

Welcome
Back!



East Central
Regional Development
Commission

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Improving Mobility for *“Transportation Disadvantaged”*

Those who are: older adults,
individuals with disabilities,
individuals with low incomes,
and/or military veterans.

Mission Statement:

To Coordinate the Provision of Multimodal Transportation Services to Assure that Transportation is Convenient and Affordable and will Benefit those Residents facing Transportation Barriers throughout the East Central Minnesota Region 7E.

East Central Regional Transportation Coordinating Council

Advisory Board Planning Meeting #6

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Thursday, June 27th, 2019

Meeting #6

Advisory Board:

-  Area Agency on Aging
-  Transportation Providers
-  Private Transportation Providers
-  City Administration
-  County Commissioners
-  Human Services Agencies
-  Veteran Service Organizations
-  Health Care Systems
-  Centers for Independent Living
-  Political Representation
-  Senior Service Administrators
-  Workforce Development
-  Home Health Aids
-  Habilitation Services
-  Tribal Government

2019-2020 opened the ECRTCC into
Phase 2 - Implementation.

Based on information gleaned from
public meetings, statewide RTCC
discussions, MnDOT, and our
ECRTCC Advisory Board meetings,
the tasks listed next have been selected
for the ECRTCC to proceed into
implementation:

IMPLEMENTATION TASKS:

#1 Transportation Management Coordination Center (TMCC) Development

#2 Volunteer Driver System Development

#3 State Solutions – Policy Action

#4 Centralized Training

#5 Transportation Exploration

Task 1.

Transportation Management Coordination Center (TMCC) –

*Complete a comprehensive database of
regional service providers'
schedules, rates, & routes
making way towards the establishment of the*

*East Central Regional Transportation
Management Coordination Center.*

Task 2.

Volunteer Driver Program –

*Regional Volunteer Driver Program
that could be housed under an agency
(or agencies) which will provide rides to
transportation disadvantaged throughout
our region 7E.*

Task 3.

Transportation Regulation Oversight -

Bring awareness of and challenge the current issues pertaining to transportation in rural areas. Determine the status of the laws that affect our region's rural needs, if any are obsolete, and endorse the need for oversight. Our goal is to bring current, the regulations that are holding back important transportation solutions.

Vehicle Sharing

Vehicle sharing generally refers to:

- ▶ (a) one or more organizations operating the same vehicle at different times (time sharing) or
- ▶ (b) a human service provider using their vehicle to provide transportation for the clients of another organization (ride sharing).

Increased vehicle sharing is an objective among the government agencies and private organizations that fund transportation.

Task 4.

Centralized Transportation Training –

*Facilitate training efforts in these areas:
shared marketing, fund development,
service/business development,
customer service, ridership outreach,
general community outreach,
and all aspects of formal and informal transit
provider staff training.*

Task 5.

Ongoing Transportation Exploration -

*Continued Advocacy and Awareness of
up and coming transportation modalities.*

We need to build on each of these tasks
utilizing small committees that will challenge
themselves but allow conversation and
equality.

NO SUPERCHICKENS!

Additional
Concerns,
Ideas,
Topics?

**The by-laws that were
developed
in the planning phase stated
that we would carry out more
formal meetings
with guidance from
Robert's Rules of Order.**

Chair –

Presides over meeting, part of all committees, appointer, voting member

Vice Chair –

Assist Chair, voting member of board

Secretary –

Will critique minutes and sign off.

Next meeting in August 2019



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THANK YOU!

