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**MINUTES**  
**CITIZENS' TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**  
**Wednesday, April 18, 2018 @ 9:00 A.M.**  
240 Pine Avenue/3rd Floor/Room 380  
Albany, GA 31701

**PRESENT:** Dr. Surendra Pandey  
Glenn "Tyler" Harris  
Dr. Peter A. Ngwafu

**ABSENT:** Walter Sharp, Chair  
Lee Johnston  
Larry McClain  
Henry Allen Baggs, Vice Chair  
Diane Slomka  
Billy Merritt

**STAFF PRESENT:** Kerrie Davis, Transportation Planner  
Tennasha Gresham, Transit Planner  
Denise Clark, Administrative Assistant

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Jim LeVaughn

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Kerrie Davis at 9:01 A.M.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Dr. Surendra Pandey moved to approve the minutes of the November 29, 2017 and September 20, 2017 meetings, seconded by Dr. Peter A. Ngwafu; the motion unanimously carried.

**TOPIC I**

MPO PL Update:

- **TIP:** Kerrie Davis stated the Transportation Improvement Plan has been approved by the Georgia Department of Transportation and the Federal Highway Administration.
- **Safety Targets Presentation:** Kerrie Davis stated the Safety Targets have been adopted. Kerrie also stated that the next performance measures open for discussion are pavement and bridge condition measures, and performance of the National Highway System, freight and CMAQ measures. GDOT is in charge of monitoring and scoring all bridges in terms of safety and the County is in charge of maintenance.

A discussion followed.

- **National Highway System and/or Functional Classification (presentation):** Kerrie Davis stated that Oakridge Drive, Westover Blvd and Dawson Road were changed to minor arterials; Clark Avenue was upgraded to a major collector. A discussion followed.
- **Special Studies:** Kerrie stated that two special studies submitted for the City of Leesburg; for the West bypass, and school connectivity were awarded.

- **Draft UPWP (presentation)** The committee reviewed the budget summary table from the FY 19 draft UPWP.

## **TOPIC II**

### **Transit update:**

- Tennasha Gresham stated that the City of Albany will receive three new compressed natural gas vehicles to the transit system and 2 of the buses will service Albany State University Ram Rush service.
- Albany Transportation Center Update: Tennasha stated the Transportation Center is approaching the end of the Environment assessment process and documents will be available for public review upon completion.
- Upcoming transit projects: Route revisions in FY 19

A discussion followed.

## **TOPIC III**

- The committee requested a list of bridges that are maintained by the City/County.
- The committee requested a presentation on the process of installing speed bumps/humps.
- The committee requested additional information regarding other City's policies with Uber.

A discussion followed each request.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 10:00 A.M.

Minutes Submitted by,  
*Denise Clark*  
Administrative Assistant  
Planning and Development Services

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