



**City of Florence**  
**Transportation Committee (TC)**  
**Regular Session**  
Florence City Hall  
250 Hwy 101, Florence, OR 97439  
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May 21, 2024

## AGENDA

5:00 PM

Chairperson Storm Kurth — Vice Chairperson Gary Trevisan  
Joseph Cullivan — Chris Handley — Cheri Payne  
Ex-Officio: Robert Carp, City Councilor — Clare Kurth, Staff  
Ex-Officio: River Cities Taxi, Josh Haring — Lane Transit District, Kathleen Flynn — LCOG, Kelly Clarke

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**The Transportation Committee meeting will be held in-person at Florence City Hall**

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<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/5962743256158192735>

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<https://www.ci.florence.or.us/bc-tc/transportation-committee-meeting-20>

### **CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

5:00 p.m.

**1. Approval of the Agenda**

- 2. Public Comments – *Items not on the Agenda*:** This is an opportunity for members of the audience to bring to the committee's attention any item not otherwise listed on the agenda. Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person, with a maximum time of 15 minutes for all items. Please state your name for the audio record when called upon.

5:05 p.m.

### **ACTION ITEMS—**

*No action items*

### **DISCUSSION ITEMS AND REPORTS:**

- 3. Link-Lane Transit Update:** The Committee will get an update on Link-Lane services in Florence from Kate Wilson, Senior Planner with Lane Council of Governments (LCOG). Link-Lane services include both the Eugene-Florence and the Florence-Yachats Connectors. Following the agency update Committee members will have an opportunity for questions.
- 4. Rhody Express and LTD Update:** The Committee will get an update on recent and upcoming changes to the Rhody Express service from Kathleen Flynn, Mobility Services Grant Specialist with Lane Transit District (LTD). Following the agency update the Committee members will have an opportunity to ask questions.
- 5. Rhody Express Survey:** The 2024 Rhody Express Ridership Survey ran from April 27<sup>th</sup> through May 10<sup>th</sup>. The Transportation Committee will have an update and summary of the results.
- 6. Transportation Committee Member Recruitment:** This will be a brief update on the recent and continuing Transportation Committee recruitment efforts for members.

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| <b>7. Subcommittee Updates:</b> Opportunity for Committee Members to discuss subcommittee updates or discuss subcommittee interests. | 6:25 p.m. |
| <b>8. City Transportation Updates</b>  | 6:35 p.m. |
| <b>9. Closing Comments:</b> Next Meeting Date & Future Agenda Topics   | 6:45 p.m. |

### TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE CALENDAR

Date	Time	Description
June 18, 2024	5:00 PM	<i>cancelled</i>
July 16, 2024	5:00 PM	<i>tentative</i>

### PUBLIC MEETINGS PROCEDURES

**The Transportation Committee meeting will be held in-person at Florence City Hall with the option to view / listen to the meeting virtually via GoToWebinar.**

**Expressing Views to the Transportation Committee:** Citizens wishing to express their views to the TC may do so in both written and verbal formats.

1. Written Testimony: Citizens wishing to express their views are encouraged to submit written testimony in one of the following ways:
  - a. Submit written comments via email to [planningdepartment@ci.florence.or.us](mailto:planningdepartment@ci.florence.or.us)
  - b. Mail written comments to Florence City Hall, Attn: TC, City of Florence, 250 Hwy 101, Florence, OR 97439
  - c. Drop off written comments to the City of Florence drop box located at Florence City Hall (250 Hwy 101) to the right of the main entrance.

**\*\* Note:** Written comments received at least 2 hours prior to the meeting will be distributed to the TC, posted to the City of Florence website, and made part of the record.
2. Verbal Testimony: Citizens wishing to express their views to the TC may participate in the meeting in person and via GoToWebinar. To do so, please complete a speaker's card online at <https://www.ci.florence.or.us/bc-tc/transportation-committee-speakers-card> at least 1 hour prior to the meeting. City staff will then contact the speaker to let them know the process to participate in the meeting.
  - a. Public Comments on items not on the agenda: General public comments (on items not on the agenda) will be allowed at each meeting during the public comment agenda item. Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person, with a maximum of 15 minutes for all items. In practicality, this means no more than five individuals will be allowed to comment verbally. There is no limit on written public comments.
  - b. Public Comments on Action Items: Public Comments will be allowed on each action item on the agenda. Verbal comments will be allowed on action items after staff has given their report and have allowed time for initial Committee questions. Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person, with a maximum of 15 minutes for all comments on each action item. In practicality, this means no more than five (5) individuals will be allowed to comment verbally. There is no limit on written public comments.