CENTRAL WEST VIRGINIA TRANSIT AUTHORITY June 18, 2018

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Tom Durrett - Board Member (Absent)
Anita Bower - Secretary-Treasurer
Jim Griffin - Board Member
Mark Griffith - Board Member
Vanessa Perkins, General Manager
Patty Holley - Finance Officer
Linda Conway, Delta Development Group, Inc.
Exponent Telegram Reporter

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Discussion was held concerning better communication with local government entities. The Board discussed the importance of communicating to the local governments that an operation study is underway and ask for input from the individual communities. One suggestion was to send the minutes of each meeting to the Mayor of each individual town, along with any progress reports received from Delta Development Group, Inc. The Exponent Telegram reporter present suggested that a CENTRA representative attend a Mayor's

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Anita Bower made a motion, Robert Kramer seconded the motion and motion passed to close the meeting to the public to discuss current legal matters, the DEP project and a situation with an IT vendor.

After the meeting was again opened to the public, President James Griffin suggested that a regular meeting time be established for CENTRA Board meetings. The third Tuesday of each month at 1:00 p.m. was selected, therefore the next Board meeting will be July 17, 2018 at 1:00 p.m.

Robert Kramer made a suggestion that a Performance Bond policy be established. After discussion, Robert Kramer presented a motion that a policy be established that all CENTRA vendors, incurring expenses of \$5,000 and above, sign a performance bond ensuring that the work would be completed on time and in accordance with the contract. Mark Griffith seconded this motion, which unanimously passed.

President James Griffin requested that Vanessa Perkins look into an outside person to take and prepare the minutes of the Transit meetings. Anita Bower would be responsible for approval of the minutes as prepared before the minutes are adopted at the following Board meeting.

There being no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

Approved by:

James Griffin

President

Respectfully submitted,

Anita S. Bower

Acting Secretary-Treasurer