

# City of Gainesville

City Hall  
200 East University Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida 32601



## **Minutes - Draft**

September 22, 2021

5:30 PM

RTS Admin Bldg, 34 SE 13th Rd., Gainesville

## **Regional Transit System Advisory Board**

*Elizabeth Hauck (Member)*

*Barbara Scott (Member)*

*Richard Nelson (Member)*

*Christy Haven (Member)*

*Harrison Scoville (Member)*

*Daniel Clifft (Member)*

*Andre Soucy (Member)*

*Evelyn Alfred (Student Member)*

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## CALL TO ORDER

The meeting began at 5:30pm called to order by Chairperson Liz Hauck.

## ROLL CALL

Present: Daniel Clifft, Elizabeth Hauck, Richard Nelson, Harrison Scoville and  
Andre Soucy

Absent: (2) County, (1) City, (1) Student

## ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

A motion was made by Member Clifft, seconded by Member Scoville, that the  
Agenda be Adopted. The motion carried by an unanimous vote.

**Adopted**

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

### 210054.

Regional Transit System Advisory Board Minutes of December 2, 2020 (B)

A motion was made by Member Clifft, seconded by Member Scoville, that the  
Minutes from the December 2, 2020, meeting be Approved as Recommended.  
The motion carried by an unanimous vote.

**RECOMMENDATION**

*The Regional Transit System Advisory Board approve the  
Minutes of December 2, 2020*

**Approved as Recommended**

## DISCUSSION OF PENDING REFERRALS

### 210421.

Regional Transit System Advisory Board Staff Updates (B)

RTS Staff Members updated the board members on various topics. Highlights of  
that general discussion are as follows.

- Finding and hiring bus drivers is still difficult in the current job market. RTS Staff are planning another Job Fair in October.
- The current TransLoc app will be replaced with GNVRideRTS which is more flexible and accurate. There will be a marketing campaign to introduce the new app soon.
- RTS Staff expects the city and county to approve the new “Free Over 65/Under 18” ridership pilot program. More information will be available in October.
- The RTS web site is up-to-date currently and heavily used as a resource.

Cosmetic changes will occur in the future, when the city updates more of its other pages.

RECOMMENDATION

*The Regional Transit System Advisory Board receive the update from staff.*

**Discussed**

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

No citizens were present at the meeting.

**MEMBER COMMENT**

No further comments were made by members.

**NEXT MEETING DATE**

The board members agreed to meet on Wednesday, November 17, 2021.

**ADJOURNMENT**

With no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 6:20pm.