

# Meeting Minutes

## RAC-G: Public Education & Injury Prevention Committee

5/20/26 @ 10:00 AM

### Call to order

A meeting of RAC-G Public Education & Injury Prevention Committee was held via Teams link on 5/20/2026  
Sign in Sheet attached identifying members in attendance and those not in attendance.

### Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

Minutes from previous meeting approved as presented. Motion to approve by Julie Sperling, 2nd by Joni Barone. All in attendance in favor of approval as written.

**Purpose of Meeting:** Provide collaboration opportunity for entities impacting public education and injury prevention as well as those who provide care of injured patients within RAC-G.

### 1. Topic of Discussion

Discussed recent CarFit event - Technician course was canceled due to no RSVPs, but public event was held. Low turnout with only 2 cars, but 3 individuals went through CarFit teaching and left safer as a result. TxDOT is open to scheduling another technician course in the fall, but there will need to be guaranteed attendance before scheduling.

Chair & co-chair positions must be re-elected by July. Since they also must be approved by the board, they need to be submitted at the 6/30 board meeting. Our next meeting will need to include voting. Mandie reports that chair nominees should be actively involved with the RAC for 1 year and aligned with an organization in good standing with the RAC. Discussion on process and members present agreed nominations should be emailed to Brittany.Ray04@uthet.com with Mandie@Rac-G.org copied no later than Noon on June 12th. Aaron will then create a voting form to be used during June 17th meeting.

Fall prevention in Athens on June 2nd at 2PM - Julie & Brittany will be there to present. Brittany will follow-up on flyer.

Discussion on upcoming Take a Kid Fishing Day being organized by Kevin Jones at Lake Murval. Event is coming together nicely and he is still looking for volunteers who would like to run a booth. Brittany will be there on behalf of both UT and this committee. Lisa Modisette will be present to man a RAC booth. Mandie is working on a purchase of life jackets to be distributed at this event. Unknown how many at this time, but there will be at least a few to handout after fitting.

### 2. New Business

No new business discussed.

**3. Old Business**

No old business discussed.

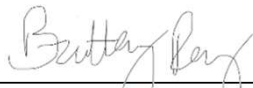
**4. Action Items**

Nominations for committee chair & co-chair need to be emailed to Brittany.Ray04@uthet.com with Mandie@rac-g.org copied no later than noon on 6/12/26. Voting will occur during 6/17/26 meeting.

**5. Announcements:**

Next meeting 6/17/26

**Adjournment:** 5/20/26 @ 10:35 AM



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Secretary: Brittany Ray

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Date