MONTEREY COUNTY REGIONAL TAXI AUTHORITY RTA/TAC Taxi Study Session Minutes October 31, 2011

MBUAPCD Board Room, 24580 Silver Cloud Ct. Monterey, CA 93940

1. CALL TO ORDER

Director Downey called the meeting to order at 9:08 a.m. in the absence of Chair Sanchez.

A Roll call of RTA members was conducted, and Mr. Penko led the Pledge of Allegiance. TAC members were noted present during the introductions portion of Taxi Study Session.

Present: Jerry Edelen (alt.) City of Del Rey Oaks

David Pendergrass
Alan Cohen
City of Sand City
City of Pacific Grove
City of Monterey
Alvin Edwards
City of Seaside

MaryAnn Leffel Monterey Peninsula Airport District (arrived 9:12 a.m.)

Sergio Sanchez City of Salinas (arrived at 9:35 a.m.)

Karen Sharp City of Carmel-By-The-Sea

Absent: Fernando Armenta County of Monterey

TAC: Kathi Krystal Taxi Driver/Associated Taxi

Steve Cardinalli Taxi Company/Yellow Cab John Narigi Hospitality-Lodging/MCHA Tom Hicks Public Transportation/MST

Phil Penko Law Enforcement/Monterey Police Department

Tom Greer Monterey Peninsula Airport District

Absent: Alma Almanza Disability Representative

Tom Mancini Senior Representative

Christine Erickson Student Representative/CSUMB

Roy Graham Taxi Independent Owner-Operator/Outsource

Vince Daniels Hospitality-Resort
Peter Dausen Military Representative
Eddie Estrada Hospitality-Restaurant/Elli's

Staff: Hunter Harvath AGM/Finance & Administration

Carl Sedoryk General Manager/CEO
Deanna Smith Deputy Secretary

Kelly Halcon Director HR/Risk Management

Others: Ken Griggs Monterey Peninsula Airport District

Alex Lorca De Lay and Laredo

Michael Cardinalli Yellow Cab

David Laredo De Lay & Laredo

Luis Lomeli Green Cab Sam Martinez Yellow Cab

Lance Atencio MV Transportation
Candace Ingram Facilitator/Ingram Group

Apology is made for any misspelling of a name.

2. CONSENT AGENDA

2-1 Review Highlights of Agenda.

Mr. Sedoryk announced the highlights of the agenda.

- 2-2. Informational Minutes from the regular meeting of September 26, 2011.
- 2-3 Receive September 2011 Financial Statements.
- 2-4 Highlights from the TAC meeting of October 18, 2011.
- 2-5 Receive report from RTA Administrator.

Director Sharp made a motion to approve the consent items and was seconded by Director Clark. The motion carried unanimously.

3. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

Sam Martinez of Yellow Cab stated that the 9:00 a.m. meeting time is inconvenient for many taxi drivers.

Close Public Comment

4. NEW BUSINESS

4-1. Conduct Strategic Planning Workshop.

Facilitator Candace Ingram led the group in the Strategic Planning Workshop. (See Item 2-3 for a Summary)

5. ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

6. ADJOURN

There being no further business, Chair Sanchez adjourned the meeting at 12:04 p.m.

Prepared by:

Deanna Smith, Deputy Secretary