

## Five-County Transportation Coordination Committee (TCC) Meeting Minutes – Virtual

Wednesday, January 22, 2025, 9:30am

### Attendance:

Sierra Nathans Lightner, MVPO	Melinda Camp, Henry County Board of DD
Amanda Pobega, MVPO	Abby Wolfrum, Defiance County United Way
Kathy Shaw, Triangular Processing	Joy Ernie, Henry County Health Commissioner
Adam Wagner, K&P Medical Transport	Kamaria Wilson, Mercy Health
Andrea Schlueter, Paulding County WIC	Laurie McCann, Mercy Health
Angie Franklin, NOCAC	Lindsey Manz, Paulding County Health Department
Becky Kimble, Ability Center	Lora Lyons, Paulding County United Way
BJ Horner, ADAMhs Board	Mike McCann, Mayor of Defiance
Brian Heil, Defiance County Health Department	Rachel Kinsman, Fulton County Health Department
Katie Marbaugh, Defiance County Health Department	John Lauf, CareSource
Dana Phipps, Defiance County Commissioners	

### Today:

1. Mobility Management local match needed – any ideas welcome!
2. Goals & strategies progress
3. Work group updates
4. County meeting dates
5. Decide on our next steps

### Work Groups:

Group 1: *Identify resource opportunities for sustainable transportation solutions*

- Lindsey Manz, Paulding County Health Department
- Lora Lyons, Paulding County United Way
  - \*Need to set up first meeting
  - Others that want to join are still welcome!
- **Next meeting TBD!**

Group 2: *Develop strategies on how to expand transportation services in the region and fill gaps of unmet needs – work with 5310/5311 providers on this*

- This group has turned into a meeting space for transportation providers and others that may have collaboration idea – anyone is welcome!

- Next meeting: Tuesday, March 18<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm on Microsoft Teams – new link will be sent out prior to meeting! Let me know if you would like to join this meeting and I will add you to the calendar invite

Group 3: *Work with Mobility Manager on creating new educational pieces for the community*

- Katie Marbaugh, Defiance County Health Department
- Jessica West, Defiance County Health Department
- Rachel Kinsman, Fulton County Health Department
- Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 11<sup>th</sup>, 10:30am In-Person (?) Let me know if you would like to join this meeting and I will add you to the calendar invite

Group 4: *Improve active transportation in the area*

- Amanda Pobega, MVPO
- Zach Bowers, MVPO
- Brian Heil, Defiance County Health Department
- Katie Marbaugh, Defiance County Health Department
- Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 11<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm In-Person (?) Let me know if you would like to join this meeting and I will add you to the calendar invite

**Other Notes:**

- Pedestrian & Bicycle Special Solicitation Grant link:  
<https://www.transportation.ohio.gov/traveling/bicycling-and-pedestrians/resources/pedbikelifunding>
- Brian Heil – brought up POWER meetings, survey, and looking for data
- BJ Horner – funding transportation for mental health issues (non-medical)
- Amanda Pobega – SS4A local match was funded and will need a committee if anyone is interested
- Andrea Schlueter – Paulding is looking for sidewalks to connect village to county buildings especially – Amanda mentioned that the Ped & Bike grant might be a good place to start

**Next Steps:**

- Our next meeting will be a discussion on our full Coordinated Transportation Plan to decide if any changes need to be made
- Sierra will send out Coordinated Transportation Plan to look over prior to meeting to look over
- Sierra will send out form to update contact information prior to the next meeting

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### County Meeting 2025 Dates:

- Defiance- 1300 E. 2<sup>nd</sup> St., Defiance, OH  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room
  - ~~January 8<sup>th</sup> 9:30am (virtual)~~
  - July 9<sup>th</sup> 9:30am
- Fulton – 604 S. Shoop Ave, Fulton, OH  
Detwiler Building, 2nd Floor Training Center
  - February 5<sup>th</sup> 9:30am
  - August 6<sup>th</sup> 9:30am
- Henry – Henry County Health Dept
  - March 5<sup>th</sup> 9:30am
  - September 3<sup>rd</sup> 9:30am
- Paulding – Paulding County Economic Development Building
  - April 2<sup>nd</sup> 9:30am
  - October 1<sup>st</sup> 9:30am
- Williams – EMS Business Building
  - May 7<sup>th</sup> 9:30am
  - November 5<sup>th</sup> 9:30am

### Next TCC Meeting:

April 23rd, 2025 9:30am – now fully on Zoom!