KITSAP TRANSIT BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS MEETING MINUTES OF April 16, 2024

Board of Commissioners Present:

Driskell, Robert, Teamsters Local No. 589, non-voting member - Absent Erickson, Becky, Mayor, City of Poulsbo - Virtual
Garrido, Charlotte, Kitsap County Commissioner
Mockler, Anna, Councilmember, City of Bremerton
Moriwaki, Clarence, Councilmember, City of Bainbridge Island
Putaansuu, Robert, Mayor, City of Port Orchard, Vice Chair
Rolfes, Christine, Kitsap County Commissioner
Stern, Ed, Councilmember, City of Poulsbo
Walters, Katie, Kitsap County Commissioner
Wheeler, Greg, Mayor, City of Bremerton, Chair

Staff Present:

Sanjay Bhatt, Marketing & Public Information Director; Jackie Bidon, Clerk of the Board, Public Records Officer; John Clauson, Executive Director; Crystal Culbertson, Administration Associate; Dennis Griffey, Vehicle and Facilities Maintenance Director; Steffani Lillie, Service and Capital Development Director; Mary Pauly, Human Resources Director; Crystal Culbertson, Executive Assistant/Deputy Clerk of the Board; Raymond Scott, Marine Services Director; Paul Shinners, Finance Director

Also Present: David Weibel, Legal Counsel

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1. CALL TO ORDER: Chairperson Wheeler called the meeting of the Kitsap Transit Board of Commissioners to order at 8:30 AM.

2. AGENDA REVIEW

Upon review by the Board, the agenda remained unchanged.

3. CHAIRPERSON'S COMMENTS

No Chair comments.

4. FULL DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS

a. Bond/104 Park & Ride (North Kitsap)

0:08:24, Executive Director Clauson shared a summary and history of the Bond Road/Hwy 104 Park & Ride.

0:10:46, Detailed presentation of the Bond Road/Hwy 104 Park-&-Ride by Service and Capital Development Director Steffani Lillie.

0:18:12, Board member discussion followed. Kitsap Transit Board of Commissioners requested that information be gathered regarding the property and the expiration of the grant funding. The information will be presented at a future Kitsap Transit Board of Commissioners meeting.

b. Marine Maintenance

1:20:09, Marine Maintenance Manager Andrea Carey presented a summary of marine maintenance to keep Kitsap Transit ferry vessels in service.

1:36:49, Board member discussion followed.

c. Results of Origin and Destination Study held to a future meeting.

Board members agreed to move 4.c to a future meeting.

1:40:55, Councilmember Mockler requested to share for the Good of the Order. Board members agreed.

d. Ferry Charters

1:42:44, Executive Director shared with the Board members details of what is involved for Kitsap Transit to continue with ferry charters.

1:49:43, Board member discussion followed.

5. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ITEMS

1:56:46, Executive Director Clauson briefed the Board on the following items.

• Staffing levels in the Marine Services Department for the continued supplemental Washington State Ferry service.

• Silverdale Transit Facility, ribbon cutting on June 24, 2024.

6. PUBLIC COMMENTS

None at this time.

7. FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER:

1:40:55, Councilmember Mockler suggested a pilot project for a circulator bus to operate in Bremerton for First Fridays. Kitsap Transit will gather information and bring to the Board as to if this is possible.

8. ADJOURN: At 10:10 AM, Chairperson Wheeler adjourned the regular meeting.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of Kitsap Transit at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 5th day of November, 2024.

Greg Wheeler, Chairperson

Attest:

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Jackie Bidon, Interim Clerk of the Board