Wisconsin River Rail Transit Commission

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MEMBER COUNTIES: CRAWFORD • DANE • GRANT• IOWA • ROCK • SAUK • WALWORTH • WAUKESHA

SUBJECT:

Friday, November 8, Full Commission Agenda

TO:

Wisconsin River Rail Transit Commissioners & Other Interested Persons

FROM:

Mary Penn, SWWRPC Associate Planner / WRRTC Administrator

Wisconsin River Rail Transit Commission

Full Commission Meeting - Friday, November 8th, 2013 @ 10 a.m.

Dane County Hwy Garage, 2302 Fish Hatchery Rd, Madison, WI

WRRTC's Schedule of Meetings:

| 2013 | |
|-------------|--------------------------|
| January 4 | XCom Meeting |
| February 8 | Full Commission Meeting |
| March 8 | XCom Meeting |
| April 5 | XCom Meeting - Cancelled |
| May 10 | Full Commission Meeting |
| June 7 | XCom Meeting - Cancelled |
| July 12 | XCom Meeting |
| August 9 | Full Commission Meeting |
| September 6 | XCom Meeting |
| October 4 | XCom Meeting |
| November 8 | Full Commission Meeting |
| December 6 | XCom Meeting |

NOTE: The WRRTC's meetings are **usually** held at 10:00 a.m. on the **first Friday after the first Tuesday of the month** at the **Dane County Highway Building** in Madison, WI.

NOTICE is sent to: County Clerks in WRRTC's Region for Posting and to Local News Media as an FYI.

Thank you for your interest and assistance.

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Full Commission Meeting - Friday, November 8th, 2013 @ 10 a.m. Dane County Hwy Garage, 2302 Fish Hatchery Rd, Madison, WI

10 minutes estimated | Action Items

1. 10:00 AM

Call to Order - Karl Nilson, Chair

2. Roll Call.

Establishment of Quorum – Mary Penn

3. Action Item.

Certification of Meeting's Public Notice – *Noticed by Penn*

4. Action Item.

Approval of Agenda – Prepared by Penn

5. Action Item.

Approval of draft October Meeting Minutes—Prepared by Penn

6. Updates.

Public Comment – Time for public comment may be limited by the Chair

7. Updates.

Correspondence & Communications – Discussion may be limited by the Chair

8. Updates.

Announcements by Commissioners – No Discussion Permitted

REPORTS & COMMISSION BUSINESS

5 minutes estimated | Update & Possible Action

- WRRTC Financial Report Jim Matzinger, Dane County CPA / WRRTC Accountant
 - Treasurer's Report for October and Payment of Bills

10 minutes estimated | Update

- 10. Wisconsin & Southern Railroad's Report on Operations Ken Clemmons, WSOR
 - Update on Monthly Maintenance Activities
 - Update on Capital Projects
 - Update on Business Development
 - Other continuing issues/topics
 - 5 minutes estimated/Possible Action
- 11. Discussion, commendations, presentations, and possible action concerning Resolution to honor retiring Ben Meighan, WSOR Karl Nilson, Chair

10 minutes estimated | Update

12. WDOT Report—Frank Huntington, WDOT

5 minutes estimated | Update

13. WRRTC Administrator's Report – Mary Penn, WRRTC Admin.

5 minutes estimated / Update & Possible Action

14. Consideration and Possible Action on City of Middleton Hwy 12 Road Connection Project Involving ROW Encroachment – Tom Stetzer, Strand Associates, Inc.

10 minutes estimated / Discussion & Possible Action

15. Consideration of and action on Issuance of a Request for Shipping Services (Fitchburg to Oregon/Evansville rail line) – Frank Huntington, WDOT

- 10 minutes estimated / Discussion & Possible Action
- 16. Consideration and Action regarding revised language to the WRRTC/WSOR/WisDOT Grant and Operating Agreements Frank Huntington, WDOT
 - 10 minutes estimated / Discussion & Possible Action
- 17. Discussion and Possible Action regarding Grant and Operating Agreements with WisDOT and WSOR for the Madison to Reedsburg/Cottage Grove lines and the Madison to Evansville line Frank Huntington, WDOT
 - 5 minutes estimated / Update & Possible Action
- 18. Consideration and Possible Action on Sauk City Bridge Re-measurement
 - 5 minutes estimated | Update & Possible Action
- 19. Consideration and Possible Action on 2012 draft WRRTC Audit with Johnson Block Mary Penn, PRTC Admin.
 - 5 minutes estimated / Discussion
- 20. Discussion regarding renewal of WSOR rental obligation defined in WSOR and WRRTC Operating Agreement 2007 Addendum (annual rental obligation is presently \$45,000) *Karl Nilson, Chair*
- 21. Action Item. Adjournment

