Atlanta-region Transit Link Authority
245 Peachtree Center Ave., Suite 2300
Atlanta, GA 30303

Xpress Operations Committee
Meeting Minutes

June 5, 2025

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT

Steve Brock
Ricky Clark
Marlene Fosque
Howard Mosby
Todd Ver Steeg

OTHER BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT

Dan Buyers
Lorraine Cochran-Johnson
Andy Macke
Marci Collier Overstreet
Paul Radford
Teddy Russell
Alex Wan

CALL TO ORDER

Committee Chair Marlene Fosque began the meeting at 9:05 a.m. A quorum was confirmed for the meeting.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Committee Chair Marlene Fosque called for a motion to approve the minutes of the April 3, 2025, meeting. Mr. Ricky Clark made the motion to approve, and Mr. Howard Mosby seconded the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

APPROVAL OF THE COMMITTEE AGENDA

Committee Chair Marlene Fosque called for a motion to approve the agenda. Mr. Howard Mosby made the motion to approve, and Mr. Ricky Clark seconded the motion. The agenda was unanimously approved.

COBB COUNTY/ATL INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT – ACTION ITEM

Gail Franklin presented an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) between Cobb County and the Atlanta-Region Transit Link Authority (ATL). The IGA formalized the arrangement between Cobb County and the ATL whereby the ATL would assume responsibility for operating commuter bus service in Cobb County and the County would contribute funding resources to the ATL to support those operations. This agreement would result in enhanced operational efficiencies and cost reductions for both parties. The Cobb County Board of Commissioners had already approved the agreement on May 20, 2025. Franklin requested the Committee recommend adoption of the IGA to the full Board.

Following the presentation, Committee Chair Fosque called for a motion to approve the resolution authorizing the IGA. Mr. Ricky Clark moved for approval, seconded by Mr. Howard Mosby. The Committee unanimously approved the resolution and advanced it to the full Board for consideration.

GWINNETT COUNTY/ATL INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT – ACTION ITEM

Gail Franklin presented the Gwinnett County Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with the Atlanta-Region Transit Link Authority (ATL), highlighting a strategic partnership aimed at enhancing regional service efficiency and better aligning with passenger demand. The agreement reflects a transition from county-operated commuter services to a centralized model under ATL's express commuter operations. Through this arrangement, Gwinnett County will discontinue direct operations and instead contribute financially to ATL Xpress operations in the County. Franklin requested the Committee recommend adoption of the IGA to the full Board.

Committee Chair Fosque called for a motion to approve the resolution authorizing the Gwinnett County/ATL IGA. Mr. Howard Mosby moved for approval, seconded by Mr. Ricky Clark. The Committee unanimously approved the resolution and advanced it to the full Board for consideration.

VANPOOL PROGRAM PRESENTATION – ACTION ITEM

Kenya Leatham provided a presentation on the ATL Regional Vanpool Program and the proposed contract extension with Commute with Enterprise, the private provider responsible for the delivery of the program. The program is a federally funded transportation solution in which participants share both driving responsibilities and associated costs. The service is geared toward work commutes.

The existing contract with Commute with Enterprise includes an initial three year term with two available one-year extension options. The initial contract term ends on June 30, 2025.

As a result, staff is seeking approval to execute the first extension, which would go into effect on July 1, 2025.

Committee Chair Fosque called for a motion to approve the resolution authorizing the approval of the Vanpool Contract Extension. Mr. Ricky Clark moved for approval, seconded by Mr. Howard Mosby. The Committee unanimously approved and advanced the resolution to the full Board for consideration.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 9:35 a.m.

APPROVED:

Marlene Fosque

Marlene Fosque, Committee Chair

ATTEST:

Chris Brunson

Chris Brunson, Board Secretary

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DATE MINUTES APPROVED: