LIVERMORE AMADOR VALLEY TRANSIT AUTHORITY 1362 Rutan Court, Suite 100 Livermore, CA 94551

TRI-VALLEY ACCESSIBLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

AGENDA

ZOOM TELECONFERENCE

NOVEMBER 3, 2021 – 3:30 PM

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		Action Recommended by Staff	
1.	Call to Order		3:30
2.	Roll Call		
3.	Approval of Agenda and Modifications if necessary	Action	
4.	Citizens' Forum: An opportunity for members of the audience to comment on a subject not listed on the agenda (under state law, no action may be taken at this meeting)	Information	3:35
5.	Minutes of the July 7, 2021 meeting (please review prior to meeting)	Action	3:40
6.	Chair Report (Training/coordinating with LAVTA's Fixed Route contractor, Dial-A- Ride Transit Manager app, Go Tri-Valley)	Information	3:45
7.	Dial-A-Ride Customer Satisfaction Survey	Information	4:15
8.	PAPCO Report	Information	4:30
9.	Service Updates & Concerns	Discussion	4:35
10.	Adjournment		5:00

I hereby certify that this agenda was posted 72 hours in advance of the noted meeting.

Jennifer Suda	10/29/2021
LAVTA Administrative Services Department	Date

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ITEM 5

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Tri-Valley Accessible Advisory Committee

- **DATE**: Wednesday, July 7, 2021
- PLACE: Zoom Teleconference

TIME: 3:30 p.m.

DRAFT MINUTES

1. Call to Order

The TAAC Chair Herb Hastings called the meeting to order at 3:30 pm.

Members Present:	
David Weir	City of Livermore
Judith LaMarre	City of Livermore
Michael Balero	City of Livermore – Alternate
Shawn Costello	City of Dublin
Connie Mack	City of Dublin
Donna Singer	City of Dublin – Alternate
Herb Hastings	County of Alameda
Kulwant Singh	County of Alameda - Alternate
Rachel Prater	Social Services Member
Diana Houghtaling	Social Services Member
Shay Roberson	Social Services Member – Alternate
Esther Waltz	PAPCO Representative
Staff Present:	
Toan Tran	LAVTA
Kadri Kulm	LAVTA
Christian Pereira	MV Transit
Juana Lopez	Transdev
Rashida Kamara	СССТА
Guests:	
Pricilla Gomez	East Bay Regional Center

2. Roll Call

- **3.** Approval of Agenda and Modifications in necessary Hastings/Mack
- 4. Citizens' Forum: An opportunity for members of the audience to comment on a subject not listed on the agenda (under state law, no action may be taken at this meeting) None.
- 5. Minutes of the May 5, 2021 meetings of the Committee Approved. Mack/Waltz
- 6. Election of Chair and Vice Chair for FY22 The committee members elected Herb Hastings for the committee Chair position and Shawn Costello for the committee's Vice-Chair position. Weir/Prater

7. TAAC Schedule for FY22

The committee voted to have their meetings at following dates at 3:30pm:

- o July 7, 2021,
- o September 1, 2021,
- o November 3, 2021,
- o January 12, 2022,
- o March 2, 2022, and
- o May 4, 2022

Weir/Waltz

8. Wheels Fixed Route Service Reinstatement

Staff updated the committee on the Wheels fixed route service reinstatement and informed the committee that effective June 14, 2021, weekday service frequencies on the Route 10R and 30R will return to pre-pandemic service of every 15 minutes from approximately 6am-10am and 2pm-6pm. Staff is currently working on the Fall schedule that goes into effect on August 7th.

9. Paratransit Service to Day Programs

Staff monitors the trip demand to day programs and explained the subscription/standing order process.

9. PAPCO Report

Herb Hastings reported that the Chair and Vice Chair of PAPCO where reelected, Shawn Costello is in SRAC and Herb Hastings is in Independent Watchdog Committee.

9. Service Updates and Concerns

Donna Singer asked about inclusion of East Bay Paratransit into the One Seat Ride Pilot Program, but as of now there is no information on them joining the program. Herb Hastings reported on his One Seat Ride experience from Livermore to Lafayette.

Esther Waltz was asking for clarification if masks are needed at the bus stops. Staff said that LAVTA is following CDC guidelines, which state that masks are required on the buses, but not at the outdoor bus stops.

Shay Roberson inquired about the end date of the One Seat Ride Pilot Program. Staff responded that it is scheduled to sunset at the end of December, 2021.

Judy LaMarre reported that she was given misinformation when she wanted to make reservation for Sunday at 7:30am, but was told by the reservationists that on the holidays service start at 8:30am.

10. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 4:30 pm.

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ITEM 7

Livermore Amador Valley Transit Authority

STAFF REPORT

SUBJECT: Dial-A-Ride Passenger Satisfaction Survey

FROM: Kadri Külm, Paratransit Planner

DATE: November 3, 2021

Action Requested

None – Information only.

Background

LAVTA performs Dial-A-Ride passenger surveys to assess passenger satisfaction in order to continually improve service. The goal for the upcoming survey is to measure rider satisfaction of the "Wheels Dial-A-Ride" ADA paratransit service, since the onboarding of a new ADA paratransit service provider as of April 1, 2021.

Discussion

The survey will be conducted by a third party company and is expected to include both email (online) and phone survey. The format and questions will be very similar to the previous surveys. The survey is expected to be completed by the end of the year.

The overall aspects of the service to be surveyed include:

- Ride reservation process
- Ride pick-up
- Ride experience
- Drop-off
- Overall satisfaction

Next Steps

Staff will shortly release the Request for Proposals for this project and will be bringing the survey results to the TAAC in early 2022.

Action Requested None – Information only.