



TPAC Chair: Kelly Blazey (Town of Cary)
Vice Chair: Katie Schwing (Town of Apex)

Wake County Transit Planning Advisory Committee (TPAC)

Thursday, April 30, 2026 • 9:30am

In-person at CAMPO: 1 Fenton Main, Ste 201, Cary NC 27511

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TPAC MEETING AGENDA

1. **Call to Order/Welcome and Introductions** (Kelly Blazey, TPAC Chair)

2. **Adjustments to the Agenda**

3. **General Public or Agency Comment**

This comment period is provided to allow members of the community the chance to address the TPAC on Wake Transit items. In person commenters will be allotted three (3) minutes to speak. Comments, questions and other feedback can also be emailed to waketransit@campo-nc.us in advance of the meeting. All comments will be summarized and included with the meeting's minutes.

CONSENT AGENDA

4. **Consent Agenda:**

Items listed on the consent agenda are considered as a single motion. Any voting member of the TPAC may request an item be removed from consent and acted upon as a separate motion in the regular agenda.

a. **Adoption of March 19, 2026, TPAC meeting minutes**

Contact: Stephanie Plancich, TPAC Administrator

Attachments: Draft March 2026 TPAC Minutes

b. **Recommend FY 2027 Agreement Groupings & Reporting Deliverables**

Paul Kingman, TDA

Attachments: FY27 Agreement Groupings and Reporting Deliverables Sheet, sample agreements

c. **Create a Scope & Deliverables Workgroup**

Steven Mott, CAMPO & Paul Kingman, TDA

Attachments: Scope & Deliverables Workgroup Identification Worksheet

Action: Vote to approve the consent agenda.

ACTION ITEMS

5. Recommendation of FY 2027 Wake Transit Work Plan

Steven Mott, CAMPO and Steve Schlossberg, TDA • 45 minutes

Summary: CAMPO and TDA staff will provide an overview of the FY 2027 Wake Transit Work Plan with emphasis on changes made between the draft and recommended versions from the submission of new or revised funding requests, consideration of public comments and other appropriate information. TPAC is asked to recommend it for governing board approval and release it for a 14-day comment period.

Attachments: Updated FY 2027 Wake Transit Work Plan, Revised Funding Requests, Engagement Summary Report, Budget & Finance Workgroup Memo, Recommended Work Plan Engagement Strategy

Action: Recommend governing board adoption of the FY 2027 Wake Transit Work Plan and release it for a 14-day public review and comment period.

6. Recommendation of FY 2026 4th Quarter Work Plan Amendment Requests

Suvir Venkatesh, CAMPO • 10 minutes

Summary: Two (2) Wake Transit Work Plan amendment requests submitted for consideration. The Town of Wendell requested a correction to the scope language for the ZWX park-and-ride lot. Capital Area MPO requests funds to partner with NCDOT Rail Division to complete a Triangle Passenger Rail Initial Feasibility Study. The 4th quarter comment period ran from March 9, 2026 through April 10, 2026. The PD Subcommittee voted unanimously to approve the requests at its March meeting.

Attachments: FY26/Q4 Amendment Request Packet, Engagement Summary Report, Triangle Passenger Rail Feasibility Study-Draft Scope

Action: Recommend governing board approval of the FY2026 4th quarter Wake Transit Work Plan amendment requests.

7. Items Removed from Consent Agenda

Kelly Blazey, TPAC Chair

Action: Discuss and take action on any items removed from the consent agenda.

INFORMATION ITEMS

8. 2026 Workgroup Operating Guidelines Update

Stephanie Plancich, CAMPO • 10 minutes

Summary: The last update to the Workgroup Operating Guidelines was approved in 2024. We made significant changes to the document at that time. The 2026 update is minor. It removes some of the rigidity of previous versions to allow workgroup coordinators more flexibility to manage the groups as needed to accomplish assigned tasks, clarified that the TPAC is the convening body of all groups and the document was modified to meet current accessibility standards.

Attachments: Draft 2026 Workgroup Operating Guidelines

9. Expanded ADA (Title II) WCAG Accessibility Requirements for TPAC

Stephanie Plancich and Bonnie Parker, CAMPO • 10 minutes

Summary: As most partners are aware, a Final Rule was published in 28 CFR 35 Subpart H that updates the Title II requirements of the Americans with Disability Act (ADA). The federal deadline to meet the requirements has recently been extended but work at CAMPO to ensure that work products and all online platforms comply continues. All Wake Transit-related materials and information will be checked for accessibility needs before being posted online.

Attachments: Coats' Canons January 14, 2026 and April 20, 2026 Articles

10. Wake Bus Plan Engagement Plan

Steven Mott, CAMPO • 15 minutes

Summary: The Wake Bus Plan Engagement Plan (BPEP) has been developed to guide public involvement throughout the 18+ month planning process. This project will have 4 engagement phases. The first phase is expected to run between July and September 2026. Comments on the BPEP will be accepted through May 8. Email feedback to steven.mott@campo-nc.us.

Attachments: Wake Bus Plan Engagement Plan (BPEP)

11. Microtransit Service Update: NE Wake Smart Ride

Amber Scott and Natalie Wison, Wake County • 10 minutes

Summary: Annual status report presentation on the NE Wake Smart Ride service. Staff will highlight current achievements and challenges and share future plans of the program

Attachments: Summary Sheet

12. Microtransit Service Update: Holly Springs Hopper

Chris Garcia, Holly Springs • 10 minutes

Summary: Service overview and status update for the Holly Springs Hopper which began operations on January 5, 2026.

Attachments: Summary Sheet

13. Microtransit Service Update: Rolesville MicroLink

Tanner Hayslette & Taylor Cooleen • 10 minutes

Summary: The service, operated by GoRaleigh, launched in September 2024. Staff will provide a progress update for the Rolesville MicroLink service.

Attachments: Summary Sheet

OTHER BUSINESS

14. Subcommittee Report

Subcommittee meeting agendas and materials are posted online at least 3 days before each meeting at <https://www.campo-nc.us/about-us/committees/wake-county-transit-planning-advisory-committee-tpac/subcommittee>

Next Program Development (PD) Meeting: Tuesday, 5/26/26 at 1:30pm

Next Community Engagement (CE) Meeting: Thursday, 5/28/26 at 1:30pm

15. Workgroup Updates

Regional Technology (Austin Stanion) | **Budget & Finance** (Steve Schlossberg)

16. CAMPO Lead Agency Updates

- a. Monthly Wake Bus Plan progress update. Contact: steven.mott@campo-nc.us
- b. Monthly Conference Committee update. Contact: ben.howell@campo-nc.us.
- c. Wake Transit On-Call contract, requests for proposals were accepted through April 13th.
- d. Work Plan engagement will run May 6-20, 2026. Partners are asked to plan support for the effort through local communication channels.
- e. The BRT Extensions Concepts of Operations Study is complete and will be prepared for public engagement also from May 6-20, 2026. View See **Handout #3: L2 Engagement Strategy**.
- f. The 2026 Staffing Model and Expectations Plan is complete and is now being evaluated for implementation next steps. TPAC will receive a results presentation at a future meeting.
- g. Other CAMPO Updates?

17. GoTriangle/TDA Lead Agency Updates

- a. GoTriangle, with ETC Institute, is finalizing the 2025 Regional Onboard Customer Satisfaction Survey process including development of individual agency reports for GoCary, GoDurham, GoRaleigh, and GoTriangle and a final combined report. A presentation to the TPAC is anticipated in June. For questions in the interim, please contact chayes@gotriangle.org.
- b. Monthly Update on progress developing the Wake Transit annual comprehensive financial report (ACFR). Contact Steve at sschlossberg@gotriangle.org.
- c. Other GoTriangle/TDA Updates?

18. TPAC Partner Updates

- a. On April 18, 2026 GoApex Route 1 service changes went into effect. Changes include new Sunday/holiday service and increased frequency to 30 mins 6am-7pm Mon-Sat. See **Handout #1: Apex Route 1 Service Change Flyer** or contact Katie.Schwing@apexnc.org, for more information.
- b. Triangle mobility hub project update: Presentations to CAMPO, Triangle West and others are being planned for May 2026 with goal of having an approved project LPA in early summer. See **Handout #2: Project Summary Sheet**. Contact cmiller@gotriangle.org for more information.
- c. Any other news or business to share?

ADJOURNMENT

Next Meeting:

May meeting has been canceled, and the June meeting has been moved out one week to avoid possible holiday conflicts.

See you on Thursday, June 25, 2026 @ 9:30am.