

Transportation Task Force of Lenawee - Minutes

Thursday, January 26, 2023

Zoom Meeting

Attendees: Clint Brugger, Frank Nagle, Dave Maxwell, Madeline DeMarco, Christal Albig, Kate Daisher, Megan Tores, Don Taylor, Amy Young, Chris Miller, Gay Jones

Agenda

- ✓ Welcome
- ✓ Identify note taker - Clint
- ✓ Approval of Meeting Notes and Agenda
 - o *There were no previous meeting minutes. The agenda was approved.*
- ✓ Collective Impact Core Update
 - o *The first of six core principles (safety) of trauma informed care was discussed. Safety of our staff and clients both physically and emotionally*
- ✓ Mobility Manager update
 - o Report out of calls, needs, gaps
 - *A new Mobility Manager has been hired. Her name is Megan Tores. She has been acclimating to the world of transportation and has been working closely with Linda Needham at MDHHS to meet the transportation needs of their clients since Nancy Bishop has retired.*
 - *Rides to Family Medical Center are free from Lenawee Transportation Authority. People do not need to indicate the*

purpose of their visit but if they mention that they are going there they will not be charged a fare.

- *The Mobility Manager is looking to do some marketing in the community to inform the public of her role. For the past few months there were minimal calls to the hotline (1 or 2 per week). It is the hope that getting the word out about the Mobility Manager will improve those numbers.*
- *Motive Care is a new transportation provider that is available to help fill gaps in non-emergency medical needs.*

o Additional information

- *Dave Maxwell suggested that the Mobility Manager edit/revise the transportation pamphlet that was created a few years ago. Clint will forward that to Megan.*

✓ Transportation Taskforce Discussion

o What does the leadership of this group look like moving forward?

- *Clint Brugger and Kate Daisher will be co-leads. If MDOT allows, Megan Tores, will fill the role. Kate will look into it and report back at the next meeting.*

o Who will represent this group at Lenawee Essential Needs Council and the Collective Impact Core?

- *Kate Daisher and/or Megan Tores will be representing the Task Force at LENC.*

o What will the focus / agenda be?

- *It was decided that the Task Force will center it's work in three areas of transportation. Those are economic development,*

non-emergent medical and public transit. We will be discussing strategies and action steps at our next meeting in these three areas. It was also discussed that we utilize surveys to collect data to find gaps in those. Clint will share some sample surveys created by MDOT with the group.