

Public Transit in Rural and Urban Wisconsin

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Opening Remarks



Lt. Gov. Mandela Barnes

Followed by Panel Discussion



Sen. Brad Pfaff (Dis. 32)



Rep. Sylvia Ortiz-Velez (Dis. 8)

Each presentation includes a period at the end for moderated Q&A.

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Public transportation is vital to all of Wisconsin!

Public transportation can serve **all** of Wisconsin, rural and urban areas, people of all incomes, educations, religions, ethnicities, races, ages, and physical abilities. Why are Regional Transportation Authorities so important? How can public transportation lead in addressing the climate crisis? Is society really better off when transportation planning and government budgets prioritize and subsidize expensive cars? Can investing in public transportation have an economic multiplier effect that supports good-paying local jobs? Can it simultaneously be accessible and equitable while improving public health and safety, while reducing pollution and carbon emissions?

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