

# **Transportation Equity and Public Involvement Advisory Committee**

Minutes October 21st, 2024 at 10:00am

# October 21, 2024 CORE MPO Transportation Equity and Public Involvement Advisory Committee

Voting Members	Representing	Present
Tia Baker	Chatham Area Transit	
Asia Hernton	COREMPO	Х
Terry Tolbert	Economic Opportunity Authority	
Brenda Pollen	Housing Authority of Savannah	X
Shannon Ginn	Living Independence for Everyone (LIFE), Inc.	
Tyrone Palmer	National Federation of the Blind, Local Chapter	
Representative	Savannah – Chatham Council on Disability Issues	
Paula Valdez	Savannah Center for the Blind and Low Vision	
Patti Lyons	Senior Citizens Inc.	Х
Ben Lewis	Chatham County	
Tony Abbott	Interested Citizen	
Robert Pirie	Interested Citizen	X
A'riel Johnson	Interested Citizen	X
Armand Turner	Interested Citizen	X
Daniel Brantley	Interested Citizen	
Kevin Glover	Interested Citizen	
Non-Voting	Representing	
Representative	Savannah Council of the Blind	
Representative	Coastal Center for Development Services	
Representative	GDOT District Five	
Representative	Georgia Infirmary Day Center	
Bill Kelso	Goodwill Industries of the Coastal Empire	X
Representative	NAACP - Savannah Branch	
Representative	Savannah - Chatham County Fair Housing Council	
Representative	Deaf Community	
Alden Strandburg	Effingham County	
Representative	Bryan County	
Representative	Harambee House	

Others	Representing	Present
Kieron Coffield	CORE MPO	X
Anna McQuarrie	CORE MPO	X
Wykoda Wang	CORE MPO	X
Hind Patel	MPC	X
Niel Ligon	LIFE	X
Sarah Greenbush	MPC	X

#### **Roll Call**

#### Approval of Agenda

Ms. Patti Lyons, Senior Citizens Inc, motioned to approve the Agenda, seconded by Ms. A'riel Johnson, Interested Citizen. The motion passed with none opposed.

#### **II. Action Items**

 Approval of the July 29th, 2024, CORE MPO TEPIAC Meeting Minutes

Ms. Patti Lyons motioned to approve the July 29<sup>th</sup> TEPIAC meeting minutes, seconded by Ms. A'riel Johnson. The motion passed with none opposed.

2. Approval of the September 4th, 2024, Special Called CORE MPO TEPIAC Meeting Minutes

Ms. A'riel Johnson motioned to approve the September 4<sup>th</sup> Special-Called meeting minutes, seconded by Mr. Robert Pirie, Interested Citizen. The motion passed with none opposed.

## 3. Participation Plan Update

Ms. Patti Lyons motioned to endorse the Participation Plan Update, seconded by Ms. A'riel Johnson. The motion passed with none opposed.

# 4. Title VI Plan Update

Ms. A'riel Johnson motioned to endorse the Title VI Plan Update, seconded by Mr. Robert Pirie. The motion passed with none opposed.

## III. Status Reports

- 5. Federal Certification Review
- IV. Agency Reports (verbal)
- v. Other Business

#### 6. Bicycle and Pedestrian Facility Study

### vi. Public Participation Opportunities

#### vII. Notices

7. GDOT Project Status Update

Report attached to agenda.

8. Chatham County Project Status Update

Report attached to agenda.

9. City of Savannah Project Status Update

Report attached to agenda.

10. Savannah Hilton Head International Airport Project Status Update

Report attached to agenda.

11. Chatham Area Transit Project Status Update

Report attached to agenda.

12. LATS-SCDOT Project Status Update

Report attached to agenda.

13. 2024 AMPO Conference Information

Report attached to agenda.

# VIII. Adjournment

There being no further business, the October 21st, 2024, TEPIAC meeting was adjourned.

The Chatham County- Savannah Metropolitan Planning Commission provides meeting summary minutes which are adopted by the respective board. Verbatim transcripts of minutes are the responsibility of the interested party.