

TRANSIT, PARKING AND TRAFFIC COMMITTEE MEETING
JANUARY 25, 2019 1:30 PM

Present: Gary Smith, Matt Trantham, Laura Shiver, Jeremy McAtee, Felisha Perrodin, Matthew Fey, Cindy Morley, Susan Stiers, Ed Gbur, Braxton Gately, Karen Sebold, and Tonya Foster

Guests: Phillip Rhoads, David Wilson, Larry Hill, Audrey France, and Eric Button

Note taker: Sherry Williams

Approval of Last Meeting's Minutes: Felisha Perrodin made a motion to approve the minutes from November 29, 2018 as written. The motion was seconded by Karen Sebold. Motion carried unanimously.

Report on Current Status of Transit and Parking:

1. HAPG designation change – Levels 1–7 permit only; Levels 8 & 9 metered only.
2. Moving from Whoosh! to Flowbird app. The Flowbird app will provide more options in the future.
3. Passio Go! should be rolled out to the public by March 1.
4. Two new transit buses should arrive by the end of February
5. Three new Safe Ride vans have been purchased.

Old Business:

1. Continue to investigate a percentage of salary for faculty/staff permit fee.

New Business:

1. Eric Button, PhD graduate student, presented a slideshow of his parking concerns.
2. Cindy Morley made a motion to combine lots 4 and 5 to make it easier for customers effective with the fall semester. The motion was seconded by Tonya Foster. Motion carried unanimously.
3. Karen Sebold made a motion to work with student organizations before escalating the fee for athletics prohibited by sign violations. The motion was seconded by Larry Hill. Motion carried unanimously.
4. Matt Trantham made a motion for the parking staff to begin researching performance based meter rates and/or other options that will force long-term parkers to the garages leaving meters for visitors and short term parking needs. Laura Shiver seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Discussion:

For next meeting:

1. Leroy Pond extension
2. Razorback Road work
3. Parking for graduate students

Cindy Morley made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Karen Sebold seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 3:00 pm.