

## **COTTONWOOD CITIZENS REVIEW COMMISSION**

**Meeting held on October 2, 2008**

**At the Yavapai County Annex Building**

I was unable to attend the previous meetings but did attend the above referenced meeting. This meeting was held with the Northern Arizona Intergovernmental Public Transportation Authority and was facilitated by Jeff Meilbeck, General Manager of NAIPTA. Attached is a copy of the agenda for that meeting.

Present at the meeting as members of the CRC were: Bob Richards, Cottonwood; Rob Hanson, Cottonwood; Deb Wheaton, Cottonwood; Barbara Chavez, Cottonwood and the Verde Valley Medical Center. Also present was Kathy Chandler, Mountain Lift Manager. Shirley Scott was there for CATS and Linda Norman, Councilmember, Cottonwood and Doug Bartosh, City Manager, Cottonwood.

There was a review regarding discussions and decisions that were made at the pervious meetings. High and low priorities that were developed by this group were discussed and had been formalized. The possibility of adding a third route to the Cottonwood service and a Saturday service between Cottonwood and Sedona were discussed. It was stated that NAIPTA would operate and fund this service.

A power point presentation was made by Jim Wagner, consultant to NAIPTH who was formerly a transportation planner with the City of Flagstaff and now is an independent consultant. Strengths and weaknesses were reviewed and various projected budget figures. Three excellent maps were presented indicating the two current routes and a proposed third route to be added. These maps are available on NAIPTA's website; [www.naipta.az.gov](http://www.naipta.az.gov).

The next steps are listed on the enclosed agenda, but Barbara Chavez was appointed as representative to the joint meeting with the Sedona Citizens Review Commission. This joint meeting will be held October 23 in the Cottonwood Public Safety Building from 11:30am to 1:30pm. The next meeting of the Cottonwood Citizens Review Commission will be held on October 21<sup>st</sup> from 11:30 to 1:30 in the Yavapai County Annex Building in the second floor conference room.

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Thursday, October 2, 2008, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Yavapai County Annex Building, 10 S. 6<sup>th</sup> Street, Cottonwood, AZ. Verde Room

**AGENDA**

- 11:30am      **Lunch Service**
- 11:40am      **Welcome & Introductions**
- 11:45am      **Quick Review**
- 11:50am      **Discuss Preferred Service Scenario**
- Eligibility Program
  - 2 Line Fixed Routes
  - Near Term Options
    - 3 Loop Concept
    - Cottonwood-Sedona Commuter Express
    - Saturday Service
  - Mid-term options
    - Evening Service
    - Camp Verde Social Service
- 1:25pm      **Next Steps**
- Funding Model Policy Questions
  - Joint Meeting with Sedona CRC?
  - Schedule an Open House
  - Schedule NAIPTA Board and Council Presentation
  - Next Meeting – Next Meeting is scheduled Tuesday, October 21<sup>st</sup>, 11:30-1:30, in the Verde Room of the Yavapai County Annex Building.
- 1:30pm      **ADJOURN & THANKS!**



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