Maine Secretary of State



Board or Commission Annual Report

Covering calendar year 2023

PUBLIC TRANSIT ADVISORY COUNCIL LORI BRANN, Clerk of the Board 16 SHS AUGUSTA, ME 04333

SOS Tracking #: 5198

Title 5, Chapter 379: 5 MRSA § 12004-I, sub-§ 82-A

Name of Person Completing the Report: LORI BRANN

Estimate of the number of hours that the Clerk spent working for the board or commission: 40.00

Date Report Filed: December 06, 2023

Is your board or commission active?: Yes

Did your board or commission meet in 2023?: Yes

Total number of meetings in 2023?: 1

Average number of members attending: 17.00

Average length of meeting: 1.00

Summary of the activities of the board or commission related to accomplishing its mission in 2023:

The new council chair, Ryan Neale, held one virtual meeting during calendar 2023 on January 24. Jenn Grant from Planning attended and thanked everyone for participating. Items discussed included the Draft Maine State Transit Plan, plans for transit bus electrification, transit technology initiatives, the workforce transportation pilot program, the biennial report to the Legislature. The meeting included a roundtable discussion from members regarding other items of interest. Member Tim Cowan said the timing of the transit plan aligns with the Maine Shared Community Health Needs Assessment, a requirement for not-for-profit hospitals. The meeting concluded with Jenn Grant announcing upcoming public meetings for passenger rail.

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Detailed Meeting Information for 2023

1 - Meeting or Other Activity

Description of meeting or other activity: PUBLIC TRANSIT ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING

Date of meeting or other activity: 01/24/2023

Location of meeting or other activity: VIRTUAL, ME

Number of members attending: 17 of 37 Length of meeting or other activity: 1.00

Total Per diem compensation received by board members for each meeting or other activity of the board. This expense category includes per diem payments only.: \$0.00

Total Expense related to the functioning of the board for public hearing costs for a meeting or other activity of the board.: \$0.00

Total Expense related to the functioning of the board for facility rental costs for a meeting or other activity of the board. This expense category may also include, but is not limited to, the cost associated with internet connections, audio visual equipment or telecommunication connections and equipment.: \$0.00

Total Expenses for which board members were reimbursed for each meeting or other activity of the board. This expense category includes, but is not limited to, mileage, lodging, tolls and meals and incidentals.: \$0.00

Total Expense related to the functioning of the board for other expenses not classified in 5 MRSA Section 12005-A, sub-section 6-A, paragraph D. This expense category may include, but is not limited to, the cost of professional services. This expense category (as well as the other expense categories) does NOT include State employee (personal services) costs to support the board; this information does not need to be reported.: \$0.00

Total Expense related to the functioning of the board for refreshment costs for a meeting or other activity of the board.: \$0.00

Total Reimbursement to board members other than for per diem or expenses such as a stipend.: \$0.00

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Members of the Board or Commission as recorded in the Secretary of State's office as of the date of filing:

Seat 01

RYAN NEALE

16 SHS, AUGUSTA, ME 04333-0016

Appointment Date: 12/21/2021

Expiration Date:

Seat 02

STEPHANIE CARVER

110 MAIN STREET, SUITE 1400, SACO, ME 04072

Appointment Date: 01/01/2021 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 03

LARRY ALLEN

125 MANLEY ROAD, AUBURN, ME 04210

Appointment Date: 11/13/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 04

MADELINE JENSEN

12 ACME RD, SUITE 104, BREWER, ME 04412

Appointment Date: 02/08/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 05

ANDREW CLARK

970 BAXTER BLVD, STE 201, PORTLAND, ME 04103

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 06

JESSICA MAUER

P.O. BOX 988, BRUNSWICK, ME 04011

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 07

TIM COWAN

110 FREE STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04101

Appointment Date: 02/21/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

LEVI ROGERS

600 MAIN STREET, BAR HARBOR, ME 04609

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 09

CHRIS HALL

970 BAXTER BLVD., STE 201, PORTLAND, ME 04103

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 10

KIM MOODY

160 CAPITAL STREET, SUITE 4, AUGUSTA, ME 04330

Appointment Date: 02/08/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 11

MICHAEL E. HALLUNDBAEK P.O. BOX 130, BELFAST, ME 04915

Appointment Date: 01/01/2021 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 12

PAUL TOWLE

11 WEST PRESQUE ISLE RD, CARIBOU, ME 04736

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 13

ERIN BINGHALIB

97 WATER STREET, WATERVILLE, ME 04901

Appointment Date: 11/13/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 14

DANA KNAPP

100 SEWALL STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04102

Appointment Date: 01/01/2021 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 15

REP. LYNNE WILLIAMS

2 SHS, AUGUSTA, ME 04333 Appointment Date: 02/08/2023

Expiration Date: 12/03/2024

SEN. BRAD FARRIN

3 SHS, AUGUSTA, ME 04333-0003

Appointment Date: 02/16/2023 Expiration Date: 12/03/2024

Seat 17

CATHERINE DAVIDSON

75 WEST COMMERCIAL STREET, STE 104, PORTLAND, ME 04104

Appointment Date: 11/13/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 18

SUSAN LESSARD

P.O. DRAWER X, BUCKSPORT, ME 04416

Appointment Date: 02/08/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 19

GREG JORDAN

114 VALLEY STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04102

Appointment Date: 01/01/2021 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 20

DAVID LANDRY

1375 UNION STREET, BANGOR, ME 04401

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 21

KATHERINE FREUND

90 BRIDGE STREET, STE 210, WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Appointment Date: 02/16/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 22

JONATHAN LABONTE

30 COACHMAN AVENUE, AUBURN, ME 04210

Appointment Date: 01/01/2021 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 23

Vacant

REBECCA GROVER

2360 CONGRESS STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04102

Appointment Date: 02/08/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 25

Vacant

Seat 26

SANDY BUCHANAN

76 MERROW RD, AUBURN, ME 04210

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 27

Vacant

Seat 28

BARBARA SCHNEIDER

50 ROUGH RIDER ROAD, DURHAM, ME 04222

Appointment Date: 01/01/2021 Expiration Date: 12/31/2023

Seat 29

DUANE SCOTT

67 RODIGUE HEIGHTS, AUGUSTA, ME 04330

Appointment Date: 05/25/2022 Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 30

Vacant

Seat 31

Vacant

Seat 32

Vacant

Seat 33

Vacant

Seat 34

CHAD HEID

13 POMERLEAU STREET, BIDDEFORD, ME 04005

Appointment Date: 11/13/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Vacant

Seat 36

CHERYL HARKINS

20 DEVEREAUX CIRCLE, SOUTH PORTLAND, ME 04106

Appointment Date: 11/29/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 37

COLE COCHRAN

1328 HARVARD YARD MAILING CENTER, 1 OXFORD STREET, CAMBRIDGE, MA 02138

Appointment Date: 11/29/2023 Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Total seats vacant as of December 31, 2023: 8