

AGENDA

Regional Transportation Coordinating Council (RTCC) November 5, 2025 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Zoom:

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Meeting ID: 916 5111 2668

The objective of the RTCC is to serve as the local coordinating council for a seven (7) county rural area of Colorado, including Eagle, Garfield, Grand, Jackson, Routt, Pitkin, and Summit Counties, and to provide regional transportation coordination, especially for veterans, people with disabilities, older adults, and low-income adult populations.

RTCC Standards of Operations
Goals and Strategies
Elected Roles and Work Group Responsibilities

9:00 a.m.	1.	Welcome/Introductions	Mary Harlan
9:05 a.m.	2.	August 2025 Meeting Minutes Approval	Sam Guarino, All
9:06 a.m.	3.	CASTA: -Legislation for 2026 -Colorado Mobility in Action Coalition (CMAC) and Bustang -Spring 2026 Mobility Conference	Ann Rajewski
9:21 a.m.	4.	Group Discussion: NEMT Solutions -Free Fare program (current or ex-military, Veterans, Medicare/Medicaid, already qualified for ADA paratransit)	Mary Harlan, All
9:36 a.m.	5.	Western Garfield County Transportation Updates	Hanna Arauza
9:51 a.m.	6.	RTCC Project Updates	Dana Wood, All

	Project Spreadsheet Project Work Plans -How do we expand some of these projects to encompass a wider region? -What support is needed to get some of these projects to the finish line?	
7.	Partner Updates	All Sam Guarino
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Attachments:

August Meeting Notes

Notes from August 6, 2025 RTCC Meeting

Attendees: Lee Barger, Mary Harlan, Sam Gaurino, Erin Fisher, Carlton Henry, Ann Findley, Dawn Dexter, Andy Cotton, Jonathan Flint, Chris Southwick, Hope Hunt, Mandi DiCamillo, Carly Rietmann, Lizzie Williams, Jason White, Dave Snyder, Jon Stavney, Catherine Kristoff, Angie Hainer, Erin Kelican, Alicia Gresley, Erwin Germain, Hanna Auruza, Aaron Hull.

- -Dana shared that matching letters for the 5310 grant went out to 8 partners (3 new) at the beginning of June. The ask is a \$37,000 increase from last year's ask (\$67,000 total for 2025) in an effort to have RTCC money to put towards projects. A 20% match is required for the 5310 grant.
- -Download the <u>Two Rivers Connect app</u> if you live in the RFV or CRV to win prizes for taking alternative modes of transportation in August.
- -Lee Barger, Erwin Germain, and folks from Two Rivers Connect will meet to discuss how to collaborate and not duplicate services.
- -Dana and Erwin are looking for RTCC partners that want to bring TreadShare's carpooling app to other areas of NWCCOG (Eagle, Summit, Grant, Routt, Moffat, Jackson). Snowmass Village in Pitkin County is the newest TreadShare partner. NWCCOG will assist with a TDM grant through CDOT (\$50K) to bring regional carpooling to our area.
- -Anne Findley with Summit Stage is working on a CTE/SB230 funding application for a commuter bus from Silverthorne to Kremmling. They are also in the beginning stages of forming an RTA for Summit County and that hopefully will include Alma, Fairplay, Leadville, and Kremmling. A ballot initiative is slated for November 2026.
- -Carlton Henry with the Town of Basalt shared about their successful public/private partnership for funding the Basalt Connect with Valley View Hospital.
- -Jonathan Flint with Steamboat Springs Transit gave an update on their RTA process. They will go on the November 2025 ballot for voters to form an RTA (no funding attached), with an additional ballot initiative to follow with funding attached in the future. They have seed funding from the ski resort. The communities included in the RTA will be Steamboat Springs, Craig, Hayden, Oak Creek, Yampa, and Routt County.