

Sub-Committee Meeting

Location: Hutton House board room, Cherryhill Mall

Date & Time:

- Dec. 5, 2019
- 7 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

Attendees: Jacqui, Deana, Nathalie, Penny M, Jay

DISCUSSION

Transportation

- Voyageur already has 13 per cent price increase.
- When is the contract due for Voyageur

Committee should support supporting the things they're already trying to do with council

Accessible cab -- understands it takes money

What's before council is that every cab drive that picks up an accessible fair -- \$5 incentive plan, comes from a .05\$ levy on all cars. No incentive currently for cab drivers.

Committee needs to focus on advocating for a keeping the status quo for LTC and subsidized transit pass (needs based), based on budgeting challenges for the upcoming cycle. While it's the lesser of two evils, it's still an evil -- but asking for more likely not going to be viewed positively.

Idea: Reach out to Ivey Biz School/Fanshawe Specialized tests -- Hack Western or CivTech orgs to find out.

- Come up with alternatives and ways to do it with technology. Shouldn't be subcontracted.

Important to not forget the human aspect. The abuse they've suffered on the bus. Sensitivity training requirements for paratransit -- not the same as LTC.

Ivey Test?

- Need LTC
- Get Voyageur to agree

ACTION: Do a speech and a presentation

- Subsidized pass
- Vehicle for hire incentive
- Need to keep the base budget for transit

Provincial and federal funding

ACTION: Find a way to encourage paratransit users to call and report any and all incidents to London Transit.

We need to promote the idea of users reporting any challenges, incidents, or issues with paratransit to help create an awareness of the challenges. Currently, London Transit can claim plausible deniability for paratransit challenges as they're not being made of aware of this -- by extension, so can council. However, having documented issues makes the issues more tangible and harder to dismiss.

ACCESS 2

- OBTAIN A LIST OF PARTICIPATING VENUES FOR ACCESS 2
- Start creating assets on it. (March, April)

OUTREACH CAMPAIGN

- Flex Street & Event campaign.
- Jay to talk to Savannah re: accessibility
- Deana as Distribute ACCAC brochures through
- Encourage people to fill out the online survey.
- END THE SILENCE CAMPAIGN

JUNE 2021 -- VACANCIES

How do we solicit people to fill committees.

- Process dates for filling roles?
- Promoting -- reaching out to Partners in Employment.

REQUEST DELEGATE STATUS FOR THE LTC'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Wrapped up 8:15