

VDOT Central Office – HR Training Room
1221 East Broad Street
Richmond, Virginia 23219
Tuesday, May 14th, 2024, 9:00 am

CTB MEMBERS PRESENT

Jennifer DeBruhl (Chair), Mr. Kasprowicz, Dr. Smoot, Ms. Hynes, Ms. Sellers, Mr. Merrill, Mr. Fowlkes, Mr. Laird, Mr. Stant

STAFF AND OTHERS PRESENT

Andrew Wright (DRPT), Evan Price (DRPT), Todd Horsley (DRPT), Kate Mattice (NVTC), Emily Stock (DRPT), Zach Trogdon (DRPT), Johnathan Arnold (DRPT)

CALL TO ORDER:

At 9 am, Director DeBruhl called the CTB Rail and Transit Subcommittee to order

APPROVAL OF THE March 19th, 2024 MEETING MINUTES

Motion by Mr. Fowlkes, seconded by Ms Hynes, the March 19th, 2024 meeting minutes were approved.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No one spoke for public comment.

DIRECTORS REPORT

Presented by Chair Jennifer DeBruhl

Director DeBruhl delivered her May 2024 Director's Report.

Mr. Kasprowicz inquired about the performance of MetGo! Dr. Smoot commented on the service of on-demand microtransit. Director DeBruhl provided further information about microtransit service. Mr. Merrill commented on microtransit in the Winchester area. Mr. Laird inquired about the technology used for transit. Mr. Stant commented on the comparisons between fixed-route and microtransit. Ms. Sellers commented on the development of transit service. Dr. Smoot inquired about the service of microtransit. Director DeBruhl provided an answer.

I-66 COMMUTER CHOICE

Presented by Kate Mattice and Todd Horsley

Mr. Horsley delivered his May 2024 I-66 Commuter Choice presentation.

Mr. Merrill added context to the I-66 program. Mr. Merrill inquired about the I-66 tolls going through DRPT SYIP. Director DeBruhl and Ms. Mattice provided an answer. Ms. Hynes added to the answer.

Ms. Mattice delivered her May 2024 I-66 Commuter Choice presentation.

Mr. Merrill inquired about the jurisdictions within NVTC. Ms. Mattice provided an answer. Mr. Merrill inquired about the routes included in the program. Ms. Mattice provided an answer. Ms. Hynes added further context. Mr. Kasproicz inquired further about the applications to the I-66 Commuter Choice Program.

Mr. Merrill inquired about the frequency of OmniRide services and when tolls are in effect. Ms. Mattice provided an answer. Ms. Sellers added further context about OmniRide services. Ms. Mattice provided additional information. Ms. Hynes added additional context on I-66 tolling. Director DeBruhl noted the history of the I-66 Commuter Choice program. Ms. Sellers inquired about the usage of the toll lanes. Ms. Mattice and Director DeBruhl provided an answer. Ms. Hynes added additional information regarding the I-66 concession payments.

Ms. Mattice informed the subcommittee of the next steps in getting the I-66 Commuter Choice program approval. Mr. Kasproicz praised the I-66 Commuter Choice program. Dr. Smoot inquired about toll concessionaires and who sets the tolls. Ms. Hynes and Director DeBruhl provided an answer. Several members provided additional information. Mr. Merrill inquires about how NVTC is funded. Ms. Mattice provided an answer.

ADJOURNMENT

At 9:52 am, the Rail and Transit subcommittee adjourned.