



WEST KOOTENAY TRANSIT COMMITTEE

AGENDA

May 13, 2025 | 9:00 a.m.

Regional District of Central Kootenay
RDCB Boardroom, 202 Lakeside Drive, Nelson
Zoom Meeting

1) Call to Order

Chair Rik Logtenberg will call the meeting to order.

2) Territorial Acknowledgement

We recognize and respect that we live and meet within the unceded territories of the Columbia Basin Indigenous Nations peoples.

3) Approval of the Agenda

Recommendation:

Moved by Director _____ and seconded:

That the agenda for the May 13, 2025 meeting of the West Kootenay Transit Committee be approved as presented.

4) Approval of the Minutes

Recommendation:

Moved by Director _____ and seconded:

That the minutes of the West Kootenay Transit Committee September 24, 2024 meeting be approved as presented.

5) Introductions

- a) Remco Makkinje, General Manager, Kootenay Operations (BC), PW Transit

- b) Ana Gabirondo-Manchado, PW Transit
- c) Brier Albano, Associate Vice-President, Student Success, Selkirk College

6) Reports

BC Transit

Daynika White, Government Relations Manager and Jen Getz, Transit Planner

- a) Ridership and revenue update
- b) Umo update
- c) Battery Electric Bus update
- d) Operations Update – Trail Transit Exchange temp relocation
- e) Trail Facility Update
- f) Transit Exchange Updates: City of Nelson, City of Trail
- g) Transit expansion process

Selkirk College

Brier Albano, Associate Vice-President, Student Success

- h) UPASS

7) New Business

- a) West Kootenay Transit Fare Review - Daynika White and Tom Dool

Recommendation:

Moved by Director _____ and seconded:

That the West Kootenay Transit Committee request BC Transit to initiate a fare review of the entire West Kootenay Transit System and report back to the Committee with recommendations.

- b) Mitigating unsafe bus maneuvers – Route 41 and 98, Jen Getz

Recommendation:

Moved by Director _____ and seconded:

That the West Kootenay Transit Committee receive the presentation as information.

c) Interior Health Authority funding for Health Connections – Tom Dool

Recommendation:

Moved by Director _____ and seconded:

That the West Kootenay Transit Committee direct BC Transit, on behalf of local government funding partners for the West Kootenay Transit System, to negotiate with the IHA for increased funding for Health Connections transit services.

8) Adjournment