Metropolitan Council

Information Item

Management Committee



Meeting Date: May 11, 2022

Topic

Support for the Revenue Equipment Technician workforce pathway

District(s), Member(s): All Policy/Legal Reference: NA

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Division/Department: Regional Administration/HR Workforce Development

Background

The Workforce Development department is collaborating with Metro Transit to deliver a new pathway program that will build new revenue equipment technician workforce reflective of the communities we serve.

The request of \$90,000 for this one-time funding source for this pilot program using the Councils' General fund – Thrive 2040 equity money to contract with a local technical academic provider to deliver Revenue Equipment Technician curriculum. If agreeable, a formal budget amendment will be brought before you in a future meeting.