



### THE PLAN

### Building a better transit system together

### Outreach

- Engaging with riders, community members, local leaders, as well as frontline employees and security staff, through virtual town halls, listening sessions, surveys and focus groups
- 2 Partnering with the Coalition of Communities of Color to ensure feedback from a range of voices reflecting all those we serve

### Research

- 3 Identifying best practices in the transit industry for public safety and equity
- 4 Analyzing regional security challenges and TriMet incident data to identify opportunities for different security approaches

### Inform

(5) Gathering a committee of regional thought leaders and national transit safety experts to advise TriMet as we move forward on community-informed safety efforts



## **Project Timeline at a glance**

July	August	September	October
Develop engagement	Listening sessions	Listening sessions	Transit Safety Advisory Committee
	Rider online surveys	Rider online surveys	Recommendations to GM
	Partner online surveys	Partner online surveys	
	Virtual town halls	Virtual town halls	
	External & internal research	External & internal research	
		Transit Safety Advisory Committee	



# Community Outreach, Engagement and Listening Phase

TriMet is in the process of reaching out to dozens of culturally specific and community based partners to help inform the process, convene focus groups, and gather feedback

AARP	Disability Rights Oregon	Living Cully	PCC
Africa House (IRCO)	Division Midway Alliance	Muslim Education Trust	PUAH
African American Holistic Health	Don't Shoot Portland	Metropolitan Family Services	Rosewood Initiative
Organization			
Albina Ministerial Alliance	East County Rising	Multnomah County Youth Commission	Self Enhancement Incorporated
APANO	El Programa Hispano	NAACP	Slavic Advisory Board
Asian Family Center (IRCO)	Familias en Acion	NARA	Slavic Network of Oregon
Asian Health & Services Center	Guerreras Latinas	NAYA	SWEC
Basic Rights Oregon	Hacienda	New Avenues For Youth	Unite Oregon
Beyond Black	HAKI	Outside IN	Urban League of Portland
Central City Concern	HINT	PAALF	Verde
Centro Cultural	Homeplate Youth	OPAL	Virginia Garcia
Clackamas Community Co.	Impact NW	PCRI	Vision Action Network
Clackamas Services Center	IRCO	Street Trust	Voz
Clackamas Workforce Partnership	JOIN	Peace Community Collaborative	Washington Co. Strives
Coalition of Communities of Color	Kairos PDX	POIC	Wisdom of the Elders
Community Action	Latino Health Coalition	PCC	Word is Bond
Constructing Hope	Latino Network	PUAH	Work source
	Lifeworks NW	Living Cully	

PCUN, All Hands Raised, Friendly House, Causa /Forward together / Q Center



## Forming a Transit Safety Advisory Committee

A committee of regional thought leaders and national transit safety experts to advise TriMet on recommendations for moving forward on community-informed safety efforts

- Community Representatives from each of the 3 counties
- Local representation from communities of Color
- Local representation from the Black, Indigenous and People of Community organizations
- Local representation from LEP Community Organization
- Local representation From Immigrant services organizations
- Local representation from Behavioral Health community
- Local representation from Houseless services community
- Local representation from sexual orientation and gender identity services organization
- Local representation from Disability services organization
- Local Law Enforcement representation
- National expert in Transit Safety
- National expert in Public Transit



## Project Research Partners



Local system Incident and Safety outcomes / system crime & code incident review



Transit Systems Promising Practice Research



Local Market Research, Focus Group Parameters, Online Survey support



Project Design Consultation, Community Focus Group Coordination, Community Feedback Report Development & Synthesis



#### Get Involved

Share your opinion on safety, security presence, training, partnerships and non-police community-based initiatives. Learn more about participating in an upcoming focus group and take a survey at trimet.org/public safety

Questions or comments? Email us at equity@trimet.org or call 503-962-2244

### **Questions?**

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