

Metro Transit Police Work Group Update

Committee of the Whole
February 16, 2022



Topics for this month's update

- Update on recommendations development
- Discussion on draft vision and information needs for quarterly reports

Plan for concluding work group's work

- Work group will report back recommendations to the Council by February 28.
 - Two remaining work group meetings: February 18 (added) and February 25
- Work group's recommendations and approach will address vision, priorities, considerations, and ideas for data/information.
- Work group will recommend that Metro Transit and MTPD develop an action plan to advance the recommended vision and priorities and that Metro Transit/MTPD should bring the action plan to the full Council for approval in June 2022.

Discuss Draft Recommended Vision

Discussion topic: Below is the draft vision under development as part of the recommendations. The Work Group is developing priorities and considerations for each statement and is seeking feedback from all Council Members to incorporate in this work.

Draft vision:

1. Provide a quality transit experience for all, using an anti-racist lens, equity lens, and inclusive approach to transit safety, security, and policing
2. Address systemic issues by fostering community relationships and partnerships
3. Demonstrate responsive leadership and accountability for results

Discuss Data and Information for Quarterly Updates

Discussion topic: What transit security & policing data and other information does the Council want reported on a regular basis?

Background:

- The August 2021 business item forming the Police Work Group assumes there will be quarterly updates on transit security by Metro Transit/MTPD to the full Council.
- Per the business item, part of the Police Work Group's role is to identify information and data that should be included in these quarterly updates.
- The work group has discussed the importance of using both quantitative and qualitative data.

Next Steps

Remaining Work Group Actions:

- Next Work Group Meeting: February 18, 2022
- Final Work Group Meeting: February 25, 2022
- Recommendations Due: February 28, 2022

Proposed Next Steps:

- **March 2022:** Committee of the Whole Discussion of Work Group Recommendations with Metro Transit and MTPD
- **May 2022:** Committee of the Whole Discussion on Metro Transit/MTPD draft action plan
- **June 2022:** Metro Transit/MTPD bring the revised action plan to the Council for approval
- **By July 2022:** Action plan implementation in progress



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