
STUDENT TRANSPORTATION BOARD

IMU CHARTER ROOM

7PM

JANUARY 21, 2013

Members Present – Ray Vanlanot, Elliot Cheek, Elliott Trosky, Sarah Williams, Hannah Catt, Anjulia Urasky, Zach Haller, Patrick Courtney, James Grandorf, Perry Maull,

Staff Present – Brian Noojin, Michael Priester, Dorian Jackman, Jordan Allen

Guests Present—David Ng, Katherine Thompson, Daniel Presson, Zachary Schiff

MINUTES

1. Call to Order –Chair Vanlanot called the meeting to order at 7PM
2. Introductions of Members, Staff, and Guests
3. Approval of Agenda -The agenda was approved with no changes by unanimous consent.
4. Approval of Minutes for Special Meeting – The minutes from December 3, 2012 were approved by unanimous consent.
5. Presentation of CNG Fuel Feasibility Report—Kelley MBA accounting students David Ng, Katherine Thompson, Daniel Presson, and Zachary Schiff presented their analysis of the feasibility of converting IUCBS and BT busses to CNG, concluding that the NPV of such a proposal would be negative unless federal funding is available. The most significant obstacles to such a proposal include the high cost of new infrastructure and the necessity of altering the 10th Street overpass to accommodate taller busses. Perry Maull thanked the presenters for their analysis, which was both useful and relevant.
6. First Half Ridership Report – Dorian Jackman presented the report. Ridership has declined by a small amount due to natural fluctuations. Reported ridership increases on the D and X routes are mostly due to the addition of busses on those routes.
7. First Half Financial Report – Perry Maull presented the report. Despite higher costs, IUCBS is under budget for Q2 of FY 2013.
8. Committee for Fee Review – Perry Maull noted that the Board would have exact numbers by the end of the month.
9. Bus Unification – Patrick Courtney explained the political circumstances that are delaying the proposed unification. Though the guiding document of negotiations is nearing

finalization, the proposal is unlikely to be taken to INDOT prior to passage of the State budget.

10. Comments by Members and Guests—Patrick Courtney inquired about the status of the proposal to add an STB link to the official IUCBS website. The link will be added in the near future.
11. Next Meeting: Monday February 18, 2013 at 7 PM- Charter Room, IMU
12. Chair Vanlanot adjourned the meeting at 8PM.