ALL-UNIVERSITY TRAFFIC & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

MEETING MINUTES

March 19, 2015

PRESENT

BANDROWSKI, KIRBY, MARTENIUK, NICHOLLS, NOWICKI, POTTER, PRUSH, RUTAN, SLOAN

ABSENT

CALDWELL, GROLL, HOLLIS, KACOS, KASHIF, KNOOIHUIZEN, LOMBARDO, LUDMAN, MAGOMBO, MARTIN-STONEY, MOSES, PETROFF, RICE, SILVER, WIEBRECHT

GUEST

Steve Troost: Sitting in for Jeff Kacos

CALL TO ORDER

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

NICHOLLS welcomed the committee and attendees introduced themselves.

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA

No Quorum, unable to vote.

REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF JANUARY MINUTES

No Quorum, unable to vote.

DISCUSSION/ ACTION ITEMS

A) Prush: Retiree Parking Rates

PRUSH stated that there are currently 1,826 Retiree's with a permit. 27 of those retiree's pay for their permit because they continue to work for the university.

PRUSH stated that Nowicki proposed the idea to charge \$25/year for a retiree permit.

NOWICKI stated that most other universities charge for their retiree permits. MSU's fee would be nominal and would help cover the costs of the materials needed for the permits.

PRUSH stated that the proposal should be tabled until next meeting when it can be voted on.

B) PRUSH: Taxi's on Campus

PRUSH stated that taxis in Lansing are charged a \$50 application fee, and a \$35/vehicle/year fee.

PRUSH stated that taxies in East Lansing are charged a \$93.33 application fee, and a \$116.67/vehicle/year fee. East Lansing also is charged a late fee of \$25 if they don't pay within the timeline.

PRUSH stated that from the last AUTTC Meeting the University is looking to adopt an ordinance to require Taxies to be licensed. The intent is to make taxi riding safer, by knowing the drivers have met requirements and had a background check.

CONSTITUANT FEEDBACK:

BANDROWSKI stated that his constituents do not agree with the proposal and would rather have more access to rides and were less worried about their safety.

DEPARTMENT UPDATES and REPRESENTATIVES REPORTS

a) Department of Police and Public Safety (John Prush)

PRUSH stated that 6 pay by plate kiosks in the Grand River Ramp 6 have been installed. So far they are being used and are well liked.

PRUSH stated there is a survey available on the recipients to gauge response to the machines.

PRUSH stated that the process takes about 30 seconds. The machine takes cash, coin, and credit. User is asked if they would like to give their phone number to receive a text message warning when 10 minutes is left for their spot. User is also given a choice to pay to extent their time for the space.

PRUSH stated that 1 machines is placed at every exit and there are now 2 at the south exit of the ramp due to that being the highest traffic point.

PRUSH stated that there has been a student stationed there to act as an ambassador to assist with questions on how to use the machine.

b) Infrastructure Planning and Facilities (Jeff Groll)

No updates were reported.

c) Campus Planning and Administration (Jeff Kacos)

No updates were reported.

d) Mass Transit (Deborah Kirby)

KIRBY stated that starting after spring break, route 31 would have a time schedule change from 7 min intervals to 8 minute intervals.

e) Office of Campus Sustainability (Judy Marteniuk)

No updates were reported.

f) MSU Bike Service Center (Tim Potter)

POTTER stated that the first big bike sale will; be held April 11th at the Surplus Store on campus at 7am. The bikes being sold are the abandoned bikes left around campus that have been collected and also refurbished bikes. Over 200 bikes were sold in a day last year at the sale.

POTTER stated that National Bike to Work Day is May 15th and the Sustainability Office is paying for the Bike to Work and Campus Breakfast at Brody Cafeteria.

POTTER stated that ASMSU Bike Share has 8 loanable bikes over at Bailey in Brody Complex, available for use.

POTTER stated that he is researching different smart bike lock companies.

POTTER stated there is a Bike Movie Night on May 29th.

POTTER stated that there are 5 bike repair stations around campus at each of the residential neighborhoods.

BANDROWSKI stated that word has gotten around about the stations and that students are utilizing and really enjoying the new stations.

g) Auxiliary Enterprises, Residential and Hospitality Services (Joe Petroff)
 No updates were reported.

h) Resource Center for Persons with Disabilities (Virginia Rutan)
RUTAN stated there was nothing to report.

i) Ombudsperson (Bob Caldwell)

No updates were reported.

j) Union Representatives (Danielle Martin-Stoney, Pam Sloan, Robert Nowicki)

NOWICKI stated there was nothing to report.

k) Office of Student Affairs and Services (Pat Dyer-Deckrow)

No updates were reported.

 Associated Students of MSU Representatives (Peyton Lombardo, Colin Wiebrecht, Wyatt Ludman)

No updates were reported.

m) Residence Hall Representatives (5x) (Blake Bandrowski)

BANDROWSKI stated that RHS has a new president and vice president.

n) University Apartment Representatives (2x)

No updates were reported.

o) Greek System Representatives (Kristine Knooihuizen)

No updates were reported.

p) Graduate Student Representatives (Sam Moses)

No updates were reported.

q) Faculty Representatives (Meghan Hollis, Sarah Nicholls, Breezy Silver)

NICHOLLS stated there was nothing to report.

CORRESPONDENCE and PUBLIC COMMENT

NEXT MEETING

AUTTC 2:30-5pm April 16th, 2015, MSU Police Department- Community Room

ADJOURNMENT