

# GRMI Coordination Council Meeting May 4, 2021



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# Poll



- Would you be willing to share projects/challenges/success stories of your agency with the entire region?
  - Yes
  - No
- Would you be willing or interested in share this information through an online platform?
  - Yes
  - No
  - Maybe, but I am uncomfortable using technology
- Would you find it helpful if the online platform was interactive and allowed discussion and comments on posts?
  - Yes
  - No
- Do you have experience using the following platforms?
  - Slack                      YouTube
  - LinkedIn                 Facebook
  - Instagram                Trello
  - Twitter                    Teams



# GRMI Advisory Committee—Timeline



Advisory  
Committee  
established  
in spring

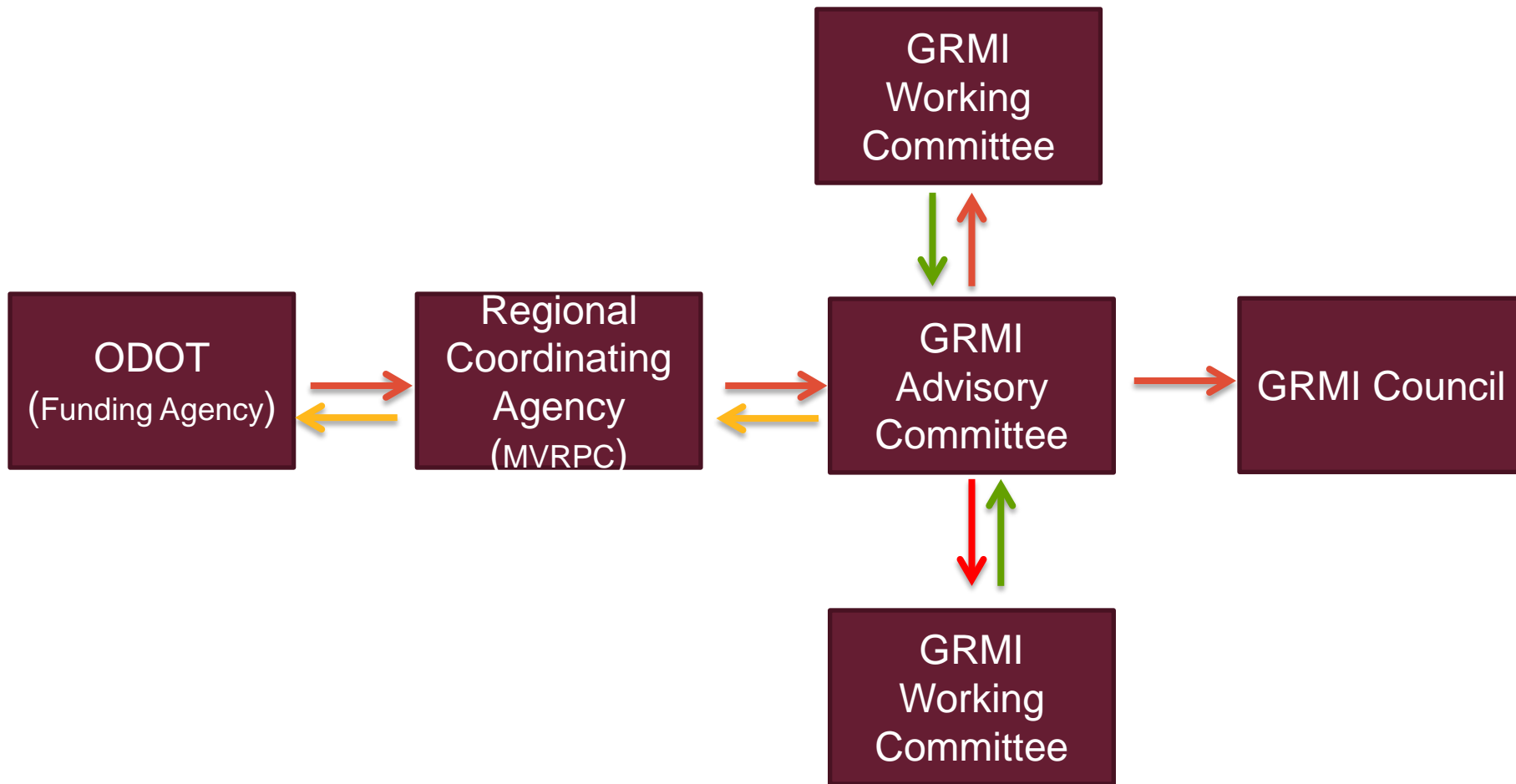
Approval of  
committee in  
May by  
GRMI  
Council

Develop  
committee  
guidelines

GRMI  
Council  
approval of  
guidelines in  
August



# GRMI Advisory Committee– Information Flow



# GRMI Advisory Committee



## Advisory Committee:

- Comprised five long standing Mobility Management/county level HSTC facilitator positions (will not rotate)
- Eight Designated Representatives from each county with an Alternate Representative
  - Will serve for a period of two years when position will rotate out
- Members will assist with:
  - plan updates and revisions
  - communicate regional information to local HSTC councils
  - provide direction on regional initiatives as requested
  - make recommendations for working groups



# GRMI Advisory Committee Members

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- Long standing Mobility Management/county level HSTC facilitator positions
  - Glen Massie, Clark County HSTC Facilitator
  - Michelle Caserta-Bixler, Mobility Manager, Clark, Champaign, Darke & Shelby counties
  - Shannon Webster, Mobility Manager Greene County
  - Sally Brown, Mobility Management Role, Montgomery County
  - Curt McNew, Mobility Manager, Preble County



# GRMI Advisory Committee Members

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- Designated Representative Members
  - Jeff Coaty, Champaign County Board of Developmental Disabilities
  - Kevin Spriggs, The Abilities Connection, Clark County
  - Julie Lecklider, Community Action Partnership, Darke County
  - Delana Zapata, Greene County Board of Developmental Disabilities
  - Sarah Baker, Miami County Public Transit
  - Vickie Carraher, Kettering Senior Center, Montgomery County
  - Janelle Caron, Community Action Partnership, Preble County
  - Tricia Alloway, SafeHaven, Shelby County

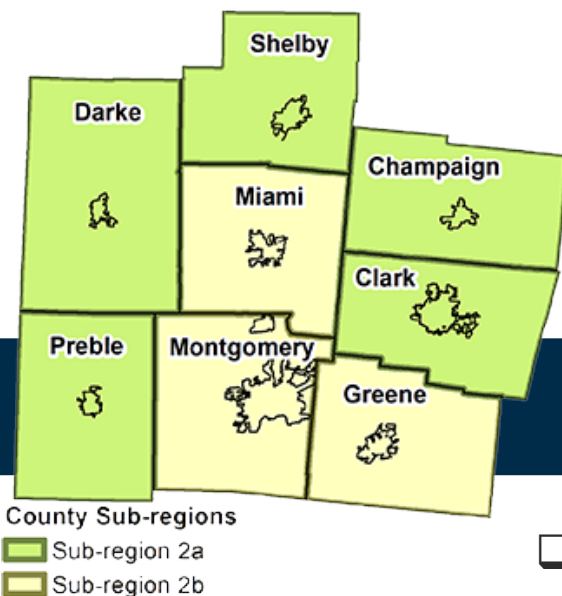


# GRMI Advisory Committee Members

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- Alternate Representative Members
  - Brandon Leon, Mercy Health, Champaign County
  - Lisa McDonough, United Senior Services, Clark County
  - Joseph Badell, Darke County Board of Developmental Disabilities
  - Judy Baker, Xenia Senior Center, Greene County
  - Jade Downey, Miami County Public Transit
  - Michelle Garrett, GDRTA, Montgomery County
  - Cole French, Preble County Veteran's Services
  - Ron Schalow, Shelby County Public Transit

## ODOT made available \$100,000 to Region 2 for regional level projects



- ❑ Project addresses regional plan Goal 1: Enhance Coordination
- ❑ Funds available to all counties within Region 2
  - The project will review all transit available in region and compare to public needs with intent to establish centralized scheduling hub

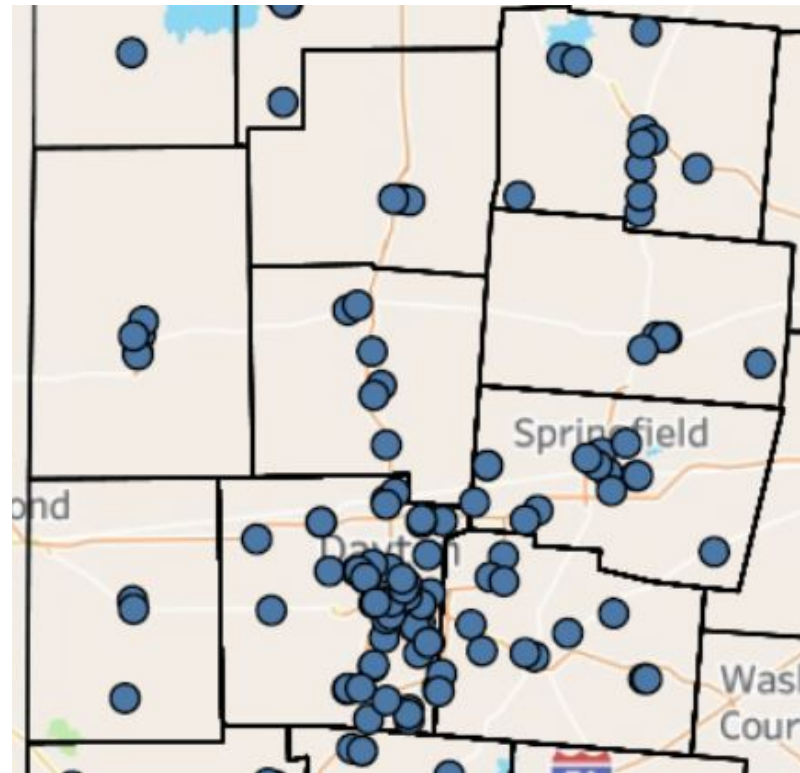
## Project Development/Selection

- ❑ Clark County TCC was identified as Lead Agency
  - Scoping Committee was formed and met April 16, 2021
  - Project is planned to be advertised in May/June, 2021
- ❑ Project will be completed no later than May 31, 2022



# Vaccination Information

Region 2: Total of 105 administration locations throughout eight counties



Source: Ohio Department of Health, COVID 19 Dashboard, Vaccine Provider Locations  
<https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/covid-19/dashboards/covid-19-vaccine/covid-19-vaccine-provider-dashboard>



# Vaccination Information

## Region 2 Vaccination Totals

Total Vaccinations Started:  
393,921

Total Vaccinations Complete:  
305,008

Champaign: 23.79%

Clark: 29.23%

Darke: 22.15%

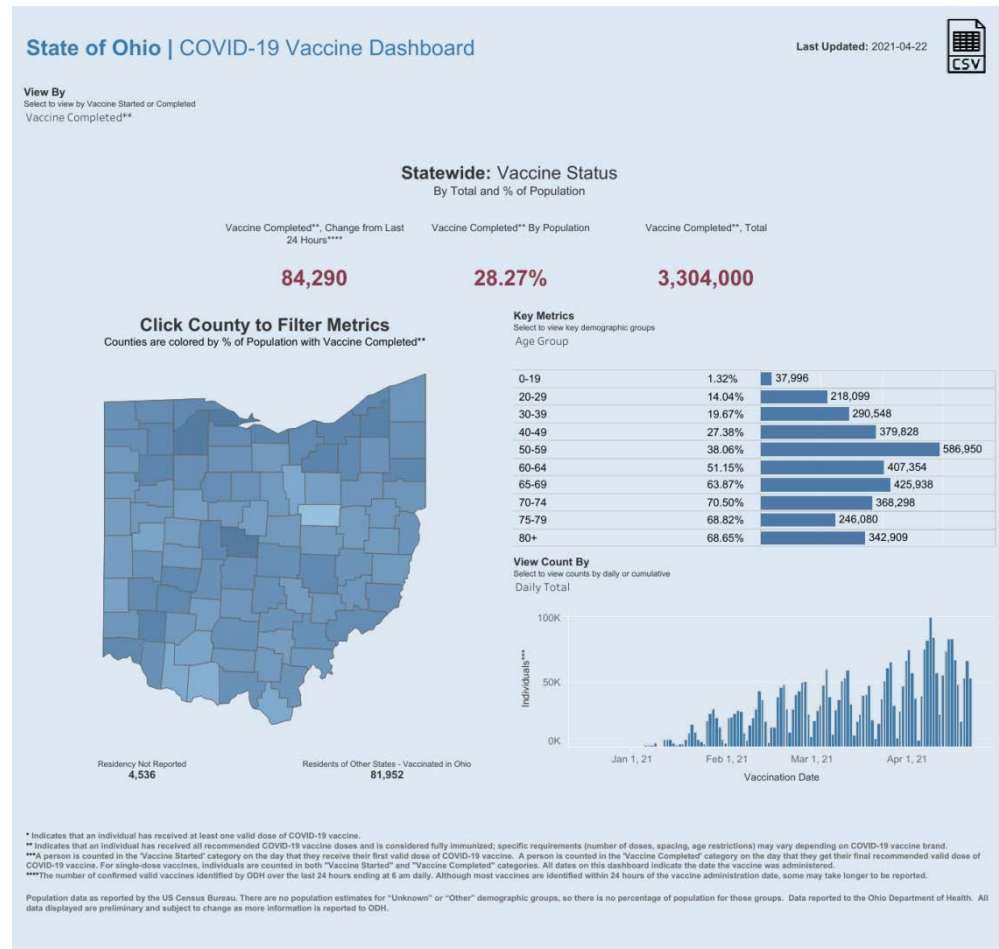
Greene: 29.25%

Miami: 25.47%

Montgomery: 28.29%

Preble: 20.89%

Shelby: 19.74%



Source: Ohio Department of Health, COVID-19 Dashboard

\*last updated 4/22/21

<https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/covid-19/dashboards/covid-19-vaccine/covid-19-vaccination-dashboard>





# COVID Transportation Funding

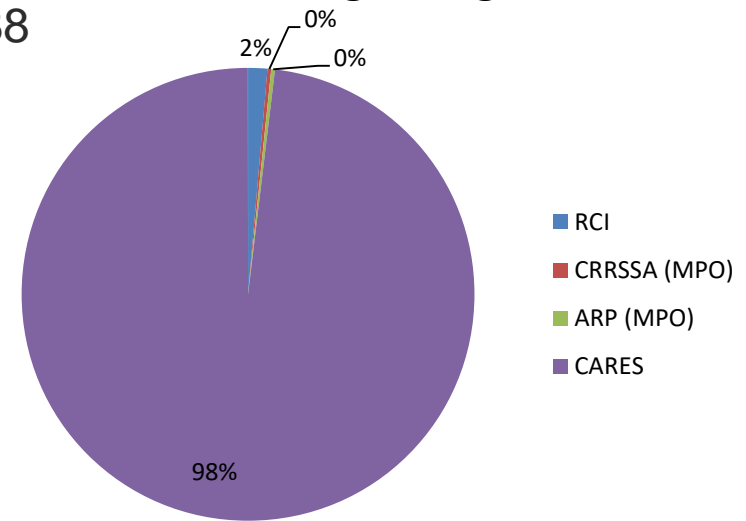
## COVID Funding to Support Transit in Region 2

- Rides to Community for Immunity \$667,513 (entire region)
- MPO CRRSSA \$132,086
- MPO American Rescue Plan (ARP) \$132,088
- CARES
  - MPO \$44,199,852 (5307 program)
  - Small Urban \$3,700,111 (Springfield)
  - ODOT R2 Mobility Management \$43,113
  - ODOT R2 5311 \$2,475,275

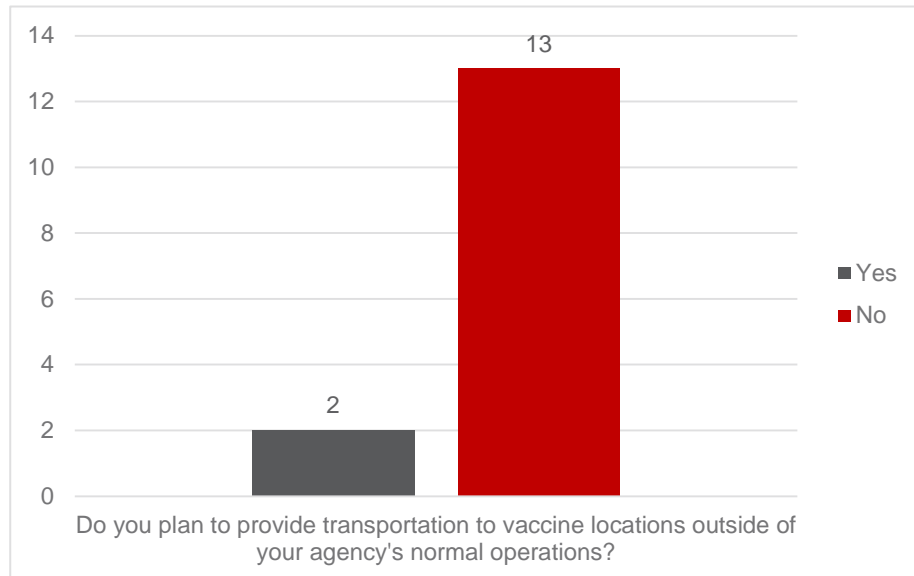
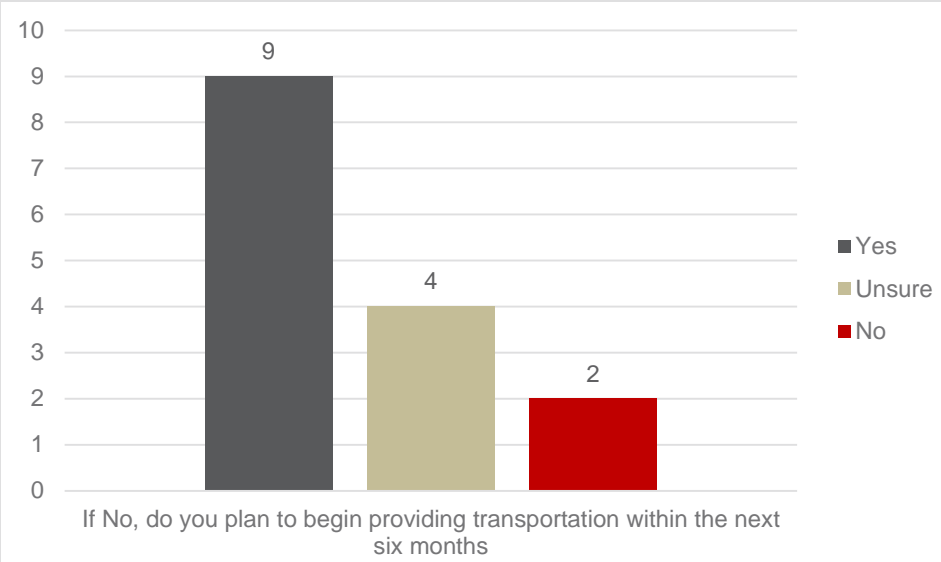
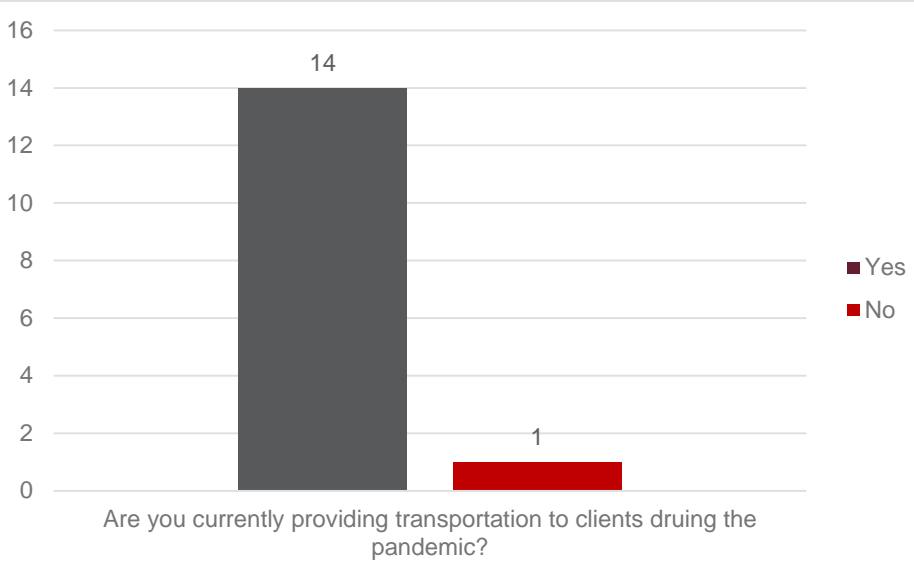
- Total Funding to date: \$51,350,038

- ODOT has yet to determine how the CRSSA and ARP funds received for their direct recipients will be allocated across the state

**COVID Funding in Region**



# Transportation Poll Results



# Poll



- If you **were not** previously providing transportation within the last six months, since then have you begun service?
  - Yes
  - No
  - Already providing transportation
- Are you offering free transportation to vaccination appointments?
  - Yes
  - No
- Have you seen an increase in demand for transportation services?
  - Yes
  - No
  - Unsure, not providing transportation



# Transportation During COVID & Beyond



Erin Kies, Transportation Director  
Greenville Transit Systems  
<https://www.cityofgreenville.org/2172/Transit-Home>



Mark Schlater, CEO  
Toward Independence  
<https://ti-inc.org/>



# Transportation During COVID & Beyond



Shannon Webster, Mobility Manager  
Greene County

<https://www.greenecountyohio.gov/923/Mobility-Management>



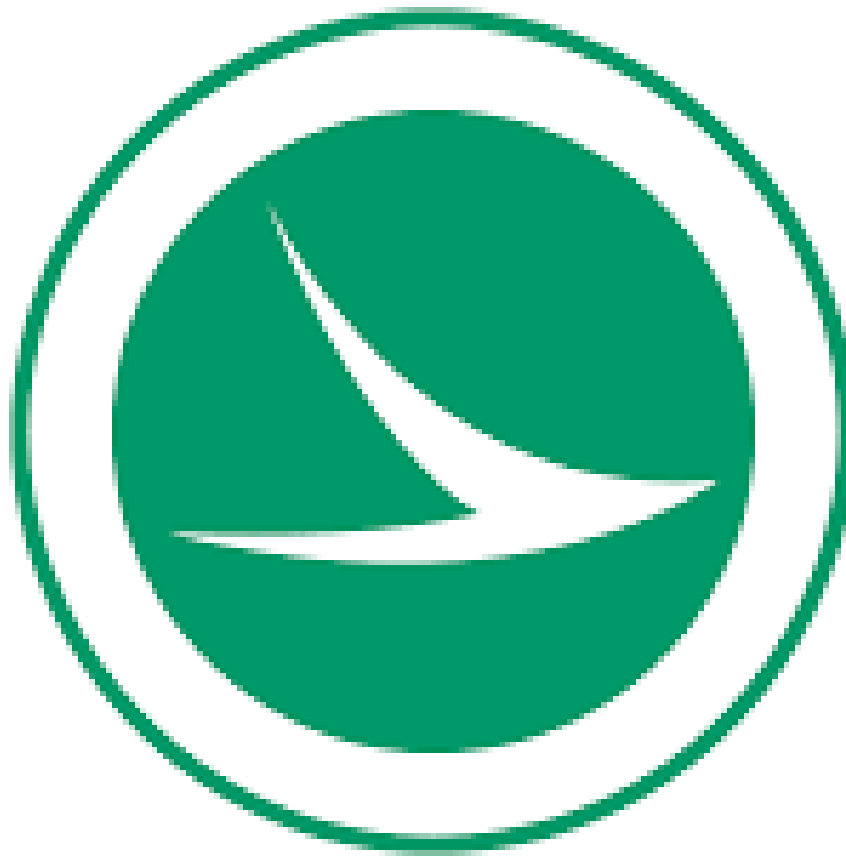
Ken Collier, Executive Director  
Greene CATS Public Transit

[www.co.greene.oh.us/greenecats](http://www.co.greene.oh.us/greenecats)





# ODOT Updates



# Questions

