

DATE: September 27th, 2011

Minutes: Nancy Johnson

Present: Nancy Johnson-CRC, Nancy Irwin-ETSC, Debbie Lake-PLSC, Jo Salehar-LULAC, Christy Lane-ETSC, Margi Ness-NRC, Larry Hinton-UW, Shirley Biller-SCACA, Scott Lein-KDOT, Dillon Schwindt-UWGT, and Camille Cushinberry-CRC.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	FOLLOW UP
Presiding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nancy Johnson 	
Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To work and complete a comprehensive senior transportation plan to be presented to the Shawnee County Commission by Dec. 21, 2011 	
Minute correction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	
General Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are trying to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of senior transportation within Shawnee County. United Way has put out an RFP for a Basic Needs Grant and we thought there are 2 areas we can focus on: 1.) Medical Transportation and 2.) Providing transportation to the meal sites and also providing nutritious and healthy meals. We are planning to divide the county into 4 sections and then in each of those sections we plan to break down by zip codes. Senior centers will take turns during the week providing transportation to the medical facilities around the community. Will pass out flyers, brochures, etc. as soon as possible to let the seniors know the changes that will be happening with transportation. All the data for the maps are in and Carlton is reviewing them and putting the results into maps. Maps are due October 1st. One of the recommendations we had is to continue to log the transportation trips the senior centers provide. All three senior centers were all in agreement with the new changes with transportation following the completion of the grant. 	
Funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We really need to focus on local businesses/organizations?? Any Ideas? 	
Areas to be considered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Training, dispatch, gas, dedicated routes 	
Next meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday, October 11th, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. – at NAACP (come to CRC and it is around the corner). 	