Missouri Transportation Task Force (MOTTF)

April 2022 Meeting Minutes

April 4,2022

Agenda

Welcome and Introductions (Ed Thomas)

Ed Thomas, Chad Eggen, David Forbes, Enjoli Dixon, Holly Reiff, Jackson Hotaling, Tad Dobyns, Jill Stedem, Laura Mueth, Lisa Buchanan, Mary Gordon, Regan Krummen, Stacy Morse, Anneliese Stoever, Christy Evers, Dante Gliniecki, Andrea Swope, Mindy Ulstad, Lisa Buchanan, Kathy Bingham.

Task Force Advisory Group updates

* Website-MO Rides (<https://morides.org>)
* Reminder that the new way to get agendas and notes will be on the MO Rides website under Transportation Taskforce link. Any documents shared will be available on this website:
* Quarterly Meetings (July 5, October 4, January 3)
* Moving over to quarterly meetings for the full taskforce. Core group will meet the months in between as well as sub-committee meetings.

Meetings/Conferences

* Ed presented at MOAIDD presenting on the MO Transportation Taskforce. Great discussion. Group not informed that MO Rides exist. Educated them on this.
* Conference coming up in May in St. Charles for people that are aging or have disabilities. Kathy will be setting up a booth at this conference for two days for MO Rides.
* MO Rides was just in St. Louis at a conference for an outdoor activities conference. Handed out magnets and brochures for MO Rides.
* The first NCMM-MC conversation of 2022 will occur on April 21 as a Pre-Earth Day celebration. Join us in the conversation on the topic of innovation out of necessity with Mobility Management with Twist- Resource Sharing. In areas where you may have limited resources (drivers, vehicles, materials, and volunteers) and little budget, agencies to be creative. Learn how to develop partnerships, share cost to, and think outside of the box to ensure service. https//nationalcenterformobilitymanagement.org/for -mobility-managers/communications-and-networking/.

Committees

* State Departments (Mindy and Christy)
* Christy and Mindy will be heading up this committee.
* Still need someone from DSS to be on the committee.
* Mindy will reach out to the DSS Directors office to see if there is a budget person to start the process with us.
* Mindy and Christy will meet first to talk about moving forward and will schedule a meeting with the department’s liaisons/contacts.
* Coordination by Advisory Group
* Setup additional ones as needed-suggested additional sub-groups

Public Transportation Provider

Private Providers

Local Transportation Funders (SB 40 Boards, Senior Tax Boards, Area Agencies on Aging, etc.)

Access & Functional Needs/Disaster Services

Statistical Analysis (Reports/Data Gathering)

Education, Outreach & Advocacy

Regional Committees (Following Mo Dot’s 7 districts)

* If anyone would like to be a part of these meetings in the future, please let us know so we can add you to the subgroups.
* Any other ideas for sub-committees please let us know.
* Plan to have a report from the subcommittees at each quarterly meeting. Then the notes will be4 captured in the taskforce notes.

Task Force Goals

* Transportation Finding-Data collection in Missouri
* Expand discussions to include self-advocates and community stakeholders
* Encourage State Departments to meet and discuss transportation needs/barriers.
* Plan and develop statewide transportation strategies to address all stakeholders.
* Make recommendations to decision makers about the need for better transportation systems and expanded access management.

Next Meeting

* MPTA Assessment results
* Legislative updates

Open Discussions and Questions

* Future meetings