

Public Transit Advisory Council

March 16, 2017

1:00pm – 3:15pm

Location, Vermont Agency of Transportation Davis Building,
5th floor Board Room VTrans
1 National Life Dr., Montpelier, VT 05633

The Route 92 - Montpelier Circulator Loop 2, leaves Shaw's at 12:30 and arrives at National Life at 12:38, leaves at 3:38 and returns to Shaw's at 3:50. The bus also stops at Montpelier High School and People's Bank. Information is available at: <http://gmtaride.org/schedules-and-fares/routes-schedules>. Ridesharing can be arranged by contacting Barbara Donovan at 802-828-2828 or barbara.donovan@vermont.gov

- 1:00pm Welcome and Introductions – Joe Flynn, VTrans Secretary; Barbara Donovan, Public Transit Manager
- 1:10pm Membership and introductions, reappointments
- 1:20pm Review and approval of December 15, 2016 PTAC minutes (**attached**)
- 1:25pm Budget as presented to legislature, issues, questions, expansion ability,
- 1:40pm Legislation, distribution of funds, registration for public transit distance
- 1:55pm Regional Planning Agencies, invited, update
- 2:20pm Randy Schoonmaker - Transit Provider updates
Rockingham Park and Ride, plans for construction of facility,
- 2:45pm VTrans Updates –
Amy Rast – Incentive Program
Tim Bradshaw – Route Performance Report
Barbara Donovan - Intercity Progress – Bennington Thruway Bus service, MOD grant, Rides to Wellness
- 3:10pm Next meeting dates
- June 15, 2017, Wilmington, to coincide with the VPTA meeting? Should we schedule this in Montpelier to coincide with the TPI meeting?
 - September 21, 2017, Montpelier?
- 3:15pm Adjourn
- Next agenda topics:
- January /December meetings –Planning initiatives, intercity
 - March/April meetings – Budget, legislation
 - June/July meetings – reporting and goal setting, joint meeting with TPI
 - September meetings – research, new initiatives