



1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Approval of the Agenda (Action Item)**
4. **Approval of the February 20, 2025, Minutes (Action Item)**
5. **Public Involvement Announcement:**

Audience participation at this meeting is limited to the Public Comments section of the agenda. However, the Chair may open any agenda item for public comment. Written comments will be addressed first, then verbal comments on a first-recognized basis by the Board Chair. Each commenter should state their name so it can be recorded in the minutes. Commenters will have two minutes to speak on each agenda item they wish to comment on.

6. **Action / Information Items:**

- a. New Business
 - i. People Mover Holiday Service Resolution (Action Item): 10 minutes
 - ii. Transit Employee Appreciation Week Resolution (Action Item): 10 minutes
 - iii. Service Reduction Recap: Driver OT, Retention, & Stats (Info Item): 15 minutes
 - iv. April 10th Meeting Rescheduling Discussion (Action Item): 10 minutes
- b. Reports and Updates
 - i. Director's and Operations Update (Info Item): 10 minutes
 - ii. Data Dashboard (Info Item): 5 minutes
 - iii. Chair Report (Info Item): 5 minutes
- c. Continued Business
 - i. N/A

7. **Public Comments** [2 minutes each]
8. **Member Comments**
9. **Adjournment**

Next PTAB Meeting Date:

PTAB Regular Meeting – TBD

Municipality of Anchorage

Public Transit Advisory Board Resolution 2025-03

RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING HOLIDAY PEOPLE MOVER SERVICE

WHEREAS, the Public Transit Advisory Board is established in Anchorage Municipal Code to advise the assembly and the mayor and to contribute to the long range planning of a balanced public transit system in the municipality; and

WHEREAS, public transit is an essential service that provides safe, accessible, and sustainable transportation options for the residents and visitors of Anchorage, supporting economic, social, and environmental goals; and

WHEREAS, the Public Transportation Department (PTD) is responsible for planning, implementing, and operating the public transit system in Anchorage, with the mission of “to connect our community with safe, reliable transportation options, emphasizing customer service while providing economic, social, and environmental benefits;” and

WHEREAS, the provision of People Mover service on designated holidays is vital to ensuring equitable access to essential services, employment opportunities, and community events for all Anchorage residents, particularly those who rely on public transportation; and

WHEREAS, the Public Transit Advisory Board recognizes the importance of maintaining consistent and reliable transit service to meet the needs of the community, especially during holidays when alternative transportation options may be limited; and

WHEREAS, the following holidays are recognized as significant days for the Anchorage community and necessitate the provision of public transit services:

- Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- President’s Day
- Seward’s Day
- Juneteenth
- Indigenous Peoples’ Day
- Veterans Day
- Native American Heritage Day; and

WHEREAS, restoring People Mover service on these designated holidays will enhance the quality of life for Anchorage residents, promote social equity, and support the overall vitality of the community; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Public Transit Advisory Board hereby recommends the restoration of People Mover service on the following designated holidays: Martin Luther King Jr. Day, President’s Day, Seward’s Day, Juneteenth, Indigenous Peoples’ Day, Veterans Day, and the Day After Thanksgiving; be it further

RESOLVED, that the Public Transit Advisory Board urges the Public Transportation Department and the Municipality of Anchorage to allocate the necessary resources and funding to implement this restoration of holiday service, ensuring that the People Mover system operates effectively and efficiently on these designated days.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Public Transit Advisory Board this 13th day of March 2025.

Sarah Preskitt
Chair

Municipality of Anchorage

Public Transit Advisory Board Resolution 2025-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE PUBLIC TRANSIT ADVISORY BOARD (PTAB) RECOGNIZING TRANSIT EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION WEEK.

WHEREAS, public transit is an essential service that provides safe, accessible, and sustainable transportation options for the residents and visitors of Anchorage, supporting economic, social, and environmental goals; and

WHEREAS, the Public Transportation Department (PTD) is responsible for planning, implementing, and operating the public transit system in Anchorage, with the mission of “to connect our community with safe, reliable transportation options, emphasizing customer service while providing economic, social, and environmental benefits;” and

WHEREAS, the employees of the PTD are critical to the success and quality of the transit system, serving as drivers, mechanics, dispatchers, customer service representatives, supervisors, and managers, among other roles; and

WHEREAS, the employees of the PTD work tirelessly and often under challenging conditions, to ensure that the transit system meets the needs and expectations of its riders, while upholding high standards of safety, efficiency, and sustainability; and

WHEREAS, Transit Employee Appreciation Week is an annual nationwide event that recognizes and honors the valuable contributions and sacrifices of transit employees, and provides an opportunity for the public to express their gratitude and support for their service; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Public Transit Advisory Board hereby recognizes Transit Employee Appreciation Day on March 18, 2025, as a time to express sincere appreciation and gratitude to the employees of the Public Transportation Department for their dedication, skill, and hard work in operating and maintaining the transit system in Anchorage; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Public Transit Advisory Board encourages all members of the community to take a moment during Transit Employee Appreciation Day to show their support and appreciation for the transit employees they encounter, through a smile, a thank you, a card, or any other meaningful gesture; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Public Transit Advisory Board commends the Public Transportation Department and its employees for their commitment to providing safe, reliable, and customer-focused public transit service in Anchorage, and pledges to continue working collaboratively with them to enhance and improve the transit system for the benefit of all.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Anchorage Public Transit Advisory Board

This 13th day of March 2025

Sarah Preskitt
Chair

PTAB update - March 2025

2023 total ridership = 2,745,322

2024 total ridership = 3,044,346

2019 total ridership = 3,410,103



Average Daily Ridership - Weekday (*farebox data)				
Route	2023 Weekday	2024 Weekday	% (+ or -)	*Special notes
10	1,452	1,466	0.96 %	
11	106	123	16.04 %	
20	1,672	1,762	5.38 %	
25	1,703	1,945	14.21 %	
30	1,028	1,053	2.43 %	
31	400	390	-2.50 %	+ Route 21 = 114 in 2023 and 154 in 2024 (for a very short time)
35	623	707	13.48 %	
40	802	875	9.10 %	
41	102	107	4.90 %	
51	-	172	-	*Route didn't exist in 2023
55	499	560	12.22 %	
65	231	385	66.67 %	
85	469	675	43.92 %	+ Route 91 = 39 in 2023 and 42 in 2024 (Jan 1 to Jan 21 2024)
92	38	57	50.00 %	
	9,125	10,277	18.22 %	

2023 average Weekday ridership = 9,125

2024 average Weekday ridership = 10,277

2019 average Weekday ridership = 11,599



Average Daily Ridership - Saturday (*farebox data)				
Route	2023 Weekday	2024 Weekday	% (+ or -)	*Special notes
10	660	685	3.79 %	
11	63	72	14.29 %	
20	674	700	3.86 %	
25	886	912	2.93 %	
30	534	533	-0.19 %	
31	280	248	-11.43 %	+ Route 21 = 58 in 2023 and 62 in 2024 (Jan 1 to Jan 21 2024)
35	428	465	8.64 %	
40	423	466	10.17 %	
41	59	61	3.39 %	
51	-	125	-	*Route didn't exist in 2023
55	233	249	6.87 %	
65	138	199	44.20 %	
85	299	423	41.47 %	
	4,677	5,138	10.67 %	

2023 average Saturday ridership = 4,667

2024 average Saturday ridership = 5,138

2019 average Saturday ridership = 5,699

Average Daily Ridership - Sunday (*farebox data)				
Route	2023 Weekday	2024 Weekday	% (+ or -)	*Special notes
10	513	555	8.19 %	
11	48	53	10.42 %	
20	528	565	7.01 %	
25	688	750	9.01 %	
30	416	433	4.09 %	
31	238	206	-13.45 %	+ Route 21 = 52 in 2023 and 50 in 2024 (Jan 1 to Jan 21 2024)
35	329	371	12.77 %	
40	329	368	11.85 %	
41	53	48	-9.43 %	
51	-	101	-	*Route didn't exist in 2023
55	179	195	8.94 %	
65	119	169	42.02 %	
85	223	331	48.43 %	
	3,663	4,145	11.65 %	

2023 average Sunday ridership = 3,663

2024 average Sunday ridership = 4,145

2019 average Sunday ridership = 4,117