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The following documents are included in the packet for Transportation Committee Meeting held on Thursday, April 9, 2026.

- April 9, 2026, Transportation Committee Meeting Agenda
- October 15, 2025, Transportation Committee Meeting Draft Minutes.
- 85.21 Program Update Handout
- 5-year Transportation Plan Goals Review



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Health & Human Services Transportation Committee Meeting Notice

Date: April 9, 2026, Time: 10:00 AM

Green Lake County Government Center

571 County Road A, County Board Room #0902 Green Lake, WI

AGENDA

Committee Members

*Chuck Buss
Ryan Bamberg
Rebecca Bays
Dawn Brantley
Jon Vandeyacht
Mary Iserman
Sue Kiener
Vacant*

Virtual attendance at meetings is optional. If technical difficulties arise, there may be instances when remote access may be compromised. If there is a quorum attending in person, the meeting will proceed as scheduled.

This agenda gives notice of a meeting of the Transportation Committee. It is possible that individual members of other governing bodies of Green Lake County government may attend this meeting for informative purposes. Members of the Green Lake County Board of Supervisors or its committees may be present for informative purposes but will not take any formal action. A majority or a negative quorum of the members of the Green Lake County Board of Supervisors and/or any of its committees may be present at this meeting. See State ex rel. Badke v. Vill. Bd. of Vill. of Greendale, 173 Wis.2d 553, 578, 494 N.W. 2d 408 (1993).

1. Call to Order
2. Certification of Open Meeting Law
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Minutes: (10/15/25)
5. Correspondence
6. 85.21 Program update
7. Virtual Appearance from Nick Musson, Transportation Aging Plan Specialist with GWAAR
8. 5-year transportation plan goal reviews
9. 5310 Grant Update
10. Veterans Transportation update
11. Committee Discussion
 - Future Meeting Date October 2026
 - Future Agenda items for action & discussion
12. Adjourn

This meeting will be conducted through in person attendance or audio/visual communication. Remote access can be obtained through the following link:

Microsoft Teams meeting

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Transportation Committee Meeting

October 15, 2025

The regular meeting of the Health and Human Services Transportation Meeting was called to order by Chair Buss at 10:00am on Wednesday, October 15, 2025, in the County Board Room, Green Lake County Government Center, Green Lake WI. The meeting was held in person and via Teams. The requirements of the open meeting law were certified as being met. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Present: Chuck Buss, Dawn Brantley, Ryan Bamberg, Jon Vandeyacht (via Teams at 10:06)

Absent: Rebecca Bays

Others Present: Sarah Petit, HHS Admin

Public Hearing:

No one was present for the public hearing. Chair Buss opened public hearing, called for public comment, no one was present, public hearing was closed and the meeting reconvened.

Minutes of 10/29/24 & 4/24/25:

Motion/second (Brantley/Bamberg) to approve the minutes of the 10/29/24 and 4/24/25 transportation committee meeting with no corrections. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Correspondence:

None.

85.21 Specialized Transportation Association Grant Update:

Ryan Bamberg reported- Allocations and three service providers will remain the same. Will continue with the same services. ***Motion/second*** (Brantley/Bamberg) to approve 85.21 Specialized Transportation Association Grant application and forward the application to HHS Board for final approval before submitting to the State.

5-year Transportation Plan Goal Reviews:

Ryan Bamberg reported- In year 2 of goals. There is a pre-approval ride process completed by the ADRC for those needing transportation. The process is going well. Looking to expand services with other community partners for after-hours rides and social/recreational rides. Will continue to work on advocacy group in 2026. On track to meet goals.

5310 Grant Update:

Dawn Brantley reported- Disposed of four vehicles from inventory as vehicles had aged out or repairs are not cost effective. Will receive a minivan from cycle 49. Gained two minivans from the senior transport program and they're used for program needs. Cost share was 20% and will now be 25%. Grant funding will be used for operating costs and a minibus. Discussion followed.

Veterans Transportation Updates:

Jon Vandeyacht reported- A back up driver was obtained; however, the primary driver is going to retire soon. Currently providing around 10 trips per month. Berlin Journal will run an Ad for drivers. Service

Commission Meeting was canceled yesterday and will be rescheduled for January. Jon will talk to his Commission regarding transportation and explore a possible MOU between his office and the County transportation program. Expect to receive more funding from the State for transportation reimbursement.

Committee Discussion

Future meeting date: April 2026.

Future Agenda items for action & discussion- need to fill 4 vacant seats on the committee. Ryan will reach out to some contacts.

Adjourn:

Chair Buss adjourned the meeting at 10:15am.

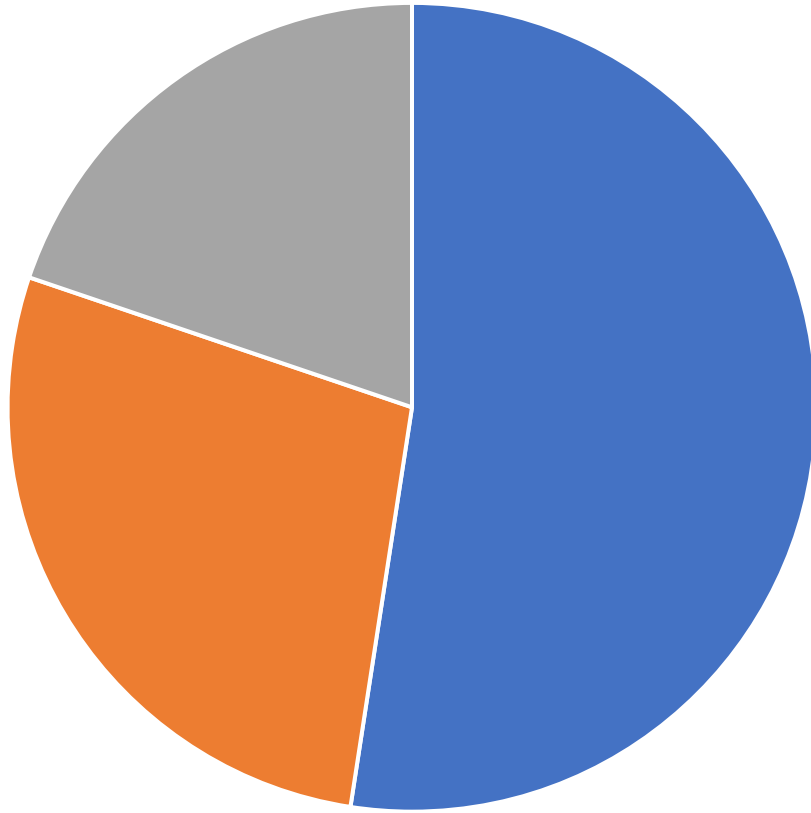
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TRANSPORTATION

One of the greatest needs for the elderly and/or handicapped person is transportation. The Aging Unit receives and administers the 85.21 State Grant monies, \$79,889.00 in 2025. Service priorities are MEDICAL TRIPS, NUTRITION-RELATED ACTIVITIES, WORK-RELATED ACTIVITIES, and SOCIAL ACTIVITIES. Fox River Industries provided support for individuals needing a wheelchair accessible vehicle. All other rides not covered by Berlin Senior Center, were covered by volunteers with the Green Lake County portion. Below are data from 2025 for Berlin Senior Center and Green Lake County Rides. Fox River Industry data not provided as funding is utilized differently compared to the other 2 service providers and data would be skewed. Out of the 1,829 rides provided, 1,467 rides were for medical and/or nutrition.

		Total
Senior, ambulatory		1698
Senior, non-ambulatory		131
Disabled, non-		0
Disabled, non-senior, non-		0
Other		0
	Total	1829
Purpose		
		Total
Medical		959
Employment		0
Nutrition		508
Education/Training		3
Social/Recreational		76
Personal Business		240
Other		43
	Total	1,829

85.21 rides



■ Medical ■ Nutrition ■ Other

**Green Lake County Plan
Table 4 (10/24/2023)**

	Goals	Activities	Roadblocks	Responsible Parties	Priority
A	Look into Mobility Management Solutions	Central location for all available transportation services. Updated County Website (easily located). One Stop Shop for individuals to call to find out all services available	Funding	TCC, County, municipalities	5
B	Increase Advocacy	Provide seminars related to 101 Advocacy for Community. Increase Advocacy efforts focused on Transportation and Funding	Education, Participation	TCC, County, municipalities	5
C	Increase marketing and education efforts	marketing/educating at local meal sites/senior centers/activity centers, newspaper/newsletters. Increase awareness of all services offered (accessible vehicle rental thru FRI, VA Transportation)	Funding, lack of communication	TCC, County, municipalities	5
E	Community led Transportation Committee	Create a Transportation Committee in the Community to meet on regular basis to continue discussion throughout the year focused on Transportation	Participation	TCC, County, municipalities	5
F	Expand services	Put together marketing materials, recruit new drivers; reach out to private sector (nursing homes, hospitals)	Funding, volunteer drivers	TCC, County, municipalities	5
G	Increase Transportation Access for Veterans	Educate and Market Transportation options for Veterans	Funding, Volunteer Drivers	Veterans Office, TCC, County	5
H	Develop Shuttle Service	Provide Social and Recreational Options (Grocery Shopping, Errands, fun engagement activities)	Funding	TCC, County, municipalities	3
I	Increase marketing and education efforts	marketing/educating at local meal sites/senior centers/activity centers, newspaper/newsletters	Funding, lack of communication	TCC, County, municipalities	3

J	Provide low-income rider subsidies	additional funding structures, Expand Aging Funding to Transportation Needs	Funding	TCC, County, municipalities	3
K	Continue to pursue additional grants/funds	utilize more 5310/85.21 options as well as "non-traditional" funding sources	Funding	TCC, County, municipalities	
L	Expand wheelchair accessible services	Educate and inform Community of options available. (Fox River Industries, Berlin Senior Center, Southern Green Lake Transportation)	Coordination with providers	TCC, County, municipalities	
M	Establish employment transportation for 55 and under	Public Health Transportation Grant. Initial phase in 2023. Will look to expand and develop over next 5 years	Funding, coordinating with employers/buy-in	Public Health, County	