Council Performance Measures Status Update

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Today's objectives:

- Provide a high-level update on Council Performance Measures reporting for executive management
- Discuss whether you want to review measures as part of your work



Council Performance Measures Overview

- Identifies the Metropolitan Council's contributions to regional outcomes in Thrive
- Audience: Executive Management
- Aims to elevate and inform decisions on shared goals, risks, and opportunities
- Part of broader accountability efforts
- How it will be used will guide the next iteration



Starting Place

Enterprise Performance ≠ CD + ES + MT + MTS + RA

Applying Thrive principle of integration:

- There are cross-divisional objectives and strategies that yield results that no one division can accomplish alone
- While decisions tend to happen at the division level, there is coordinating, info-sharing, and strategy-setting that can happen at the Executive Team level



Framework

- Council Contribution Statement: a short, measurable statement that articulates how the Council's work helps advance the regional outcomes in Thrive
 - Called "Strategic Objective" or "Objective" in some strategic planning frameworks
- Measures will tell us how well are we doing this work and what results we are producing in the region because of this work
- Results Based Accountability (RBA)



Data Product	What does it measure?	What does it tell us?	Primary audiences
Thrive Indicators	Population well-being across the five Thrive outcomes	How is our region doing? Are Thrive policies leading to the results the region desires?	External and internal stakeholders across the region
Council Performance Measures	Efficiency, quality, and end results of Metropolitan Council's contributions to regional outcomes articulated in Thrive	What is the Met Council contributing to these regional results? •How much did we do? •How well did we do it? •Is anyone better off?	Executive Management
Performance Measures in divisions	Efficiency, quality, and end results of each division and departments within divisions	What is the division contributing to Met Council or regional results? •How much did we do? •How well did we do it? •Is anyone better off?	Division heads Division managers Employees in the division

Framework

	Operations and Services	Planning, Collaboration, Assistance, Incentives	Internal Business Functions	
Stewardship	Over 40 measures currently populate this matrix			
Prosperity				
Equity				
Livability				
Sustainability				



Criteria for Selecting Measures

- Speaks to the Council's mission, unique contributions, or added value
- Has Council-wide significance
- Hits on multiple Council contributions or multiple Thrive
 Outcomes
- Can be stated in plain language; "clarity of concept"
- Possesses proxy or representative power
- Based on reliable and valid data
- Allows for comparisons over time, with peers, with standards



Current Status

- Created a "catalogue" of possible measures
- Summer 2017
 - Work towards dashboard and more in-depth report
 - Continue to develop data for measures unavailable today



What's Next...

...depends, in part, on your interest in this work

- Do you envision seeing this type of report in this committee on a regular basis?
- If so, what would be most interesting or useful to you?
- Other thoughts?



