

**PUBLIC TRANSIT-HUMAN SERVICES  
TRANSPORTATION COORDINATION PLAN: UPDATE**

**MEETING 4**

Wednesday, January 31, 2018

9:30 a.m.

**SUMMARY**

**Welcome and Introductions:** Members and staff went around the room and introduced themselves, as requested.

**Review of Minutes from December 5<sup>th</sup> meeting:** Staff provided an update on the meeting summary for the December meeting and noted a majority of the discussion was focused on addressing the strategies for prioritized goals as noted in Chapter 7 of the plan.

**Review the Draft 2018 Public Transit Human Services Transportation Coordination Plan:** Staff presented the updates to each of the chapters for the PTHSTCP and reviewed general information, as well as led a discussion on demographics and statistics for the region. The group talked about the change in the senior/elderly population and the increased use of cars by the baby boomer generation. The group then reviewed the Transit Needs and Strategies to ensure they were updated with the most important and correct information. Deviated Fixed Routes, feeder routes and feasibility studies were discussed as options to address needs. The group also led a discussion on the lack of emergent transportation options for when “life happens.” The needs and strategies were revised to reflect this need and goal of flexibility. Advisory group members also noted that expectations have changed to a more on-demand type use, even if that availability does not exist.

MRPC staff noted that after this meeting, final edits would be made to the document which is then presented to the TAC group and voted upon by the full MRPC Board on Thursday, February 15, 2018. Pending any additional edits, staff will then forward the document to MoDOT.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 a.m.