

# NOTICE AND AGENDA OF PUBLIC MEETING AND POSSIBLE EXECUTIVE SESSION OF THE TRANSIT ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC) OF THE NORTHERN ARIZONA INTERGOVERNMENTAL PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the TAC of the Northern Arizona Intergovernmental Public Transportation Authority ("Mountain Line") and to the general public that the TAC will hold a meeting on:

Thursday, February 6, 2025 10:00 AM Mountain Line VERA Room 3773 N. Kaspar Drive Flagstaff, AZ 86004

Unless otherwise noted, meetings held in the conference room are open to the public. This is a WEB BASED meeting. Members of the Transit Advisory Committee may attend in person, internet conferencing, or by telephone. Members of the Public may observe and participate in the meeting at the address above.

The TAC may vote to hold an executive session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from Mountain Line's attorney on any matter listed on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3). The executive session may be held at any time during the meeting. Executive sessions are not open to the public, pursuant to Arizona Open Meeting Law.

Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting the Clerk of the Board of Directors at 928-679-8922 (TTY Service 800.367.8939). Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

### Public Comment Process

The Mountain Line Transit Advisory Committee (TAC) welcomes public comments during meetings. Members of the public can comment on items not on the agenda under the general call to the public and on items on the agenda at the time the item is considered, in the agenda order. There are three ways to submit comments:

- Written Comments: Members of the public can submit public comments by email up until 9:00

   a.m. on the day of the meeting. Comments can be emailed to

   publiccomment@mountainline.az.gov and should reference if the comment is part of the
   general call to the public or in reference to a specific agenda item. Every email, if received by
   9:00 a.m. on the day of the meeting, will be entered into the official record.
- 2. Virtual Comments: Members of the public can join the meeting virtually to deliver public comments. Those wishing to attend virtually must email <u>publiccomment@mountainline.az.gov</u> by 9:00 a.m. on the day of the meeting with their name and agenda item for which they wish to provide comment. The Clerk of the Board will provide a link to access the meeting via Zoom and will introduce those giving public comments at the appropriate time in the agenda.

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3. In-Person Comments: Members of the public can attend any TAC meeting in-person and submit a speaker card to the Clerk of the Board.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. ROLL CALL
- 3. <u>SAFETY MINUTE</u> -Sam Short, Workforce Director
- 4. <u>MILESTONE ANNIVESARIES</u> -Heather Dalmolin, CEO and General Manager

#### 5. <u>CALL TO THE PUBLIC</u>

The public is invited to speak on any item or any area of concern that is the jurisdiction of the Mountain Line TAC. Comments relating to items on the agenda will be taken at the time the item is discussed. The TAC is prohibited by the Open Meeting Law from discussing, considering, or acting on items raised during the call to the public, but may direct the staff to place an item on a future agenda. Individuals are limited to a three minute presentation. A spokesperson for 10 or more people present at today's meeting may be given up to six minutes to speak. The TAC will not recognize anonymous comments.

#### 6. <u>APPROVE TAC MINUTES 1/2/2025</u>

#### 7. <u>REVIEW OF THE DRAFT BOARD BUSINESS AGENDA</u>

The TAC will review the draft Board business agenda and discuss staff reports to provide recommendations to the Board.

# a. CONSENT AGENDA

All matters under the Consent Agenda are considered by the Board of Directors to be routine and will be enacted by a single motion APPROVING THE CONSENT AGENDA. If discussion is desired on any particular consent item, that item will be removed from the consent agenda and will be considered separately. All items on the Consent Agenda with financial impact have been budgeted.

#### i. TITLE VI POLICY

-Codi Weaver, Human Resources Manager Staff recommends the Board of Directors approve Mountain Line's Title VI Policy, amended to reflect the updated MetroPlan Public Participation Plan adopted by MetroPlan in January 2025.

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### ii. <u>AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION #2025-190 AND DESIGNATION OF SIGNATURE</u> <u>AUTHORITY</u>

-Josh Stone, Financial Manager

Staff recommends the Board of Directors adopt Authorizing Resolution #2025-190 and approve Designation of Signature Authority to authorize Heather Dalmolin to act on federal funding matters on behalf of Mountain Line as CEO and General Manager.

# b. DISCUSSION / ACTION ITEMS:

# i. AUGUST 2025 SERVICE CHANGES

-Jacki Lenners, Deputy General Manager Staff recommends the Board of Directors conduct a public hearing and open a public comment period through April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025, for the proposed August 2025 service enhancements.

#### ii. <u>AMENDED AND RESTATED MASTER INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT (IGA)</u> -Heather Dalmolin, CEO and General Manager

Staff recommends the Board of Directors approve the Amended and Restated Master IGA as drafted to: align with the Board's adopted policies and procedures; incorporate the prior amendments to the IGA; update and clean up the recitations, provisions, and terms used throughout; and clarify Mountain Line's authority to own, sell, lease, and manage real estate. The Board should also authorize Mountain Line CEO and General Manager and legal counsel to negotiate, finalize, and sign the IGA agreement in conjunction with partner agencies.

# iii. <u>ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE REVIEW</u> -Heather Dalmolin, CEO and General Manager The Board may provide direction, but there is no recommendation from staff at this time.

iv. <u>COMPENSATION STUDY</u>
 -Heather Dalmolin, CEO and General Manager
 The Board may provide direction, but there is no recommendation from staff at this time.

# v. <u>FY2026 WORKFORCE BUDGET</u> Josh Stone, Financial Manager The Board may provide direction, but there is no recommendation from staff at this time.

vi. <u>ZERO EMISSION BUS TRANSITION PLAN UPDATE</u>
 Bizzy Collins, Strategic Performance Planner
 The Board may provide direction, but there is no recommendation from staff at this time.

# c. PROGRESS REPORTS:

i. <u>DOWNTOWN CONNECTION CENTER (DCC) CIVIC SPACE UPDATE</u> -Anne Dunno, Capital Development Manager

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- ii. <u>MAINTENANCE PROJECT UPDATE</u> -Anne Dunno, Capital Development Manager
- iii. <u>DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY UPDATE</u> -Heather Dalmolin, CEO and General Manager
- iv. <u>SUMMARY OF CURRENT EVENTS</u> -Heather Dalmolin, CEO and General Manager

# ITEMS FROM COMMITTEE AND STAFF:

8. <u>SCHEDULE NEXT MEETING DATE AND IDENTIFY AGENDA ITEMS</u> March/April Working Agenda

The next TAC meeting will be held on March 6, 2025, 10am, and it will be a hybrid meeting based in Flagstaff in the Mountain Line VERA Room, 3773 N. Kaspar Dr., Flagstaff, AZ, 86004. The public is invited to attend. March agenda items may include but not be limited to the MetroPlan Vulnerable Roadway Users Plan Presentation, Financial Audit, Operating Budget Overview, Biannual Performance Report, Electric Bus Performance Report, Bus Wrap/Driver Barriers Update, Strategic Planning (Proposition 488), Free and Reduced Fare Update, Triennial Review Closeout Report, Downtown Connection Center (DCC) Move-In Update, Bus Simulator, and Delegation of Authority Updates. The March agenda will be available for review on Mountain Line's website and at Mountain Line's public posting places (listed on the Mountain Line website) at least 24 hours prior to the meeting and should be consulted for a list of items that will come before the Board and TAC.

9. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>