

AGENDA
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BIRMINGHAM MULTI-MODAL BOARD

THURSDAY MAY 19th, 2022

BIRMINGHAM ROAST – 525 E. BROWN STREET

*******12:00 pm*******

The highly transmissible COVID-19 Delta variant is spreading throughout the nation at an alarming rate. As a result, the CDC is recommending that vaccinated and unvaccinated personnel wear a facemask indoors while in public if you live or work in a substantial or high transmission area. Oakland County is currently classified as a substantial transmission area. The City has reinstated mask requirements for all employees while indoors. The mask requirement also applies to all board and commission members as well as the public attending public meetings.

- A. Roll Call
- B. New Business
 - 1. Transportation Day**
- C. Next Meeting – **June 2nd, 2022**
- D. Adjournment



MEMORANDUM

(Planning Division)

DATE: May 13th, 2022

TO: Multi-Modal Transportation Day

FROM: Brooks Cowan, City Planner

SUBJECT: Transportation Day Itinerary for Thursday May 19th, 2022

City staff is coordinating a Transportation Day on Thursday, May 19th from 12pm to 5pm where participants will take the bus down to Ferndale, Michigan, review their multi-modal infrastructure, and meet with Ferndale city officials. Recommended apps for traveling include the DART Detroit Transit App for payment and bus tickets, and the Transit – Subway & Bus Times App for bus arrival times. Mogo bike rentals may also be purchased through the Transit App.



The following is a tentative itinerary for the day:

12:00 pm	Meet at Birmingham Roast for coffee and lunch
12:36 or 1:00 pm:	Catch either the 461 or 462 southbound FAST Bus and ride down to 9 Mile. Staff recommends providing feedback on the transit app for timing and the Dart app for ease of use.
1:15 pm	Bike, scooter, and walk around Ferndale and tour their multi-modal amenities. Ferndale staff and public officials have indicated they will tag along to provide fun facts and information.
2:30 or 3:00 pm	Sit down with Ferndale staff and officials and discuss their Road Diet planning process.
3:45 or 4:10 pm	Catch either 461 or 462 northbound back to Birmingham

In regards to using the Transit App, the blue dot indicates where you the user is located. You may drag the screen to place the purple dot on an intersection where you would like to find transit. In the case below the purple dot is placed on Woodward and Maple where we intend to catch the bus.

The available busses appear in red with the line number, the direction it is heading (eg, south towards Detroit), and minutes before arrival. If a user wants to view timing for the opposite direction (northbound), they can swipe to the side for selected line. The two dots in the middle show the times for each direction. If the user wants to see what the route of the line is, they can click on the bus line number as pictured below.

