



TriMet Reimagine Public Safety Advisory Committee – Virtual Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 18, 2022

3:30pm – 5:00pm

Additional Panelists Present	Committee Members Present	Committee Members Not Present
Amparo, Agosto - Coordinator, Senior, Community Engagement Programs, TriMet	Ray Atkinson - Transportation Systems Analyst, Clackamas Community College	Scott Brumitt - Residential Services Manager, Northwest Housing Alternatives
Marissa Clarke - Coordinator, Senior, Community Engagement Programs, TriMet	Jan Campbell - Board President, Disability Rights Oregon	Frederick Casey - Vice President, ATU757
Leah Drebin - Multnomah County Public/Behavior Health Reimagine Community Coordinator	Adam Jenkins - Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon	Jonath Colon - Deputy Director, Centro Cultural
John Gardner - Director, Equity, Inclusion & Community Affairs, TriMet	Annadiana Johnson - Committee on Accessible Transportation member	Lee Helfend - Organizing Director, OPAL
Martin Gonzalez - Manager, Community Engagement Programs, TriMet	Zach Lindahl – WACO chamber of commerce- filling in for Nansi Lopez	
Dr. LaVerne Lewis - TriMet Board of Directors	Joseph McCleary - Outreach Worker, Homeplate Youth Services	
Jessica Stanton – Global Communications Facilitator	Jairo Rios-Campos - Recreation Manager, City of Fairview (PlayEast)	
Pat Williams – Director, Security & Emergency Management, TriMet	Celess Roman - Resource & School Outreach Manager, Clackamas Service Center	
Andrew Wilson – Director, Safety & Security Division, TriMet	Wendy Sell - Service Coordinator, Lifeworks NW	
	Lonnie Silva - Housing Program Supervisor, Urban League of Portland	
	Kasi Woidyla - Marketing Communications Director, Virginia Garcia Memorial	
	Mahesh Rao Udata – Community Members	
	Cesar Tapia-Chavez - Educational Access Program Manager, Latino Network	

This meeting was recorded and can be found on: <https://trimet.org/publicsafety/>

For those wishing to provide public comment, please sign up prior to future meetings by emailing: reimaginepublicsafety@trimet.org or put your name in the chat during the meeting.

- 3:30pm – 3:35** **Advise- this meeting is being recorded. (Marissa Clarke)**
- 3:35pm – 3:40pm** **Welcome, introductions, name, pronouns, organization & minutes approval (Dr. LaVerne Lewis)**
 - Minutes approved
- 3:40pm – 3:45pm** **Agenda & Meeting goals (Marissa Clarke)**
 - Public will be able to address the committee under Community feedback.
 - Committee Activities slide- next six months.

[Marissa Introduces Pat Williams]

- 3:45pm – 3:55pm** **Safety & Security update. (Andrew Wilson & Pat Williams)**
 - Safety Response Team staffing update. Good mix with education and lived experience. Positive feedback & service referrals. Kindness while keeping everyone safe.
 - Assault statistics. Reduce operator assaults- identify lines with the most assaults.
 - Tracking stats/ problems in regards to travelers (Annadiana Johnson)
 - If we can, we will. Will evaluate more. (Pat Williams)
 - Interesting to see the times and the bus lines w/ the stats. (Dr. LaVerne Lewis)

- We have them, we're focusing on their lines in SE & NE PDX. *(Pat Williams)*

[Pat introduces Andrew Wilson]

Brief intro & role. *(Andrew Wilson)*

[Dr. LaVerne Lewis introduces Jessica Stanton]

3:55pm–4:00pm **Facilitator Role.** *(Jessica Stanton)*

- Guidelines with set criteria that meets public forums. *(Dr. LaVerne Lewis)*
- Will look at guidelines and see if there's anything to add. *(Jessica Stanton)*

4:00pm–4:20pm **RFP Final Review** *(John Gardner)*

- RFP Scope of Work review and discussion.

Did we get it right? - *(Jessica Stanton)*

- Individuals living with a disability or Mobility device are not included. *(Jan Campbell)*
- Good conversation for the committee- should we add it? *(John Gardner)*
- Accessibility left off the list of groups for support training. Vague and not specific. *(Kasi Woityla)*
- What's missing? *(Jessica Stanton)*
- Identify groups we want to target *(Kasi Woityla)*
- Community grant and training funds - have them work with fare enforcement. *(Joseph McCleary)*
- That's a presence issue. Should SRT come & explain what they're doing? *(John Gardner)*
- Add disabilities to category one? *(Jessica Stanton)*
- Yes- add it. *(committee agrees)*
- Doesn't see a process. Wait till later for checks and balances? *(Annadiana Johnson)*
- Application should have specific questions and not as many. *(Kasi Woityla)*
- How will we determine that we've made it? What objectives *(Adam Jenkins)*
- RFP clarification. Timeline and funding. How we're going to score it- application. *(John Gardner)*
- Grass root organizations apply? Make sure it's not difficult for them to apply. *(Jan Campbell)*
- Timeline for input from the committee by **1/28/22**. *(Jessica Stanton)*
- Committee feedback by **Friday at 12:00pm**. New draft by Monday *(John Gardner)*
- Does that work for everyone? Good discussion = stronger RFP. *(Jessica Stanton)*

4:20pm–4:30pm **Consortium Update** *(Marissa Clarke)*

- Updates on projects shaping RPS conversation. Next steps- workshop Spring 2022

4:30pm–4:40pm **Introduction to Multnomah County Behavioral Health Partnership** *(Leah Drebin)*

- Objective, timeline goal, efforts month to date. Crisis Team overview & next steps.
- Other stakeholders that should be in this group? *(Jessica Stanton)*
- Not all could fit on slide. Send Leah contact information for groups that could attend. *(Leah Drebin)*
- Vital work accomplished during Covid. Committee wants all the information. *(Dr. LaVerne Lewis)*

4:40pm–4:50pm **Community Feedback** *(Dr. LaVerne Lewis)*

- Next Steps & Questions. Invite community members to participate.

Project Feedback *(Dr. LaVerne Lewis)*

- No public comment was brought forward at this meeting.

Measure success of RFP? *(Jessica Stanton)*

Schedule or calendar with milestones and goals- see if we're reaching them. *(Celess Roman)*

- Schedule for the application process. Where to obtain this information. *(Celess Roman)*
- Accomplish with training? Deliverables? Increase applications with questions targeted at grass root organizations. *(Kasi Woityla)*
- The feedback we want- easier to edit 4-5 questions. Take time & give input *(John Gardner)*
- Other thoughts or questions about RFP? *(Jessica Stanton)*
- Send thoughts by 12pm on Friday. Revised & sent out by Monday morning. *(John Gardner)*

On behalf of the board- thank you. *(Dr. LaVerne Lewis)*

Close with reminders- *(Marissa Clarke)*

4:49pm

Meeting End–