AGENDA INTERCITY TRANSIT AUTHORITY WORK SESSION July 20, 2016 5:30 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

1) APPROVAL OF AGENDA

1 min.

2) PUBLIC COMMENT

10 min.

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The Authority will not typically respond to your comments this same evening.

3) CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT (Ursula Euler)

4) BUS TECHNOLOGY (Paul Koleber)

45 min.

5 min.

5) SHORT/LONG RANGE PLANNING STRATEGY

45 min.

(Ann Freeman-Manzanares/Eric Phillips)

6) GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

10 min.

7) AUTHORITY ISSUES

10 min.

8) ADJOURNMENT

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INTERCITY TRANSIT AUTHORITY WORK SESSION AGENDA ITEM NO. 4 MEETING DATE: July 20, 2016

FOR: Intercity Transit Authority

FROM: Paul Koleber, 705-5884

SUBJECT: Bus Technology

1) The Issue: Update on bus technology.

- **2) Recommended Action:** This item is for information and discussion.
- **Policy Analysis:** The purchase and maintenance of buses is a major expense significantly impacting our budget. The technology type purchased is at the Authority's discretion.
- **Background:** Through the strategic planning process, the Authority selected clean diesel technology for our financial forecasting model. This is an opportunity to talk about the advances in clean diesel as well as get an update on other technology.
- 5) Alternatives: N/A.
- 6) Budget Notes: N/A.
- 7) Goal Reference: This item addresses Goal #2: "Provide outstanding customer service;" and Goal #5: "Align best practices and support agency activities and sustainable technologies.
- 8) References: N/A.

INTERCITY TRANSIT AUTHORITY WORK SESSION AGENDA ITEM NO. 5 MEETING DATE: July 20, 2016

FOR: Intercity Transit Authority

FROM: Eric Phillips, 705-5885

Ann Freeman-Manzanares, 705-5884

SUBJECT: Short/Long Range Planning Strategy

- 1) The Issue: Discuss our short and long range planning strategy and how that fits into the Community Conversation.
- **Recommended Action:** This item is for information and discussion.
- **Policy Analysis:** The Authority is responsible to determine service levels and programs.
- 4) Background: Intercity Transit periodically completes an analysis of our services and prepares a long range look at service alternatives. This work is typically undertaken with support from a consulting team with staff support. Our previous short and long range plan was completed in 2006. We are currently under contract with Nelson Nygaard to undertake long and short range system planning services. Initially the work was more narrowly focused on a short range fixed route system analysis and development of long range options under a financially constrained scenario. The opportunity to pursue a broader Community Conversation has prompted staff to explore broadening the work and to consider a more comprehensive system analysis.
- 5) Alternatives: N/A.
- **Budget Notes:** This discussion impacts our long range financial projections.
- 7) Goal Reference: This item addresses Goal #2: "Provide outstanding customer service;" and Goal #5: "Align best practices and support agency activities and sustainable technologies.
- 8) References: N/A.