

**AGENDA
REGULAR SESSION
TRANSIT ADVISORY COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19, 2026, 1:00PM
CITY OF BISBEE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
118 ARIZONA STREET BISBEE, AZ**

Roll Call:

COMMITTEE MEMBERS	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
Rene Lopez- Bisbee Transit Mgr			
Bisbee Citizen- Julie Turek			
Local Business-Melanie Greene			
Senior Citizen Rep.-Vacant			
Local Disability Comm-Vacant			
Perri Gojkovich, City of Douglas			
Noelle Lievanos, CO Douglas			
Lorena Valdez, Transit Coord.			
Chris Vertrees, SEAGO			
Jessica Aguayo, SEAGO			
Mariza Nikitas, CO Benson			
Angel Lauve, CO Willcox			
Gerald Hursh, CO Huachuca City			
Anna Cline, Council Liaison			
Matthew Gurney, PW Director			
Logan Dodd, PW Operations Mgr.			
Jesse Zaragoza, ADOT Prog Mgr.			

Call to Public:

Item 1.

Approval of Minutes: Approve the Minutes of the May 20, 2026, meeting.

MOTION:

SECOND:

APPROVAL:

Item 2.

RFP – Rejection of Bids: Update regarding rejecting of all bids received in response to the RFP for the Bisbee Bus Operation Contract

Item 3.

Service Interruptions and Contingency Planning: Discussion regarding service interruptions resulting from bus failures, development of a contingency plan, and coordination with other agencies regarding available mechanic resources and contact information.

Item 4.

ADOT Bus Award and Increased Costs: Discussion regarding the ADOT award for a new bus, the increase in the final invoice due to price increases, and potential cost-reduction measures in coordination with the sales representative.

Item 5.

Community Outreach: Discussion regarding current and future community outreach efforts and opportunities for increased public engagement.

Item 6.

Ridership Report, Cochise Connections Report and Other News: Current ridership report, Cochise Connections report, and other updates. (Perri Gojkovich, City of Douglas)

Item 7.

Future Agenda Items (No Discussion)

Adjournment:

MOTION:

SECOND:

APPROVED:

Next Regular Meeting: November 18, 2026

Pursuant to A.R.S. section 38-431.02(H), The public will have physical access to Council Chambers 15 minutes before the meeting is scheduled to begin

PERSONS NEEDING SPECIAL ACCOMODATIONS TO ATTEND THIS MEETING SHOULD CONTACT RENE LOPEZ, TRANSIT MANAGER, AT (520) 645-0850, AT LEAST TWENTY-FOUR HOURS BEFORE THE MEETING.