

# **CAC MEETING MINUTES**

**APRIL 11, 2023**

The meeting was called to order by Chair Judy Jones.

Members Present: Doris Brevoort, BJ Carol, Robin Gosney, Chris and Judy Jones, John Norman, Dick Phillips, Valerie Rose, Brad Windler, and Cheryl Willis.

There were no guest speakers and no public comments at this time.

It was moved and seconded the March minutes be approved as submitted. Motion carried.

Both new member BJ Carol and our new CEO Crystle Stidham were welcomed to the CAC in their official capacities.

Brad then reviewed the upcoming route service changes to take place in May, which met with very positive feedback from the committee. There are some areas that will be receiving service for the first time. These routes include the 101 Burlington circulator, the expanded 300 in Sedro-Woolley, and the early morning route improvements to the inbound from Anacortes.

In the staff report, Brad reported on bus stop improvements throughout the county, and is asking members to get back to Skagit Transit if they note any bus stops that may need any corrections or attention. John stated a service change notice should be posted in the Burlington Senior Center.

Regarding route frequency recommendations, the route 207 that services the YMCA was mentioned by Valerie, and Brad stated there are going to be modifications to the roads and intersection, making for safer access. Similar improvements will be made to other bus routes as well, with the coming route changes.

In other reporting, it is noted that Former CEO Dale Obrien is officially retired, with a party given in his honor.

Cheryl reported that all Skagit Transit employees participated in the annual blood drive earlier this month through Bloodworks Northwest.

For the round table section, there was some discussion on the CAC web site.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Next meeting, May 9, 4:30 PM at Skagit Station and via Zoom.

Respectfully Submitted,

Judy Jones

CAC Chair