



**CITIZENS TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CTAC)/  
SOCIAL SERVICES TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COUNCIL  
(SSTAC)**

Ventura County Government Center  
Hall of Justice - Pacific Conference Room  
800 South Victoria Avenue

**Tuesday, June 11, 2024  
1:30 PM**

**Item 4**

**MEETING SUMMARY**

**CTAC MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Marissa Rodriguez, Fillmore (Chair)  
Bev Dransfeldt, Camarillo  
Miranda Patton, Camarillo (Vice-Chair)  
Bill Miley, Ojai  
Chera Minkler, Ventura  
Rob Corley, Ventura  
Dan Weikel Thousand Oaks  
Chaise Rasheed, Thousand Oaks  
Sandra Aldana, VCTC at Large

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Joey Juhasz-Lukomski, Fillmore  
Susan Leech, Ojai  
Manuel Minjares, Ventura County

**CURRENT CTAC VACANCIES:**

City of Oxnard (2)  
City of Moorpark (2)  
City of Port Hueneme (2)  
City of Santa Paula (2)  
City of Simi Valley (2)  
County of Ventura (1)  
VCTC at Large (1)

**SSTAC MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Esther Anaya, The ARC of Ventura County  
Martha Shapiro, Senior Concerns

**VCTC STAFF PRESENT:**

Aubrey Smith, Program Manager - Regional Transit Planning  
Heather Miller, Program Manager  
Dolores Lopez, Regional Transit Planner  
Geiska Velasquez, Program Analyst

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

Char Rodriguez called the meeting to order at 1:36 p.m.

**2. ROLL CALL**

- 3. PUBLIC COMMENTS FOR ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA** – Chair Rodriguez read the following public comment from Jessica Perez into the record, *“My only comment is to let VCTC know of the addition of digital ID cards from the three colleges: Ventura, Moorpark, and Oxnard. Some students have shared that some bus drivers tend not to favor online IDs and have let them know they must have physical ones present. I hope that sharing this will help bridge this communication.”*

**4. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**

The committee requested that the meeting minutes be corrected to reflect accurate attendance.

**5. GCTD GO ACCESS NOTIFICATIONS**

Margaret Heath, Gold Coast Transit District (GCTD), provided a summary of paratransit services provided by GCTD and the associated dispatch services provided

The committee discussed challenges with electronic notification system.

**6. MCT ON DEMAND PRESENTATION**

Michelle Woomeer and Brian Chong, City of Moorpark, presented the MCT On Demand microtransit service including the background, goals, service area, and how to book a ride.

The committee discussed 1) fixed route and virtual bus stops, 2) payment options, 3) the app, 4) grant funding, and 5) potential local and regional economic benefits.

**7. GUIDELINES AND SCHEDULE FOR THE FY2024 COMBINED CALL-FOR-PROJECTS FOR FTA SECTION 5310 LARGE URBANIZED AREA (SENIORS AND DISABLED) FUNDS, SECTION 5307 JOBS ACCESS AND REVERSE COMMUTE (JARC) FUNDS, AND ACCESS FOR ALL FUNDS SB-125 TRANSPORTATION BILL AND GRANT FUNDING UPDATE**

Geiska Velasquez reviewed the schedule for the FY24 combined call for projects and referred the committee to the guidelines attached to the staff report.

**8. CAMARILLO RAIL STATION UPDATE**

Aubrey Smith provided an updated on the Camarillo Rail Station including 1) background, 2) ADA improvements, and 3) the construction schedule.

**9. CHAIRPERSON’S REPORT** – None

**10. COMMITTEE MEMBER REPORTS**

Bill Miley announced driver shortages in Ojai. Miranda Patton requested eBike safety education and national data on accidents be brought before the committee at a future meeting.

**11. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- Coastal Express Service
- Access for All Ridership Update
- eBike Safety and National Data on eBike Accidents

**12. ADJOURN TO SEPTEMBER 10, 2024**

Chair Rodriguez adjourned the meeting at 3:20 p.m.