 Vets was brought up again by Commissioner Taylor. It was recommended that this need be brought up to the Veteran's Referral Group at the General Meeting.
- 4. Review Agenda
 - Monika Lee moved to approve the agenda and Liz Taylor seconded it All approved
- 5. Review of notes from the prior meeting
 - Irene Liana moved to approve the notes from the prior meeting and Monika Lee seconded it. All approved.
- 6. Meeting time discussion
 - a. Since the new meeting time 2:30-4:00 pm was approved at the prior meeting, there was no further discussion.
- 7. New Goals and Work plan Discussion
 - a. The possibility of recruiting a college student to organize all the providers in SMC of Transportation in a readable and easy format was discussed further and it was agreed to pursue this in the fall. The thought is to compile this into one map showing all the bus stops. Kathy Uhl will collect the info from the CoA General Meeting Transportation presentations.
 - b. It was recommended that Karen Kopek be invited to do a presentation on low income housing and middle income housing concerns.



- c. Separate flyers will be sent out to address Safety in the Home and Fall Prevention.
- d. Age Friendly also sends out info to seniors.
- e. Project on updating the Help at Home Booklet was discussed and the info requesting commissioner's assistance in calling sent out by Maria Barr was requested.

8. Member Reports

a. Irene Liana brought up a concern expressed by a San Bruno senior with Got Wheels. Call was made, but the ride did not show up. It was recommended that the senior call Got Wheels and express her concerns.

9. New Business

- a. Discussion on the two tabling events at the San Mateo Convention Center and Pride in Central Park in San Mateo on 06/10 was discussed. Commissioners have signed up to cover the events. Both the trifold brochures and the Help at Home Booklets will be handed out.
- b. Recognition of the many contributions and a celebration of the two commissions who will be terming out were discussed. Christina Dimas Kahn and Cherie Querol Moreno will be recognized.
- 10. The meeting was adjourned at 3:58pm by a motion from Monika Lee and a second by Liz Taylor. The next meeting will be on Thursday, July 13, 2023.