Topeka Metro Operations Report

September 2019

September Operating Days:

24 Normal operating days

5 Sundays (no service)

1 Holiday with no service: Labor Day 9/2/19

0 Limited holiday service

30 Total days in September

Passenger Comments:

	26	Fixed Route	1	Capitol City Taxi	27	Complaints
_	3	_ Lift	28	Topeka Metro	1	Compliments
	29	Total Comments	29	Total Comments	1	_ Incidents
					29	Total Comments

Comment Issues:

Other/General (14)

Unsafe Driving (6)

Passed By (5) - none validated

Operator (3)
Lift Late Trip (1)

Operations Accidents & Incidents (as of September 30th, 2019):

	Month of		
	September	2019	FY 2020
TMTA Chargeable accidents	2	11	5
TMTA Non-chargeable accidents	3	13	5
Contractor accidents	0	2	1
Passenger incidents *	33	219	73
	38	245	84

^{*}Legal Counsel opened a file on 9/9/19 regarding an August incident after the August report had been submitted for record.

Current Self-Insurance Files:

9 Open files against Topeka Metro

16 Open files against others

7 Other

32 Total open files

September Promotions and Events

Washburn Students (9/1 thru 9/30):

3,772 rides (267,073 total trips Aug 1, 2014 - Sep 30, 2019)

FREEdom Pass Ridership (9/1 thru 9/30):

1,020 rides (42,090 total trips Aug 1, 2013 - Sep 30, 2019)

2013	945
2014	3876
2015	6058
2016	7511
2017	8115
2018	8879
2019	6706 (so far this year

Amtrak (9/1 thru 9/30):

2 rides in September

Flex Zone Ridership (9/1 thru 9/30):

29 Flex rides

Bikes on the Bus Ridership (9/1 thru 9/30):

1,266 bikes on the fixed route

City Employees Ride Free (9/1 thru 9/30):

158 fixed route rides

Other Operational and Promotional Activities:

US Foods Joined the NETO Program (9/1)

Monthly Operator Policy Meeting (9/3)

Unifirst Uniform Company was On-site to Perform Bus Operator Uniform Sizing (9/4, 9/5, and 9/12)

New Walmart West Bus Stop Open to Passengers (9/5)

Participated in the Touch-A-Truck Downtown Event (9/7)

The Annual Midwest Transit Conference was held in Kansas City (9/11 thru 9/13)

Attended the First Bikeshare Task Force Meeting (9/13)

Quarterly Operator Safety & Security Work Group Meeting (9/14)

Bi-monthly Advisory Committee on Accessible Transportation Services (ACATS) Meeting (9/18)

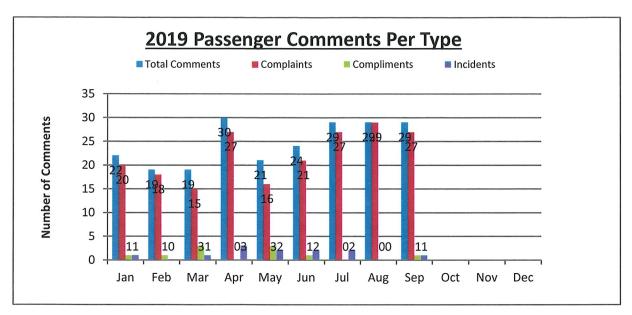
Retirement Celebration for Bus Operator Becky Hauer - over 13 years of service (9/20)

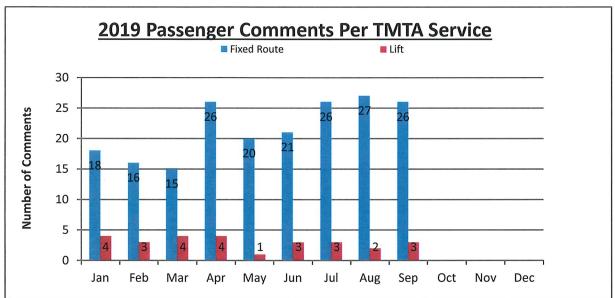
Participated in the Washburn Tech Resource Fair (9/27)

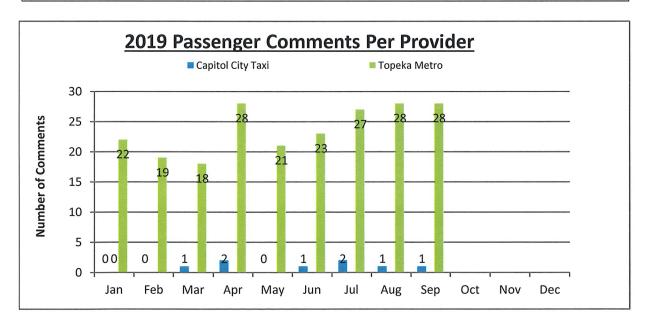
Retirement Celebration for QSS Custodian Wayne Wright (9/27)

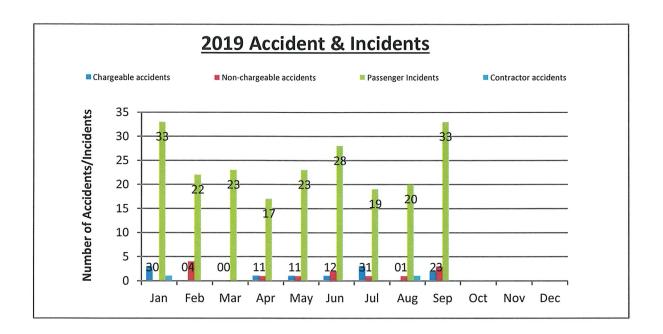
One FREEdom Pass How to Ride Clinics

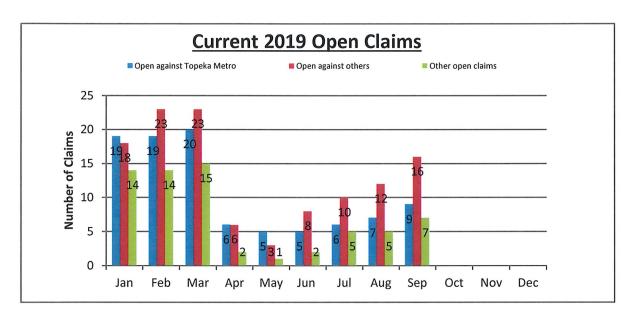
Note: The State Bus Roadeo competition was postponed from 9/29 until Spring 2020.











	Eligible	Recertified	Temporary	<u>Denied</u>	TOTAL	Appeals	(Appeals app) (Appeals den)	(Appeals den)
Jan 2019	15	18	_	~	35	0	0	0
Feb 2019	တ	17	_		28	0	0	0
Mar 2019	16	10	0	~	27	0	0	0
Apr 2019	16	18	ю	0	37	0	0	0
May 2019	9	ટ	~	0	12	-	-	0
Jun 2019	9	10	7	0	8	0	0	*
Jul 2019	14	10	—	0 -	25	0	0	0
Aug 2019	12	ၑ	-	0	19	0	0	0
Sep 2019	15	ၑ	0	0	21	0	0	0
Oct 2019					0			
Nov 2019					0			
Dec 2019					0			
Year 2019 Total	109	100	10	က	222	~	~	0

* In addition to the two temporary apps, June 2019 had two temporary visitors who were not required to complete an application for a total of four registered.