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**Please Post
REVISED Open Meeting Notice
Worcester Regional Transit Authority
Advisory Board Meeting
Attention: City and Town Clerks**

Communities: 37 Cities and Towns

Auburn, Barre, Berlin, Boylston, Brimfield, Brookfield, Charlton, Clinton, Douglas, Dudley, East Brookfield, Grafton, Holden, Holland, Leicester, Millbury, New Braintree, Northbridge, North Brookfield, Northborough, Oakham, Oxford, Paxton, Princeton, Rutland, Shrewsbury, Southbridge, Spencer, Sturbridge, Sutton, Wales, Warren, Webster, Westborough, West Boylston, West Brookfield and Worcester

In accordance with G.L. c. 39 §§ 23A-23C and 24, the Massachusetts Open meeting Law, the Worcester Regional Transit Authority has scheduled an Advisory Board meeting for July 21, 2022 at 8:30 a.m. to be held via conference call/webinar due to the Governor’s (pending) extending Pandemic-Era policies which include extending remote public meetings.

Please see the link to join the webinar:

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Agenda: Business from the Board: **Administrator’s Report:** Present and review public comments on potential service changes **Action Item:** Request that the WRTA Advisory Board vote to accept the services changes as presented to take effect on August 27, 2022. **REVISED:** Administration’s recommendation to postpone action on a fare policy until the fall of 2022. Request an in-person meeting of the Audit and Finance Committee members for the purpose of reviewing the status of the contract negotiations, in executive session, with no vote to be taken. **Action Item:** Request the WRTA Advisory Board vote to authorize the Audit and Finance Committee to meet with the Administration and CMTM on July 28, 2022 at 8:30am to review in-person, in executive session, the status of contract negotiations with the union.

*The WRTA Advisory Board is accepting questions/comments from the public: email: admin@therta.com, phone: 508.791.9782, website via csfeedback@therta.com as well as via Zoom participation. In order to assist staff with processing your request we ask for a 48-hour notice of your intention to request. Please give us your name, Zoom name – if different or phone number as well as city, along with your comments. To request participation in Zoom please use the “raised hand” icon in your settings. **The board will address inquires during the “Business from the Public” portion of the meeting.**

The WRTA meetings are conducted in accessible locations. If you need accommodations please contact Carolyn Foley at 508.453.3463 or email cfoley@therta.com. Request for accommodations needs to be placed at least 7 business days prior to the scheduled meetings.

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Berlin	Charlton	East Brookfield	Holland	Northborough	Oakham	Rutland	Sturbridge	Webster	
Boylston	Clinton		Leicester	Northbridge	Oxford	Shrewsbury	Sutton	Westborough	Worcester