

SPIIL Transportation Notes: 3/9/21

Chair: Greg York

Co-Chair: Christina Blair

Guest Speaker: Randy Trotter (Four Counties, CTD 10 Chair)

Attendees: Adam Burnett- RCIL

Kendra Burgess- The Whole Person

Laura Denny- LINK

Diana Clanton- SKIL

Craig Perbeck- ILRC

Tammy Fuhr- PIRC

Brian ?- ILRC

Tina ? – Three Rivers

Michelle Griffin

LaNeece Jardon- Transportation Manager for Independence Inc.

Introduction of Attendees and Guest Speaker

Guest Speaker: Started by opening the floor up for questions

Kendra Burgess (The Whole Person) – Asked about transportation options between states especially those along the state line and overcoming any barriers.

Guest Speaker: Reach out to transportation providers and speak with them about non-fixed routes versus fixed routes and about how the non-fixed routes can transition into curb to curb transportation.

Michelle Griffin (Regional Mobility Manager): Added information about regions developing a mobility manager position and ksrides.org. These would be able to provide information and points of contact.

Craig Perbeck (ILRC) and Guest Speaker talked about finding 5311 funding versus 5310 which is the more popular in Southeast Kansas.

Diana Clanton (SKIL) – Asked guest speaker about non-emergency medical transportation options for those with medical cards. Do they have to use only those options given by MCO? She also asked about transportation barriers for those without medical cards.

Adam Burnett (RCIL) – Asked Guest Speaker about training KDOT and other transportation providers have on loading and securing things like wheelchairs when providing transportation to those with disabilities.

Guest Speaker: All transportation providers/drivers go through training.

Approval of Objectives for SPIL

Motioned By: Diana Clanton

Seconded By: Greg York

Talked about Active Transportation Plan through KDOT

Michelle Griffin – Talked about what she learned during meeting and provided contact information for KDOT Representative.

Talked about guest speaker for next SPIL Meeting and confirmed date: 6/8/21

Final Comments

Closing of Meeting