



Joint Commission on Racial Justice and Equity Transportation and Mobility Sub-Committee



AGENDA Tuesday, August 8th, 2023 6:00PM-7:00PM

In-person Meeting =

In-person location: Carnegie Room (203) in Peoria Public Library Lincoln Branch
Lincoln Park, 1312 W Lincoln Ave, Peoria, IL 61605

**Commissioners
Present:**

- Ursula Towne, Co-Chair
- Ronald Rasberry, Co-Chair
- Antwaun Banks
- Tina Foley
- Lorene King
- Catherine Lawless
- Lenora Fisher

Other attendees:

1. Call to Order:

2. Approval of Minutes

- Vote to approve June minutes

3. Informational Items and Reports

4. Discussion

Review Committee Partners and Upcoming Events:

- Ursula met with Tom Pelger – Economic Development & Jobs – how can we collaborate? We will copy Tom on our monthly minutes and he will do the same for our committee.
- We are working on gathering suggestions from area agencies:

Agency/Organization	Transportation and Mobility Rep	Contact at Agency	Notes
Tri County Regional Planning Commission	Ursula Towne	Ray Lees	Have been communicating with Ray regularly during the SDoH meetings
Peoria Economic Development Council	Lenora Fisher	Lenora Fisher	We hear that there are job opportunities, we have workers without cars,

			connecting the dots- for safe and reliable transportation. Identify employers that need help.
Peoria Chamber of Commerce	Lorene King	CEO- Joshua Gunn	Help bring people into the city; good transportation is key to this
ICC	Catherine Lawless	Do they have programs for students to get there? Email listed on the website for RJE	Can we talk about students getting into transportation, civil engineering focus?
University of Bradley: McCord Lecture	Lorene King	Nuria Hernandez- Admin of Federal Transit Administration	Bradley Grad- civil engineering
Amazon Fulfilment Center	Lenora will reach out to the Pekin Chamber of Contract- warehouse and independent delivery contractors?		Going to Pekin, any contacts here? Can we find someone who knows who to contact?
Support-A-Friend	Antwaun Banks		Have we reached out to them for needs?
Dream Center	Ursula Towne	Robbie Criss	
Central Illinois Agency on Aging	Tina Foley, might be something to reach out to these guys on the Nerevu surveys	Can Reuben reach out to them for the Nerevu survey?	
Salvation Army	Ursula Towne/Ron Rasberry		Transportation provided to summer camp: Citylink summer ride passes
City Council	Andre Allen	Andre Allen	
County Board	Andre Allen	Andre Allen	Andre is hosting SDoH meetings. Get the committee involved- Walk-audits
Jehan Gordon-Booth/ Camilla Kellerstrass	Lorene King		Lorene was reaching out, didn't know of anything specifically
Senator David Koehler	Lorene King	Will see him next month	?
Morton Economic Dev Council	Catherine Lawless/ can she send the email to Lenora?	LeAnn Brown	Email sent but no response yet, Catherine to work with Lenora
Bike riding Assoc.- Ridellinois.Org			Can these groups be contacted to provide training for cyclists? For kids?

5. Recommendations to the Steering Committee:

6. New Business

7. Adjournment