

Eastside Easy Rider
COLLABORATIVE

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November 2021

EERC Welcomes Everyone

The Eastside Easy Rider Collaborative welcomes and values all communities. We value, respect, and honor the identity and experience of all members.

We encourage everyone to participate, regardless of ability. We are committed to listening, learning, and improving in this process.

We acknowledge that the work we do takes place on the traditional land of the Coast Salish and Duwamish, among others, as the first people of this land. We honor with gratitude the land itself as well as the past, present, and future of these tribes.

Meeting Agenda

- Welcome, Introductions & Announcements
- Sound Transit East Link Safety
- EATS/Eastside Mobility for All Grant Updates
- Roundtable Sharing
- Next Steps & Close



Heather Clark – Eastside Mobility Coordinator!

Please share your:

- Name and pronouns
- Organization or agency
- Question: What's your favorite TV show, book, or podcast right now?

Announcements

1. Volunteer Driver Project
2. Coordinated Vaccine Transportation Helpline
3. East Link Outreach
4. Other partner announcements?

Announcements

1. Volunteer Driver Project

- [Driver](#) and [rider](#) guides as well as [Volunteer Transportation Recruitment Toolkit](#)
- 6 total interested volunteers – Catholic Community Services, Community Van, Sound Generations
- Next steps: collect data, complete project report, determine next steps for coordination in new year

More info here: findaride.org/volunteer

Announcements

2. Coordinated Vaccine Transportation Helpline

- 425-943-6706
- Mon-Fri from 8:30am-4:00pm
- Language line services

Announcements

3. Eastlink Outreach

- Successful outreach at the Hopelink Bellevue, Redmond, and Kirkland sites for feedback regarding East Link project
- Good coordination regarding East Link's impact on commuting in and around Snoqualmie Valley
- Upcoming efforts will remain focused on returning to transit use, helping folks understand what has changed during the pandemic, and ensuring access to transit as we return

Announcements

4. Other partner announcements?

Sound Transit East Link Safety

Conny García Gaitán & Ryan Lescouflair

EATS/Eastside Mobility for All Grant Updates

Eastside Mobility for All Grant Updates

- Eastside Advocacy for Transportation Services (EATS) task force of EERC reconvened in June 2021 for NCMM's Community Mobility Design Challenge 2021
- Partnered with Sound Generations to submit the grant application to design and plan a new service

Eastside Mobility for All

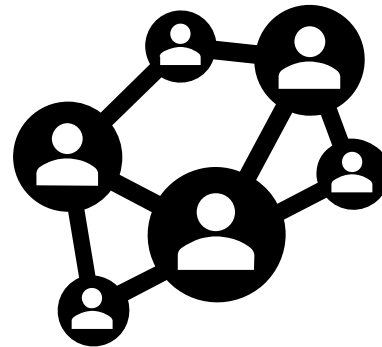
Grant Updates

- Conducted a series of 13 interviews with a total of 22 individuals to provide qualitative data
- Focus question: “how might we meet culturally appropriate transportation needs, including the need for spontaneity, to address social isolation among the most impacted older adults in Kirkland, Redmond, and Bellevue?”

Eastside Mobility for All Grant Updates

- Sound Generation's was awarded this funding!
- Held 2-day workshop in October based on human-centered design to dive deeper into needs and concepts
- 9 total concepts will be distilled to 1 and then we will test assumptions
- This funding is to plan and design a service and round 2 would include actual funding to pilot

Roundtable Sharing



Next Meeting

Tuesday, January 25th, 2021

1:00pm-2:30pm

Remote via Zoom

Contact Us!

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