



REGIONAL COORDINATED COUNCIL

REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION

January 18, 2023

This meeting is being held in person at the AAA9 offices, Cambridge, Ohio

- This meeting is being recorded to prepare minutes.
- Slides and minutes will be available on the OMEGA website within one week.
- This meeting is serving as the January Steering Committee meeting as well.



Agenda

- **Call to Order, and Welcome:** Valerie Shaw, RCC Chairperson
- **Roll Call:** Deborah Hill, OMEGA Regional Transit Planner
- **Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes:** Valerie Shaw, RCC Chairperson
- **Local Spotlight:** Guernsey County Senior Center
Shon Gress, Director
- **ODOT Update:** Macie Moore, ODOT, Office of Transit
- **Speakers:** Dr. Allison Ricket, Executive in Residence, Ohio University – Voinovich School
Mandy White, Impact Analyst, Ohio University – Voinovich School
- **Regional Business:** Deborah Hill, OMEGA Regional Transit Planner
Regional Unmet Needs for CY 2023
Review of 2022 Annual Update to the Regional Coordinated Plan, Appendix
Review of Regional Survey of Unmet Needs
Looking forward to 2023 initiatives
- **Calendar for 2023:** Deborah Hill, OMEGA Regional Transit Planner
Meeting Topics and Hosts for Quarterly Meetings
- **For the Good of the Region:** Valerie Shaw, RCC Chairperson
- **Motion to Adjourn**

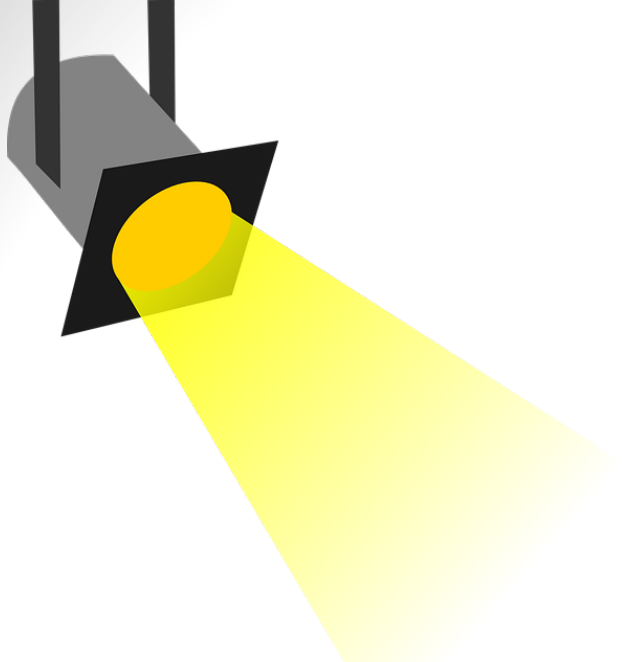
Roll Call



Meeting Minutes

- Minutes from the RCC meeting held on November 16, 2022, were distributed to members prior to the meeting.
- Corrections?
- Motion to accept?





Local Spotlight : Guernsey County Senior Center

Shon Gress, Executive Director and CEO, Guernsey County Senior Center

ODOT Update:

Macie Moore
ODOT, Office of Transit



Featured Speakers: Dr. Allison Ricket and Mandy White

Social Return on Investment (SROI)



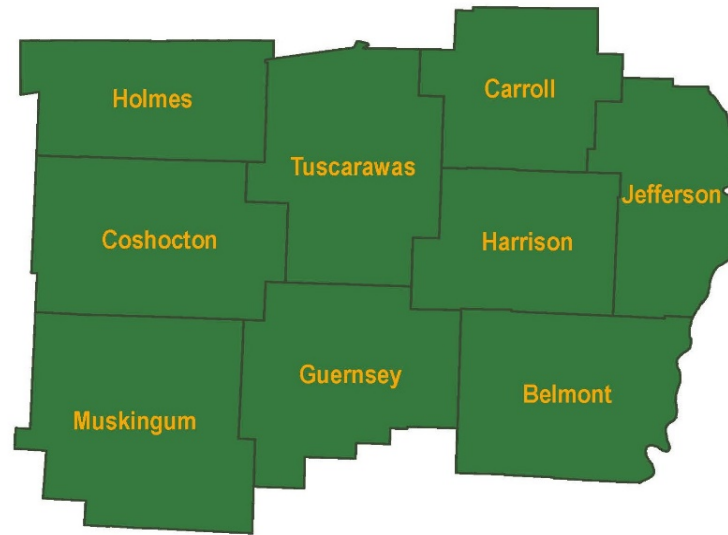
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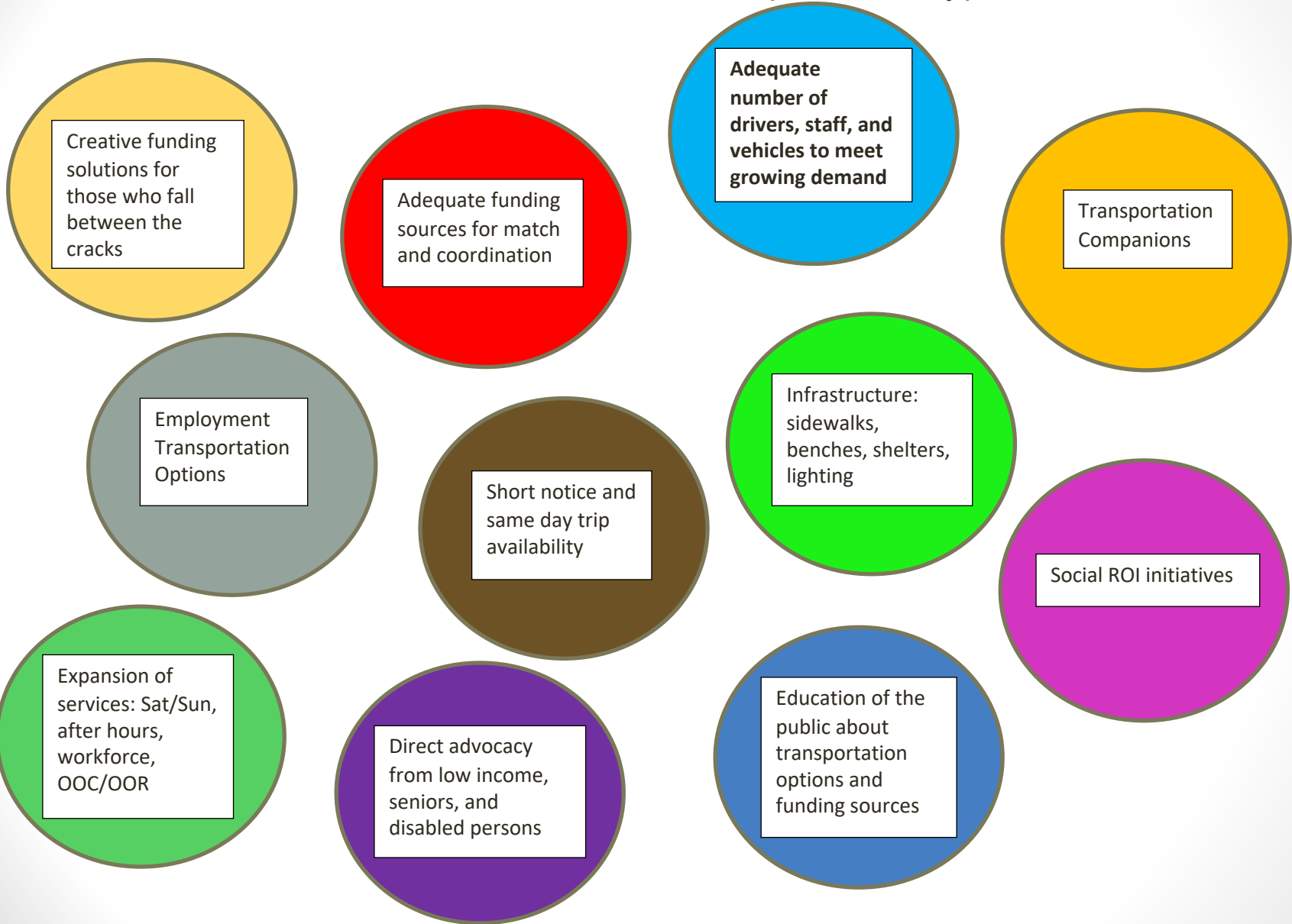
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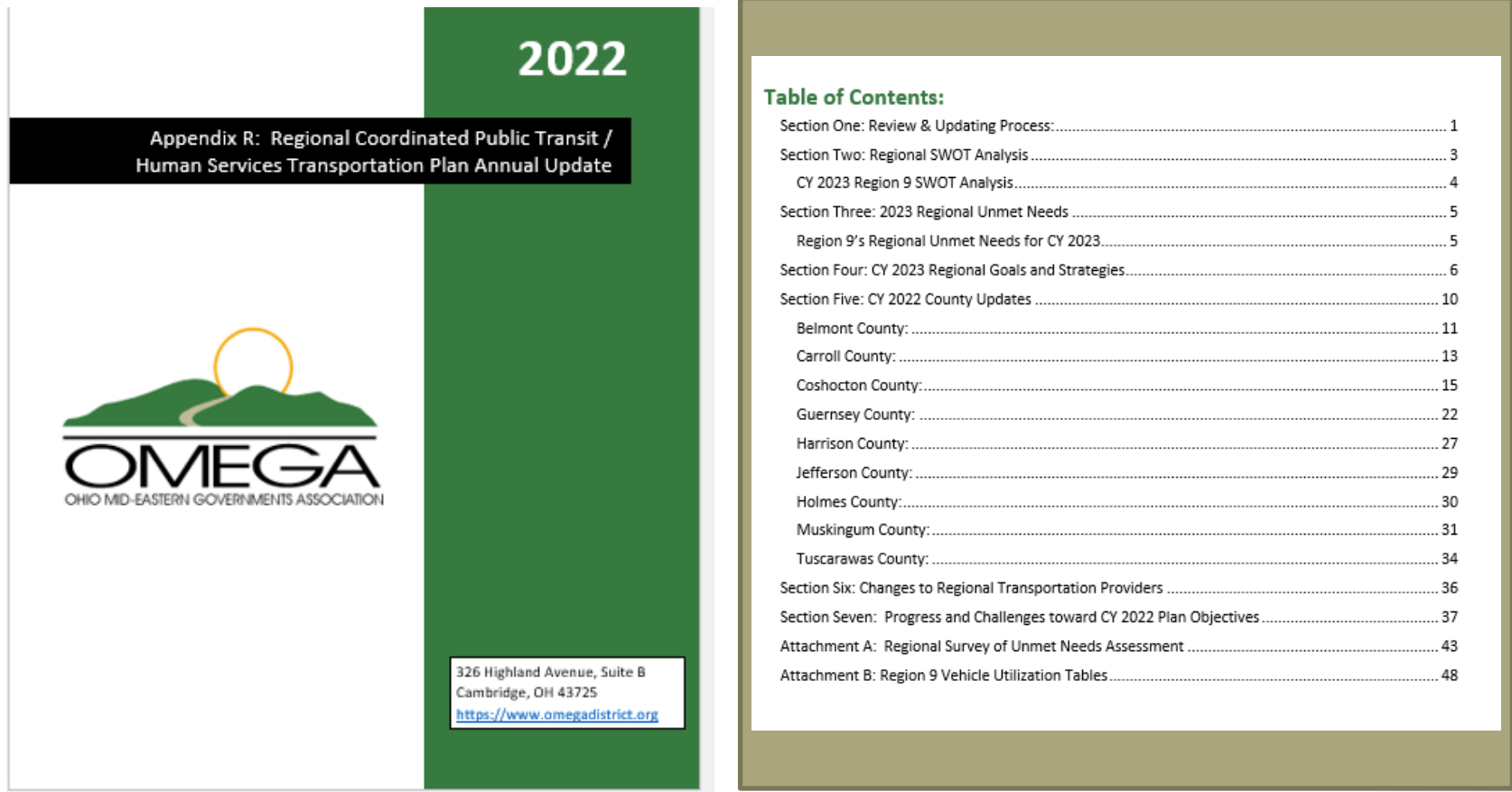


- ❑ Region 9 Unmet Needs For CY2023
- ❑ Appendix R: 2022 Annual Update to the Regional Coordinated Plan
- ❑ Summary of Regional Survey of Unmet Needs (2068 responses)

REGIONAL UNMET NEEDS for CY 2023 (summary)



Appendix R : 2022 Annual Update to Regional Plan



The Regional Coordinated Plan, and Appendix R, in its entirety can be found at
www.Omegadistrict.org

2022 Regional Survey of Unmet Needs

2068 responses – more than a 10% increase from last year!

60 % of respondents are seniors:

39% are 65- 80

21% are 80 and over

77% drive or are being driven

13% use public transit

6% use agency transportation (senior centers, etc.)

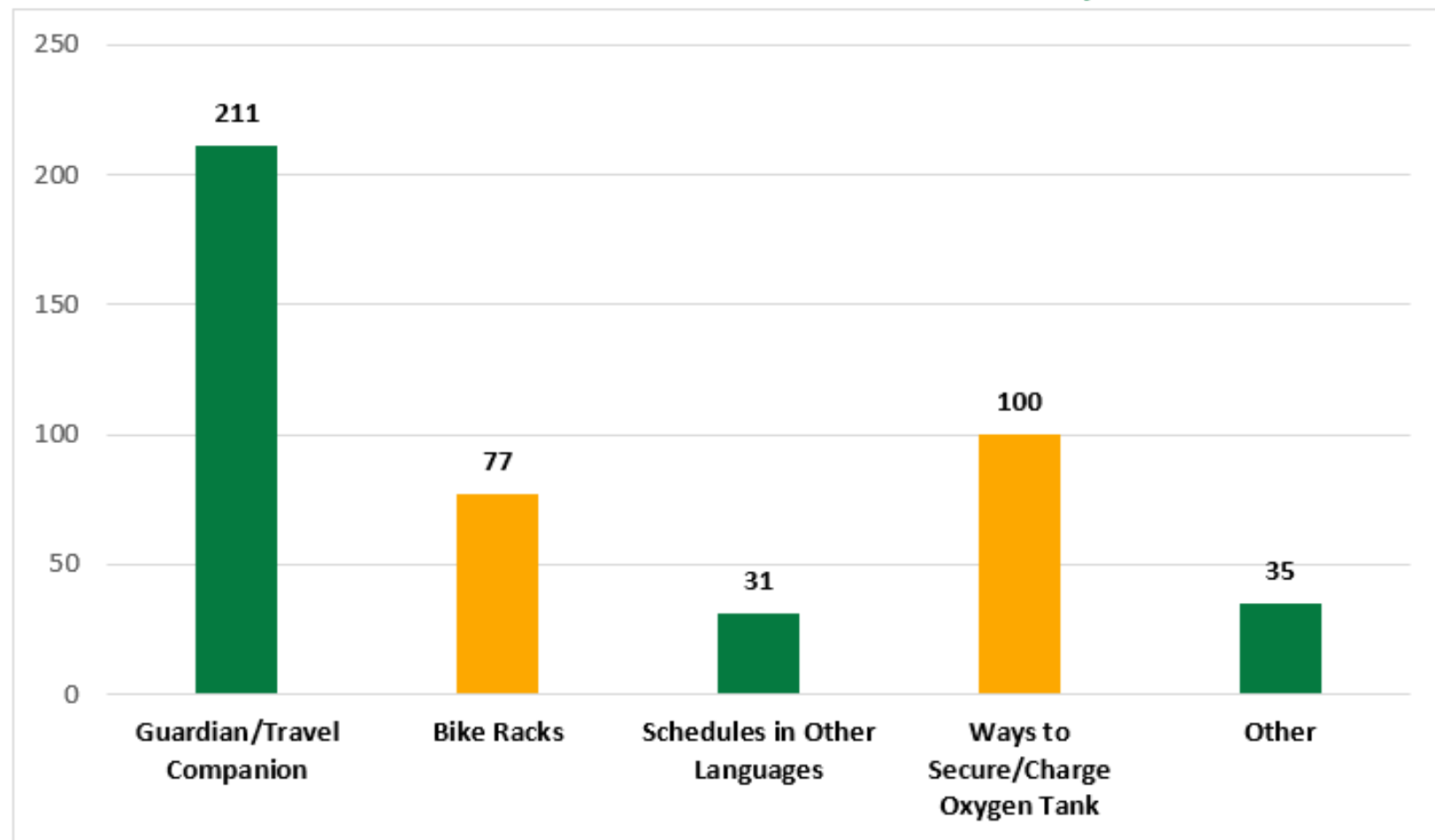
41% ride public transit 1-4x/month

23% ride public transit 2-4x/week

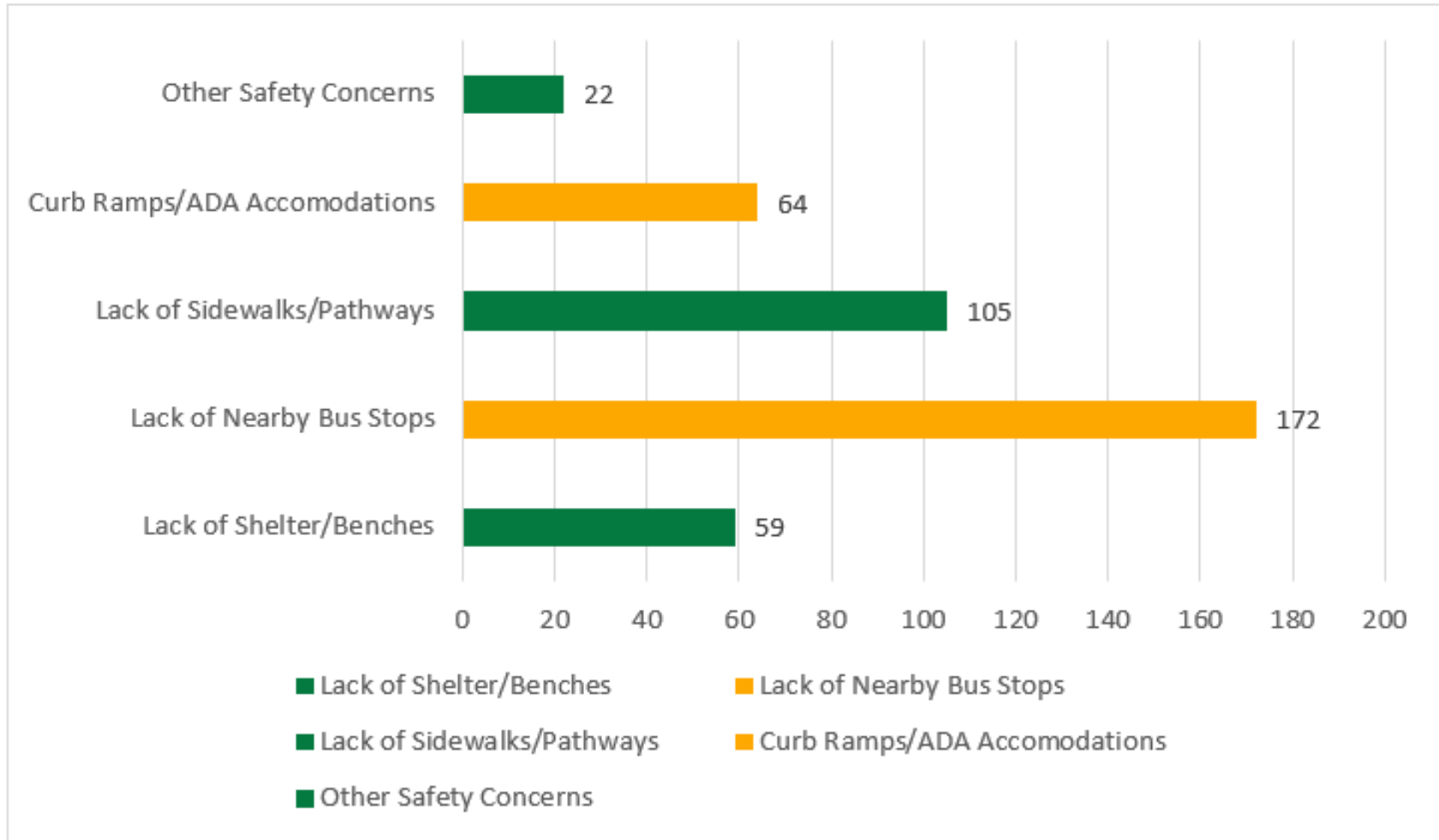
20% still have trouble getting a ride outside their county

32% use a mobility device

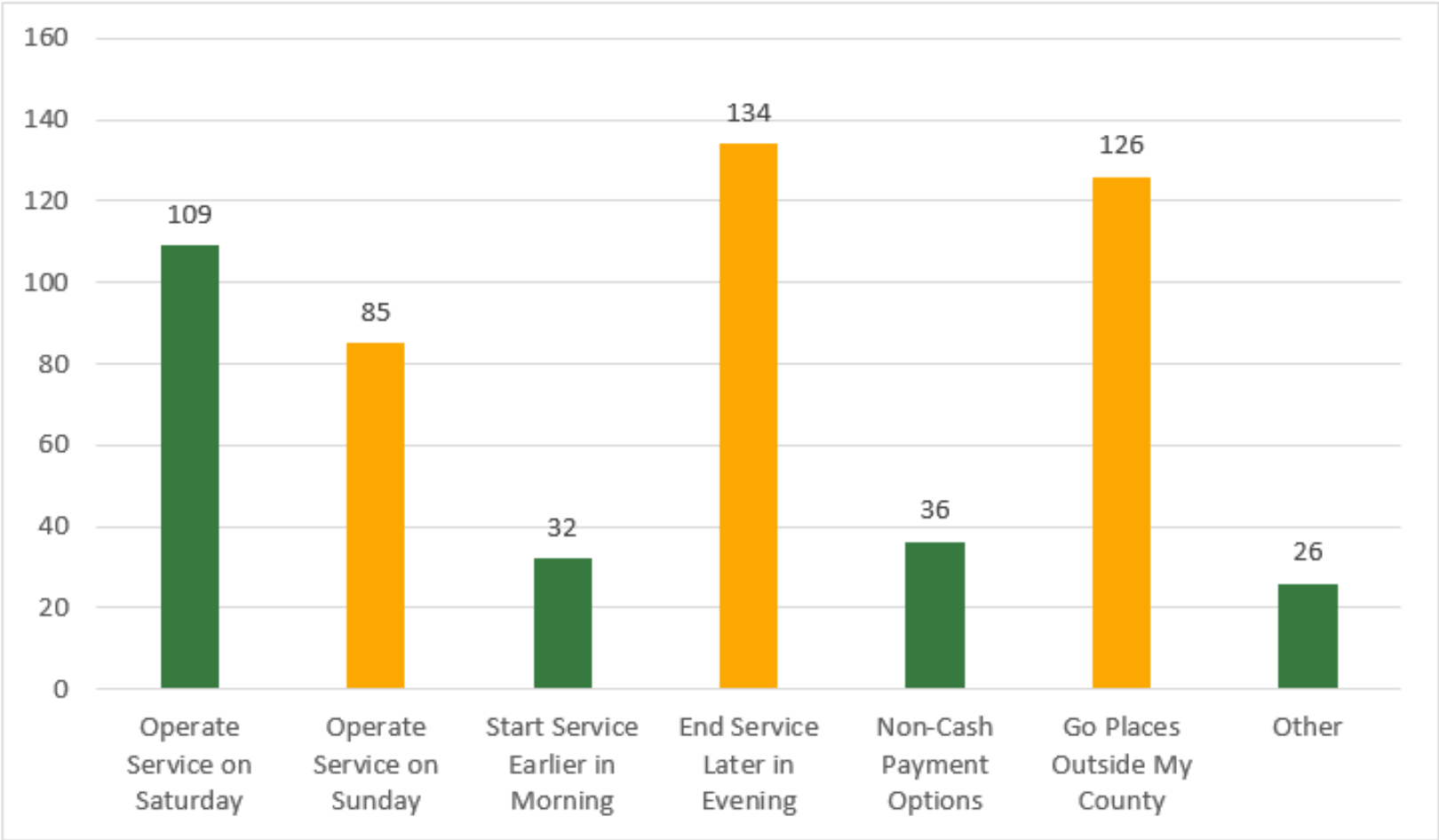
What additional accommodations would make it easier to access transportation?



Do you have any transportation issues reaching transit services?



How could transportation services be improved?



Sneak peek at 2023 goals



Revision/Rewrite
of Regional
Coordinated Plan

Regional
CarFit Training-
Late Spring/Summer

Formalize RCC
Membership

Some Regional Goals For 2023

Volunteer Transportation
Companions (Pilot,
Coshocton County,
maybe regional pilot)

Increase Rider Advocacy
and Direct Participation
from Seniors, Disabled
Persons and Low-Income
Persons

Consider and Develop
Social ROI Measures

Calendar for 2023

- RCC meetings “travel”, feature a topic speaker and local spotlight, and include an optional lunch.



January 18, 2023 RCC Meeting
AAA9 Offices, Cambridge
Topic: Social Return on Investment

February 15, 2023 Steering meeting

March 15, 2023 Steering meeting

April 19, 2023 RCC Meeting

May 17, 2023 Steering Meeting

June 21, 2023 Steering Meeting

July 19, 2023 RCC Meeting

August 16, 2023 Steering Meeting

Sept. 20, 2023 Steering Meeting

Oct. 18, 2023 Steering Meeting

Nov. 15, 2023 RCC Meeting

Dec. 13, 2023 ONLY if needed

Hosts for April, July, and November?

Topics for discussion? Creating a volunteer driver/companion program? Other?

For the Good of the Region, Announcements and County Updates

- Belmont County is without a Mobility Manager. SEAT is no longer providing transit services in Belmont County.
- Neff's Fire Department (Belmont County) is receiving vehicles from ODOT to expand critically needed service, especially wheelchair services.
- Other Announcements?
- Please join us for lunch at Theo's
632 Wheeling Ave. OMEGA has reserved the room in the back.

Thank you for the privilege of your time.



Meeting slides, minutes, and related documentation can be accessed here: <https://omegadistrict.org/programs/transit/rcc/>

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