



TOWN OF SHARON, MA  
TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY BOARD  
Meeting Minutes  
March 12, 2019  
Town of Sharon Community Center  
(7:00 PM – 8:00 PM)

Attendees: *All TAB Members:* David Straus, David Fixler, Linda Hager, Neil Coplan, & Terri Rawding, also in attendance Peter O’Cain & Heather Zelevinsky.

1. Approval of previous meeting minutes for November, December, and January meetings.
2. The board unanimously approved contract from PSC. Contingent on Town confirming final contract amount with PSC.
3. According to the town, the original contact with STV can and will be terminated, and leftover funds will be used for the new contact with PSC.
4. It was brought to the board attention that the MBTA contract with the Town regarding the Sharon station parking lot, was up for renewal and being negotiated. As a board we asked Peter O’Cain and any members that have the availability, to share our concerns and questions at the upcoming meeting between the town and MBTA.
  - a. Would the MBTA consider making neighboring rail station parking lots available for Sharon residents with parking permits as overflow if parking is unavailable in Sharon.
  - b. Would the MBTA consider managing the train station lot, and if so at what cost or considerations must be made.
  - c. Could the parking spots on the providence side that are resident spaces be made quarterly pass holder spaces rather than the daily spaces they are right now.
5. Discussed a ride share program. We are looking into receiving more information about a town rail station that partnered with Lyft in Summit NJ.
6. Meeting adjourned. Next meeting Tuesday April 9, 2019.