

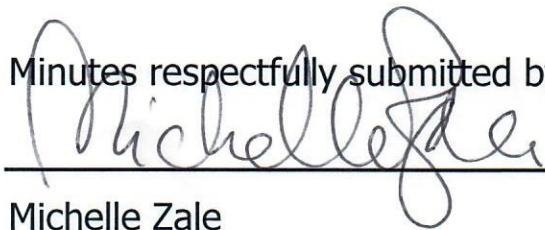
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PTAC Minutes
11/1/17, 6:41pm
Rm. 14 Town Hall

- **In attendance:** Brian Long, Sue Clark, George Clemens, Scott Crisafulli, Michelle Zale, Josh Aherns (public participant)
- Meeting called to order by Scott at 6:41pm
- Michelle motion to approve minutes, Brian 2nd, Unanimous
- **Public Participation**
 - Josh Aherns: Eagle Scout Project
 - Thinking about putting up benches around town at various bus stops. Cost and labor covered by troops, fundraising, etc. No cost to the town
 - Metal feet bench, not wooden benches. Would need to pour concrete for security
 - Scott suggested bench at Shaw's, H.S, Rolling Green
 - Scott suggested place bench back as far back from sidewalk as possible – 6-7' where possible. Maybe put a post on side of bench for visibility
 - Would like to make benches out of steal, possibly teat or composite
 - Looking to have benches installed during April vacation &/or summer vacation
 - Suggested Josh ride the bus to get a look at the stops
 - Solid metal bench ~ \$750-1200
 - MWRTA may have resources for discounts for supplies for benches
 - Suggested to put a plaque on bench for Troop 4 Eagle Scout Project by Josh Aherns
 - Josh email: joshaherns75@gmail.com, cell: 508-686-0910
 - Highway department will donate bags of cement for placing benches

- **Reliant Stop:** opens on 11/20/17. Carl not present to report. MWRTA confirmed moving stop to new facility. Stop is on new schedule
- **Ridership:** start graphing #'s for year. 10,044 riders from 8/16/16-9/29/17. Election day – requested to have bus stop at all precincts
- **Old Business:** bus funding – discussion tabled for now
- **New Business:**
 - Thanks to Brian for taking notes while riding bus on 10/26/17 from 10:47am-12:01pm
 - Brian asked driver about tracking children. He does.
 - Driver said it was a slow morning of 14 riders – driver said morning before was 26 riders
 - Wheelchair rider – 4+ minutes to get on, 2+ minutes to get off
 - Next meeting 12/20/17 @ 6:30pm
 - Brian will talk to Liz Fernandes about getting committee on town website
 - 8:20pm Sue motion to adjourn, Scott 2nd, Unanimous

Minutes respectfully submitted by



Michelle Zale

12/27/17

Date