

RTCC Meeting Notes

01-15-26

In-Person Attendees:

Amy Teal (City of Whitney)
Erika Kunkel (McLennan County Health Services)
Jefferson Gunn (HOT National Federation of the Blind)
Jonathan Mize (Texas Workforce Solutions)
Judge Jay Elliott (Falls County)
Kathy Chambers (Moore & Associates)
Melissa Ingriola (HOCTIL)
Misty Hendon (HOTCOG)
Rep Pledger (HOTCOG)
Russell Devorsky (HOTCOG)

Zoom Attendees:

Frank Patterson (McLennan Community College)
Heather Travers (McLennan County Health Services)
Jana Svacina-Waldrop (Waco Transit)
Keith Vandiver (Bosque County Senior Services)
Stephanie Roberts (Moore & Associates)

Kathy Chambers: Provided an update on where we stand in the planning process (PDF attached).

Committee: Agreed that funding is the #1 priority in this process. Without it, we will not be able to implement any of the recommended changes.

Discussed methods to secure additional funding and marketing strategies.

Discussed lack of participation from dialysis centers and local businesses.

Kathy: Conducted in-meeting survey regarding the prioritization of transportation and mobility needs. Misty will send the list to stakeholders who did not attend the meeting.

Next steps:

1. Adopt prioritized list of needs and prioritization methodology during next RCC meeting (February 19, 2026).
2. Interim Coordinated Plan to TxDOT by February 27, 2026.
3. RCC Workshop #2 in June 2026 (Goals & Strategies).
4. Draft Final Plan – public review during August/September 2026.
5. Adopt Final Plan – late September 2026.

Misty: The next virtual update meeting will be on Tuesday, February 3, 2026, at 9:00 am.

The next RCC meeting will be on February 19, 2026.