# **Mobility Advisory Committee (MAC)**

# **Meeting Minutes**

# **September 18, 2024**

#### Attendees:

Chris Hollingsworth-MAC Mike Roth-IndyGo Donna Foreman-IndyGo Bernadine Wilmer-MAC Adairius Gardner-IndyGo Angela Milroy-RATP Dev

Attendance of members by Mike Roth

### Agenda Items:

#### Mike Roth

- LaTessa McClendon-New Director of Mobility Solutions
- Fixed Route
  - Route updates begin October 13, 2024
  - Staffing
    - Hiring events every other Thursday
  - Purple Line launces October 3, 2024

### Angela Milroy

- Service Updates
  - Beyond ADA Policy Exemption expires January 1, 2025
  - Service has been running from 85% to 90%
  - Currently have 58 Operators Full Time, 5 Part Time and 5 in training
- Vehicle Updates
  - 55 out of 75 vehicles are in service
  - 10 brand new buses
  - 10 out of service that need minor repairs
- o Annual Trunk or Treat- October 26, 2024
- MyKey Card Update
  - Starting October 1, 2024, Access riders can load funds to their MyKey Access card to pay for trips on the paratransit bus.
  - This is an added option. Current payment methods will still be available: cash, ticket or balance.
  - New fare validators will be on every bus
  - Each rider will use their access card to tap the validator upon entering the bus.

## • Discussion regarding no quorum today with Board Director Adairius Gardner

- MAC Concerns
  - Committee feels underutilized
  - Bylaws have not been updated
- Adairius Gardner
  - Will speak with IndyGo CEO Jennifer Pyrz to discuss concerns.
  - Will discuss in upcoming meetings how to assist MAC with their efforts to do outreach

### • Donna Foreman

- Paratransit Top Concerns
  - Schedule Adherence, Courtesy & Fares
- o Fixed Route Top Concerns
  - Pass-By, Courtesy & Safety

## **Additional Questions/Concerns**

 Mayor's Advisory Council on Disability would like an IndyGo representative to attend meetings in the future