

Maine Secretary of State



Board or Commission Annual Report Covering calendar year 2025

PUBLIC TRANSIT ADVISORY COUNCIL

RYAN NEALE, 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: RYAN NEALE

Estimate of the number of hours that the Clerk spent working for the board or commission: 60.00

Date Report Filed: January 14, 2026

Is your board or commission active?: Yes

Did your board or commission meet in 2025?: Yes

Total number of meetings in 2025?: 5

Average number of members attending: 20.20

Average length of meeting: 1.70

Summary of the activities of the board or commission related to accomplishing its mission in 2025:

The Public Transit Advisory Council held five virtual meetings in 2025. Meetings held on January 8, February 12, and February 19 focused on analyzing and preparing data and recommendations for the Biennial Report, which was presented to the Legislature in February. Subcommittees (Steering, State of Transit, Research and Policy, Mobility Alternatives, and Equity) met during the off months from the full Council meetings to identify needs and recommendations within their areas of focus. The Council convened virtually in September and December 2025 to welcome new members and begin planning Council activities in 2026, which will culminate in the preparation of the next Biennial Report to the Legislature in February 2027.

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Detailed Meeting Information for 2025

1 - Meeting or Other Activity

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

Date of meeting or other activity: 01/08/2025

Location of meeting or other activity: VIRTUAL, ME

Number of members attending: 20 of 37

Length of meeting or other activity: 2.00

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 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 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 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 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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2 - Meeting or Other Activity

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

Date of meeting or other activity: 02/12/2025

Location of meeting or other activity: VIRTUAL, ME

Number of members attending: 22 of 37

Length of meeting or other activity: 2.00

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

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3 - Meeting or Other Activity

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

Date of meeting or other activity: 02/19/2025

Location of meeting or other activity: VIRTUAL, ME

Number of members attending: 16 of 37

Length of meeting or other activity: 2.00

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4 - Meeting or Other Activity

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

Date of meeting or other activity: 09/22/2025

Location of meeting or other activity: VIRTUAL, ME

Number of members attending: 21 of 37

Length of meeting or other activity: 1.50

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

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5 - Meeting or Other Activity

Description of meeting or other activity: PUBLIC TRANSIT ADVISORY COUNCIL

Date of meeting or other activity: 12/10/2025

Location of meeting or other activity: VIRTUAL, ME

Number of members attending: 22 of 37

Length of meeting or other activity: 1.00

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

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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

DEAN WILLIAMS

110 MAIN STREET, STE. 1400, SACO, ME 04072

Appointment Date: 05/27/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 03

LARRY ALLEN

125 MANLEY ROAD, AUBURN, ME 04210

Appointment Date: 01/22/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 04

MADELINE JENSEN

12 ACME RD, SUITE 104, BREWER, ME 04412

Appointment Date: 11/18/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 05

ANDREW CLARK

970 BAXTER BLVD, STE 201, PORTLAND, ME 04103

Appointment Date: 01/01/2024

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 06

JESSICA MAUER

P.O. BOX 988, BRUNSWICK, ME 04011

Appointment Date: 01/22/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 07

ALETA RUPERT

78 ATLANTIC PLACE, BLDG C, SOUTH PORTLAND, ME 04106

Appointment Date: 01/01/2026

Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 08

THOMAS O'BOYLE
93 EXCHANGE STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04101
Appointment Date: 12/01/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 09

ERIN ZWIRKO
200 MAINE STREET, YARMOUTH, ME 04096
Appointment Date: 11/18/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 10

MEGAN SALVIN
160 CAPITOL STREET STE 4, AUGUSTA, ME 04330
Appointment Date: 01/01/2026
Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 11

MICHAEL E. HALLUNDBAEK
P.O. BOX 130, BELFAST, ME 04915
Appointment Date: 01/01/2024
Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 12

JAY KAMM
P.O. BOX 779, CARIBOU, ME 04736
Appointment Date: 01/22/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 13

KIRK BELLAVANCE
KENNEBEC VALLEY COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM, 97 WATER STREET,
WATERVILLE, ME 04901
Appointment Date: 11/18/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 14

DANA KNAPP
100 SEWALL STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04102
Appointment Date: 01/01/2024
Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 15

LYDIA CRAFTS

2 SHS, AUGUSTA, ME 04330

Appointment Date: 01/22/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 16

SEN. BRAD FARRIN

3 SHS, AUGUSTA, ME 04333-0003

Appointment Date: 01/22/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 17

CATHERINE KRUGLAK

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

Appointment Date: 11/13/2023

Expiration Date: 12/31/2024

Seat 18

Vacant

Seat 19

BEN DINSMORE

CASCO BAY LINES, P.O. BOX 45596, PORTLAND, ME 04112

Appointment Date: 12/16/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 20

THOMAS REINAUER

6 SPRUCE STREET, SANFORD, ME 04073

Appointment Date: 10/06/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 21

KATHERINE FREUND

90 BRIDGE STREET, STE 210, WESTBROOK, ME 04092

Appointment Date: 11/18/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 22

ZOE MILLER

MOVING MAINE NETWORK, 4 ABBOTT STREET, PORTLAND, ME 041063

Appointment Date: 11/18/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 23

ROGER BONDESON
DHHS, 11 SHS, AUGUSTA, ME 04333
Appointment Date: 11/18/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2025

Seat 24

SEAN PAULHUS
2360 CONGRESS STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04102
Appointment Date: 01/01/2026
Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 25

CYR MARTIN
P.O. BOX 552, PRESQUE ISLE, ME 04769
Appointment Date: 11/18/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 26

Vacant

Seat 27

STEVE HOAD
155 WINDSOR NECK ROAD, WINDSOR, ME 04363
Appointment Date: 01/01/2026
Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 28

BARBARA SCHNEIDER
50 ROUGH RIDER ROAD, DURHAM, ME 04222
Appointment Date: 01/01/2024
Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 29

DUANE SCOTT
67 RODIGUE HEIGHTS, AUGUSTA, ME 04330
Appointment Date: 01/22/2025
Expiration Date: 12/31/2027

Seat 30

AMANDA DIOSZEGHY
600 MAIN STREET, BAR HARBOR, ME 04609
Appointment Date: 01/01/2024
Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 31

JOSH CALDWELL

65 LONGFELLOW STREET, APT. 2, PORTLAND, ME 04103

Appointment Date: 01/01/2024

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 32

SANDY BUCHANAN

76 MERROW ROAD, AUBURN, ME 04210

Appointment Date: 01/01/2024

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 33

LAURIE LINSCOTT

481 MAINE AVENUE, BANGOR, ME 04011

Appointment Date: 10/06/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 34

MEGAN HANNAN

114 VALLEY STREET, PORTLAND, ME 04102

Appointment Date: 10/06/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 35

OMOLOLA ACHUBA

58 BOYD ST., APT. 410, PORTLAND, ME 04101

Appointment Date: 01/10/2024

Expiration Date: 12/31/2026

Seat 36

CHERYL HARKINS

26 EDISON DRIVE, AUGUSTA, ME 04330

Appointment Date: 11/18/2025

Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Seat 37

ROZ O'REILLY

P.O. BOX 27, SOUTH FREEPORT, ME 04078

Appointment Date: 01/01/2026

Expiration Date: 12/31/2028

Total seats vacant as of December 31, 2025: 2