

DATE: October 11th, 2011

Minutes: Camille Cushinberry

Present: Nancy Johnson-CRC, Debbie Lake-PLSC, Jo Salehar-LULAC, Christy Lane-ETSC, Jim Synder-SCACA, Dillon Schwindt-UWGT, and Rachelle Vega Retana-City/HND.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	FOLLOW UP
Presiding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nancy Johnson and Christy Lane 	
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. Possible idea for a dispatcher for Meals on Wheels. Any thoughts??? Carlton will not be able to complete the maps outlining the major medical areas in the community Somehow trying to create a one call scheduling so people know where to go. What we need from each senior center is a letter from the board president stating that they support the grant and also a list of your board members. Once the grant gets up and going we need to have a training class for all the drivers. How can we use local money to match federal grants???? 	
Grant Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nancy, Robert, Christy, and Misty are working on the grant to United Way for Medical Transportation 	
Funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> After we get the grant sent off, the next step of this committee is to go out and speak to the funders around the community. Where are the places we are transporting the majority of our seniors to? 	
Areas to be considered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Training, dispatch, gas, dedicated routes 	
Next meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday November 8th, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. – at NAACP (come to CRC and it is around the corner). 	