

Transportation Workgroup Roster

- Jim Donnelly (Chair)
- Kevin Donovan (ACOA)
- Denise Kalm (ACOA)
- Jennifer Cannon (Contra Costa Office of Emergency Services)
- John Cunningham (Contra Costa Dept. Conservation & Development)
- Riki Juster (Lamorinda Spirit Van)
- Rashida Kamara (CCTA)
- Rosa Noya (County Connection)
- Deanna Perry (ECC Transit Authority)
- Debbie Toth (Choice in Aging)
- Elaine Welch (Mobility Matters)

Workgroup's Role

To address transportation barriers and gaps in service experienced by Contra Costa older adults through education, advocacy and the promotion of effective coordination of services and mobility management that enhances the autonomy and independence of older adults in Contra Costa County.

Accomplishments

2024 Presentations from:

- Fully Integrated Solutions for Public Mobility- Via
- Tri Delta transit- Tri My Ride (micro-Transit Service)- Deanna Perry
- Alborg Denmark- Public All Electric Regional Bus System- Jim Donnelly
- CCTA Accessible transportation Workshop- Rashida Kamara
- Contra Costa MPA Road Map- Transportation Strategies
- CCTA Richmond Paratransit Audit Report & Follow-up- Rashida Kamara
- OES Transportation Plan Update- Jennifer Cannon

Provided advocacy for:

- Mobility Management in Contra Costa City-based transportation programs .
- Attended community meetings and trainings that provided information on the Master Plan for Aging, CCTA and Regional Transportation Organizations.
- Participated in the Paratransit Coordinating Council, DACLAC, and the Task Force for the Implementation of the Accessible Transportation Strategic Plan.
- Supported further development of the Master Plan for Aging.
- Provided updates of services for older adults in need of transportation services.

2024 Work Plan

- Review survey data and report out on COVID 19 Impacts on Accessible Transportation Services.
- Schedule six presentations in 2024 from transportation service providers and educators in Contra Costa County.

- Participate in the Paratransit Coordinating Council, DACLAC, Accessible Transportation Task Force, and Regional Transportation Organization meetings.
- Participate in Master Plan for Aging local implementation, ensuring senior transportation and people with disabilities' issues are addressed.
- Participate in CCC's Accessible Transportation Strategic Plan implementation.

Jim Donnelly

Transportation Workgroup Chair