Paratransit Advisory Committee
4/1/14
9:30am – 10:30am

Committee Members Present
Elizabeth Whitt
Garrett Cruzan
Kevin Coleman
Amanda O’Brien

Guests Present
Carolyn Smith

The Paratransit Advisory Committee met on Tuesday April 1, 2014 from 9:30am – 10:30am.

Committee Status

Carolyn Smith was present to provide the committee with a formal letter from the VP which recognizes the committee as an internal committee within Transit & Parking Services that serves in an advisory role. Any policies developed will still need to go through proper UW authorities, whether that is to Carolyn & Paul Kunkel, or if it needs to go to the VP level.

**Carolyn left the meeting**

Old Business

Marketing campaign – The marketing campaign officially kicked off on April 1.

Riders Guide – The new riders guide is with Legal to get their stamp of approval. Hopefully it will get implemented before summer.

Committee’s Next Steps

Committee members discussed what the next steps should be. It was decided to continue monthly meetings as necessary. Items to discuss include ways to increase ridership and improve service through shelters, etc., as well as ideas about who to approach about becoming a member of the committee.

Open Forum

Kevin Coleman discussed a Service Animals policy that concerns drivers. A new UW policy could go into effect that, if approved, would change the animals that are allowed on buses.

Future Meetings

The next meeting is scheduled for 5/13/14 from 9:30 – 10:30am; Wyoming Union Room 010.