**Parking and Transportation**

**Advisory Committee Meeting**

**February 18, 2020**

Time: 3:32

Location: Sanger Hall 1-038

**Attendees:**

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| Joshua Stone | Barbara Kidd |
| Carlos Brown | Scott Merriman |
| Jonsette Calloway | Matt Morris |
| Nicholas Coward | Kendall Plageman |
| Angela Davis | Ariel Smith |
| Pamela Greene | Keith Van Inwegen |
| Monica Jackson | Mia Williams |

**Administration:**

* Pay-by-Cell received 5 responses and the committee narrowed it down to 3 finalists who will be coming to VCU to give presentations.
* Rekor (LPR) are still residing in contracts
* Cameras were discussed with VCUPD on 1/29, and have identified WMSD as top candidate, money has been allocated for this project.
* LED lights will be upgraded in N-Deck and we are currently working with Energy/Utilities in FMD.
* Credit Card machines are in and will soft launch tonight.

**Parking Operations:**

* The command center relocated from JSD to ESD

**Maintenance:**

* Assessment bid documents released and due on February 25, 2020
* The asphalt and striping bids are expected in 60 days

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**Parking Operations- continued:**

**Special Events:**

* The credit card machines will be implemented on Feb 18, 2020.

**Operations Staffing:**

* A new position was created and has been posted for a Special Events Supervisor and we have a Special Events Attendant position vacant as well.

**Transportation- RamSafe/RamRide:**

* There has been a notable increase in RamSafe rides (3986) and the percentage of cancelled trips has increased. The current percentage of increased trips is 44.8% and last year our percentage was 41.9%
* There are currently 12 buses operating during peak period and 5 buses operating during non-peak period.
* The monthly averages for RamRide from August 2019 thru January 2020 are as follows:

A Lot: 15885 riders

I-Lot: 12235 riders

M&R lots: 15741 riders

**Alternative Transportation:**

* Alternative Transportation Coordinator position will return to Parking and Transportation, this position is currently vacant.
* We have a meeting planned with RVA Bike Share on February 18, 2020 to discuss possible partnership opportunities.
* PTAC attendee stated the app for the GRTC Mobile Pass has dropped and we are hopeful to be live by the end of the month.
* GRTC ridership totaled 1,142, 732

**Follow-Up/Changes:**

* We are working with T2 to set up Immobilized Accounts
* The student permits are changing to 19-hour permits, no more start/end times.
* Pam Greene to check on status of Alternative Transportation position

adjourned: 4:42