# ELDERLY AND DISABLED TRANSIT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (EDTAC)

Committee Meeting Minutes Via Teleconference Wednesday, November 10, 2021 1:00 - 3:00pm

The Elderly and Disable Transit Advisory Committee (EDTAC) met Wednesday, November 10, 2021at 1:00pm via Teams.

In attendance: DTC Representatives:

**EDTAC MEMBERS:** Lori Yeager, Paratransit Support Services Manager

Blake Roberts, Chair Cean Carter, Eligibility Supervisor

Kathleen McCool Belinda Strickland, Civil Rights Specialist Cindy Carcia Margaret Webb, Paratransit Director

Latonya Steele, Customer Service Supervisor

### **Guest:**

Lloyd Schmitz

#### **Members Absent:**

Jim Shiber Ken Moore Catrina Gosine

#### Call to Order

Blake Roberts, Chair, called meeting to order. July and September meeting minutes were tabled. Blake discussed with the committee to change the meetings from bimonthly to quarterly. A vote was made to change meetings from 6 to 4. Blake will send an email to the rest of the committee to inform them of the changes.

### **Round Table Introductions**

## **Eligibility Stat Update- Cean Carter Eligibility Supervisor**

**Total:** 2216 Application **Total App Average**: 22.6

0 Denials Denial 0
23 Dialysis Dialysis 2.3
16 Visitor Visitor 1.6
57 Elderly Elderly 5.7
98 Temp Temp 9.8
1 Con Con 0.1

Total: Total App Average:

836 UNC UnCon 83.6 588 UTP UTP 58.8

### On Time Performance- Margaret Webb, Paratransit Director Paratransit

(Data forwarded to members)

Trip counts and On Time Performance statewide through October 2021

November 2020 – statewide trip count 34,083

NCC - 17,527 - 94% on time KC - 7,968 - 96% on time SC - 7,579 - 94% on time

December 2020 – statewide trip count 33,046

NCC - 17,541 - 94% on time KC - 7,968 - 95% on time SC - 7,537 - 93% on time

January 2021 – statewide trip count 31,677

NCC - 17,848 - 96.3% on time KC - 7,532 - 95.4% on time SC - 7,297 - 92.5% on time

February 2021 statewide trip count 31,176

NCC- 16,371- 94.5% on time KC- 7,361- 94.6% on time SC- 7, 444- 93.1% on time

March 2021- statewide trip count 42,157

NCC- 22,540- 92.9% on time KC-9,829- 94.3% on time SC- 9,788- 92% on time

April 2021- statewide trip count 42, 650

NCC- 23, 202- 90.6% on time KC- 9,421- 94.1% on time SC- 10,027- 89% on time

May 2021- statewide trip count 40,685

NCC- 22,745- 89.5% on time KC- 9,730- 92.8% on time SC- 8,210- 88.7% on time

June 2021- statewide trip count 45,303

NCC- 24,095 86.1% on time KC- 10,345 92.8% on time SC- 11,657- 81.7% on time

July 2021- statewide trip count 48,690

NCC- 25,380 88% on time KC- 10,571 91.6% on time SC-12,739- 88.9% on time

August 2021- statewide trip count 51,6600

NCC- 27,309 88% on time KC- 11,170 93.2% on time SC- 13, 311- 88.3% on time

September 2021- statewide trip count 55,692

NCC- 30,409 87% on time KC- 11,988 89% on time SC- 13, 295 81% on time

There are currently 128 Paratransit Operators should have 168 however, 20 Operators went over to Fixed Route.

## On Time Performance- Paul Kulesza, Fixed Route Director

The combined on-time performance average for October 2021 FY 2022 was 70%.

New Castle County Fixed Route was 66%

New Castle County Contract Services was 92%

Kent County Fixed Route was 84%

Sussex County Contract Services was 62%

Septa was 63%

Resorts was 79%

## **Updates from DTC:**

• Latonya Steele, Customer Service Supervisor

Fixed Route service change proposal Wednesday, 24, 2021 in person at DTC Administrative offices in NCC, Dover, Lewes Transit Center. There will be two on Wednesday. December 8, 2021 and Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at 12pm-1p, and 6pm to 7pm.

Lori Yeager, Paratransit Support Services Manager

Paratransit service in new Castle Co. is currently not at capacity so Elderly Only customers will be allowed to schedule trips at this time.

**Open Forum** 

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