

Wheels Accessible Advisory Committee

WAAC

SUBJECT: Tri-Valley Comprehensive Paratransit Assessment, Stakeholder Advisory Committee Selection

FROM: Christy Wegener, Director of Planning and Operations

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Action Requested

Nomination and approval of one WAAC member to service on the Stakeholder Advisory Committee (SAC) for the Tri-Valley Comprehensive Paratransit Assessment (Study).

Background

In order to manage the demand for paratransit services in the Tri-Valley, to put in place measures to prepare for future growth, to better streamline services for all Tri-Valley consumers, and to identify gaps in services, LAVTA and the City of Pleasanton launched a comprehensive study of paratransit services throughout the Tri-Valley. Included in the scope of work for the project management team is the coordination of a stakeholder advisory committee to provide direct feedback to the project management team throughout the course of the Study.

Discussion

The composition for the SAC is as follows:

- Paratransit user (1)
- Adult caregiver (1)
- Transit advocate (1)
- Social service agencies representative (1)
- Residential facility representative (1)
- Medical facility representative (1)
- Pleasanton Senior Center participant (1)
- WAAC Member (1)
- Pleasanton Paratransit Task Force Member (1)

The WAAC is recommended to select one member to serve on the SAC. The SAC will meet twice throughout the course of the study, and may be asked to weigh in on items via email. Remaining SAC members will be jointly decided between LAVTA and the City of Pleasanton.

There will be many opportunities to provide input on the Study outside of the SAC. Two presentations will be made to the WAAC during the Study, and two presentations will be made to the Pleasanton Paratransit Task Force. Additionally, two rounds of public meetings (3 meetings each round) are included in the scope, one meeting in each city in the Tri-Valley. Comments will be solicited from surveys, as well as online. Finally, there will be presentations to both the LAVTA Board and the Pleasanton City Council.

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Nominate and approve one WAAC member to serve on the SAC.