

Racine Transit Task Force

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Racine Transit Task Force is made up of organizations, individuals and business leaders in Racine and the region, and created to collaborate and coordinate in building community and political support to improve and expand transit to connect workers and employers, create new job growth, spur sustainable economic development and global economic competitiveness, reduce the brain drain, decrease our dependence on foreign oil, and improve the quality of life in Racine and throughout Southeastern Wisconsin through transit outreach, education, and advocacy.

Guiding Principles

- A vibrant modern transit network is a fundamental part of a successful and sustainable economy and a prosperous future.
 - A dedicated funding source for transit is vital in 2009 to provide adequate, stable funding for transit systems and KRM Commuter Rail. Without a dedicated funding source existing transit systems will face continuing service reductions, and KRM Commuter Rail will be at serious risk, deepening the divide between workers and jobs, and limiting our ability to compete in the global economy.
 - A permanent regional transit authority in Southeast Wisconsin in 2009 is critical to provide regional coordination, creating a united voice to better access federal funds, and advancing efficient regional linkages for jobs and economic growth.
 - A permanent Regional Transit Authority will create jobs, a stronger economy, and healthier neighborhoods by empowering communities to operate efficient, cost-effective, balanced transportation systems.
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Join the Racine Transit Task Force!

Be a voice for building prosperity in Racine and SE WI.

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