

CHEROKEE COUNTY TRANSIT

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Transportation Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

Date: 3/29/2023

Attendance/Sign-in:

Ridership:

Deviated-fixed route: averaging 25 trips/day

Demand response trips: averaging 80 trips/day

Contracted Services:

North Carolina Managed Care Medicaid- Performed three trips with MTM this quarter. We have signed a contract with Modivcare last week. Since then, they have updated their rates already. There is training this week using their portal. Trip assignments should be coming soon.

DSS Traditional Medicaid Transportation-No new updates. More members are expected to transition to the managed care and/or Vaya.

Grant updates:

HCCBG- Home Community Care Block Grant- FY23 usage of funds is on target. Expected to use all of the grant. FY24 applications are due in April. Estimated grant amount is the same as FY23; \$69,115. This amount may change after AAA receives their final numbers.

FY 23 ROAP- EDTAP, EMPL, and RGP- No new updates

Section 5311 Community Transportation Program (CTP) – FY25 applications open April 1st.

Section 5310 Seniors and Individuals with Disabilities- Operating- FY25 applications open April 1st.

COMBINED CAPITAL GRANT- NCDOT adjusted FY23 amount of grant. They have increased it by \$77,745 due to increase cost of vehicles. Order forms for vehicles are supposed to be distributed by the end of March. Vehicle delivery is expected by 2025. It is currently understood that the local match for FY23 grant will not increase.

Remaining FY23 TAB meeting dates: 6/28/2023