

Minnesota Council on Transportation Access (MCOTA) Meeting
Wednesday, June 24, 2020
1:00 – 3:00 PM
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DRAFT AGENDA

- 1:00 **Call to Order + Introductions** – Tim Henkel, MnDOT and MCOTA Chair; All
- 1:05 **Review + Approve Agenda** – All
Action: Approval
- 1:10 **Public Comments** [click here to submit comment](#)
Action: Individuals who have signed up to comment at least 2 days prior to the meeting and who are speaking on topics related to an agenda item will receive priority during the public comment period. Members of the public are allowed up to 3 minutes for comment.
- 1:15 **5/27/20 Meeting Minutes** – All
Action: Approval
- 1:20 **Update on Plans for Agency Senior Leadership Team Meeting** – Tom Gottfried, MnDOT
Action: Information and draft agenda review
- 1:35 **Work Teams Updates** – Tom Gottfried, All
Action: Information
1. **Volunteer Driver Forum Dates + Planning** – Karen Onan, East Central RTCC
 2. **Communication Work Team** – Tom Gottfried, and Arlene Mathison, Center for Transportation Studies, U of MN
 3. **Operational Work Team**
- 1:45 **MCOTA Communication** – Arlene Mathison and Tom Gottfried
Action: Solicitation of ideas
- *New Letter*
 - *Inclusive Outreach*

1:55 **MPTA Volunteer Driver Legislation** – Sherry Munyon, Minnesota Public Transit Association

Action: Request MCOTA's support for Volunteer Driver legislation

2:15 **Legislative Planning for Next Session** – Erik Rudeen, MnDOT and Diogo Reis, Minnesota Department of Human Services and other State Agencies relative to transportation access

Action: Information and Discussion

2:20 **Twin Cities Area Transit Coordination Assistance Program (TCAP) Presentation + Discussion on Transit Reponse to COVID-19** – Sheila Holbrook-White, Washington County

Action: Information and discussion

2:45 **Agency Updates** – All

Action: Information

- **Olmstead Plan** – Kristie Billiar, MnDOT
- **Other Member Updates**

2:55 **Review Draft Agenda for July Meeting** – Tim Henkel, All

3:00 **Adjourn**

Future meetings:

2020: July 22; then we move to every other month: Sept 23, Nov 18

2021: Jan 27, Mar 24, May 26