

TOWN OF EGREMONT, MASSACHUSETTS
MEETING OF THE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE
MINUTES

Date: January 19, 2023
Time: 10:00am
Place: Via Zoom & at Town Hall
Egremont

Present in-person were Mary Brazie, Melanie Vicneire, Georgette Kinney. Others participating via zoom: George McGurn, Laura Allen, Steven Goodman.

It was announced that the meeting is video and audio recorded.

Minutes of the last meeting were approved as presented.

The Committee reviewed the draft intermunicipal agreement (IMA) with Great Barrington and Stockbridge for the Microtransit Pilot Program. It was agreed that George will propose an edit to paragraph 3 under Term and Termination. The program has not started though it was slated to January 1. Staff and driver positions need to be filled. Melanie will see if she can get a scope of services attached to the IMA.

The Town has been awarded a third Taxi Grant. The check will be forwarded to the Town as soon as the administrative office of the grant receive invoices and reports from last years grant round as the former administrative office did not forward those.

The Committee approved, with Laura Allen abstaining because she joined the meeting at the end of the discussion, the FY 2024 budget as submitted pending wage increased and will closely watch fuel expenditures.

The Van has new snow tires, was recently inspected and was taken to the car wash.

Alford has finally had a rider utilize the service. Mount Washington continues to average one rider per month. Egremont rides have been busy, though February isn't as booked as the past few months as of yet.

Melanie conducted performance evaluations with the drivers. It went well and both drivers are happy.

The next meeting will be February 17, 2023 at 10:00am.

Mr. Goodman said he was just listening in to learn and to extend his knowledge as a member of the Bylaw Review Committee.

Meeting adjourned at 10:34am

Mary Brazie,
Office Administrator

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The recording of the meeting is on record at the Town's web page for 90 days. All attachments noted are on file at Town Hall