



STAFF REPORT
Board Meeting of February 23, 2022

AGENDA ITEM: 4-B

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SUBJECT:

Summary of Past Two Meetings of the Social Service Transportation Advisory Council

Enclosure: Yes

Action: Information and Discussion Only

SUMMARY:

The Social Service Transportation Advisory Council met on Friday, January 28, 2022. Six out of eight members were present. There was an overview of the roles and responsibilities and SSTAC bylaws. The election of Vice Chair was postponed. The Council was informed of the two SSTAC vacancies: Representative of Social Services Provider for Disabled and Representative of Social Services Provider for Seniors. The definition for Unmet Transit Needs was reviewed. A proposed definition was agreed upon to recommend to the Madera County Transportation Commission (MCTC) Policy Board. MCTC Staff discussed with SSTAC members the next steps in regard to adoption and use of the proposed definition. There was a brief presentation on the Short Range Transit Plan and the Madera County Coordinated Public Transit Human Services Transportation Plan.

The second meeting was held on Friday, February 4, 2022. Six out of eight members were present. A new definition for Unmet Transit Needs was recommended to forward to the MCTC Policy Board for approval. The new definition was also recommended for use once it is adopted by the MCTC Policy Board. The new definition would then be in effect for the FY 2022/2023 Unmet Transit Needs Process.

The meetings' agendas are included with this report.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact to the approved 2021-22 Overall Work Program and Budget.