Berkshire Microtransit Study: Public Input Meeting Notice

Town of Great Barrington, MA

Location: To Join Remotely:

You are invited to a Zoom webinar.

When: Mar 2, 2022 05:30 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Topic: Regional Transportation Advisory Committee

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

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Date: Wednesday, 02 March 2022

Time: 5:30 pm

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order Suspending Certain Provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. c. 30A, §18, and the Governor's June 16, 2021 Revised Order extending remote participation by all members in any meeting of a public body, this Berkshire Microtransit Survey Public Input Meeting is being held via Google Meets. General guidelines for remote participation by members of the public and/or parties with a right and/or requirement to attend this meeting can be found on town's website, at www.townofgb.org. For this meeting, members of the public who wish to listen to the meeting may do so in the following manner: See instructions at the top of the agenda. No in-person attendance of members of the public will be permitted, but every effort will be made to ensure that the public can adequately access the proceedings in real time, via technological means.

Agenda Items:

- I. Public input on Berkshire Microtransit Survey results (5:30)
 - a. Presentation by Tate Coleman, Chair of RTAC
 - b. Public comment
- II. Adjourn Meeting (6:25)

Request for public comment (02/14/2022):

The Regional Transportation Advisory Committee (RTAC) is seeking public input to validate survey results and trends regarding recommendations from the Berkshire Microtransit Survey.

The survey was distributed county-wide during December 2021 and January 2022 in collaboration with the Berkshire Regional Planning Commission (BRPC), receiving over 2200 responses. Microtransit is a shared-ride on-demand service, similar to a shared-ride Uber or Lyft. The proposed service would be reasonably priced.

Public input will also assist in determining pilot service zone candidates throughout Berkshire County.

Please join us on **Wednesday**, **2 March** at 5:30pm or **Wednesday**, **9 March** at 6:30pm to share your input via the Zoom link found on the Public Input Meeting Notice.

The Meeting Notices are located at <u>www.townofgb.org</u>. You can view the draft summary of findings at <u>www.berkshiretransitsurvey.com</u>.

If you cannot attend either of the meetings, you are welcome to submit public comments via email to **comments@berkshiretransitsurvey.com** no later than **March 16**, 2022 at 5pm. Please write "Microtransit Survey Comments" in the subject of your e-mail.

Sincerely,
Tate Coleman
Chairman, Regional Transportation Advisory Committee (RTAC)