# Customer Experience & Service Performance Committee

### OCTOBER 17, 2024 9:00 AM

CHAIR: MR. JOHN VALLE MEMBERS: MR. CHARLES RECTOR, AND MS. RENEE GREENE



## METRO RTA CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE PERFORMANCE COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA ROBERT K. PFAFF TRANSIT CENTER BOARD ROOM THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2024

ITEM 1: CALL TO ORDER

ITEM 2: <u>APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE SEPTEMBER</u>

**MEETING** 

**SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS:** 

**Operator Retention Report | Jarrod Hampshire** 

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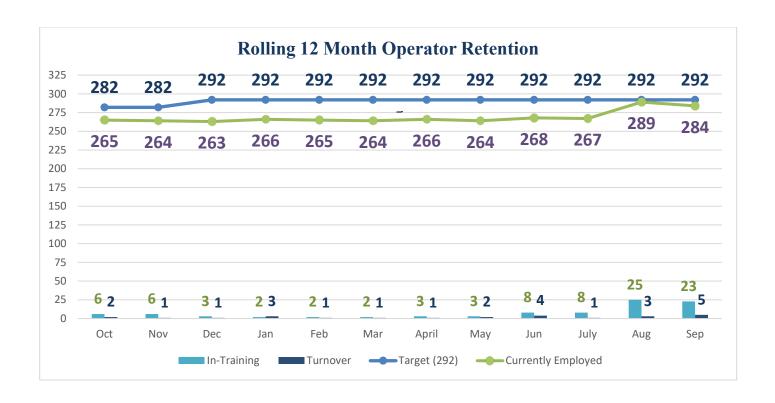
ITEM 4: <u>RESOLUTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION:</u>

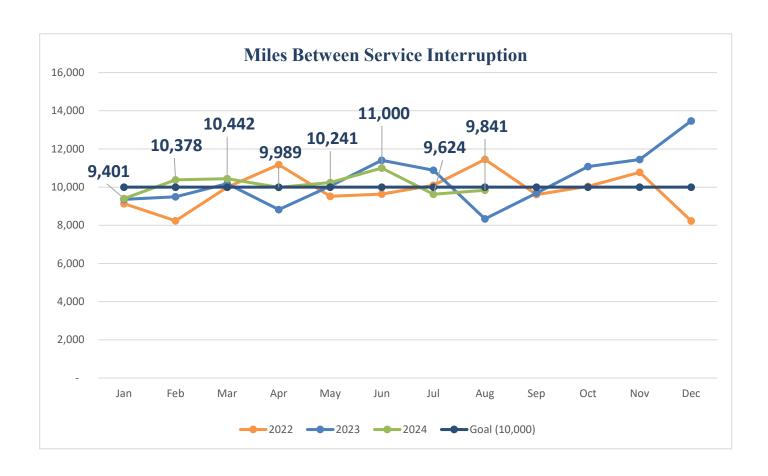
ITEM 5: OTHER BUSINESS:

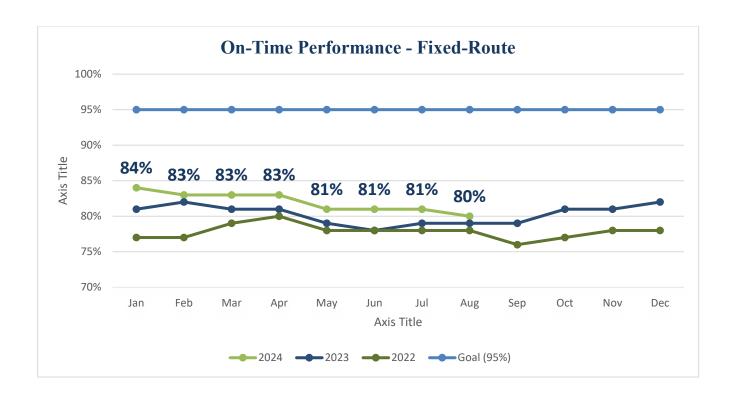
• Maintenance and Operation Facility Update | Jarrod

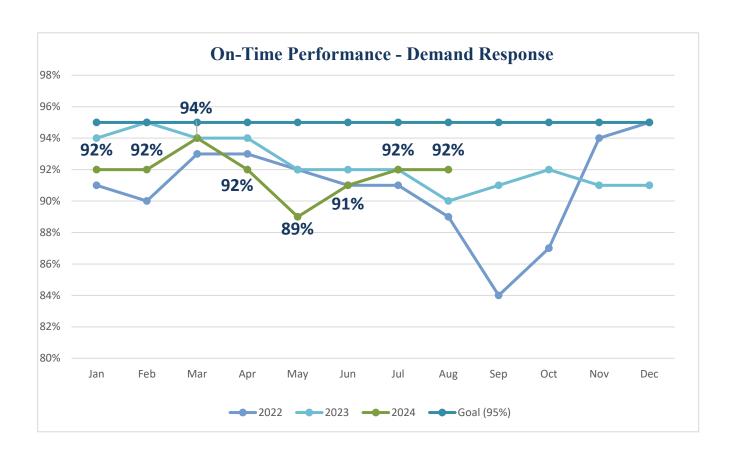
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ITEM 6: <u>CALL FOR ADJOURNMENT</u>









## METRO RTA CUSTOMER EXPERIENCE AND SERVICE PERFORMANCE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES ROBERT K. PFAFF TRANSIT CENTER BOARD ROOM THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2024

Committee

**Members Present:** John Valle and Chuck Rector

**Trustees Present:** Bob Konstand, Nicole Squire and Robert DeJournett

**Trustees Excused:** Mark Derrig, Dana LaGarde, Renee Greene, Gary Spring

and Christine Marshall

**Trustees Absent:** Donald Christian and David Prentice

**METRO Team** 

Members Present: Gert Wilms, Jarrod Hampshire, Eric Scott, DeHavilland Mc Call,

Angie Neeley, Tatia Harris, Shawn Metcalf, Molly Becker, Jessie Dent Regina Mills, Grace Doyle, Laura Adkins, Nathan Leppo, Jamie Saylor

and Kyle Moeglin

#### CALL TO ORDER

Mr. John Valle called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

#### APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST MEETING

Mr. Charles Rector made a motion to approve minutes from the August meeting. Mr. John Valle 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. The minutes were unanimously approved.

#### **SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS**

#### **Operator Retention Report | Jarrod Hampshire**

KPIs were reviewed.

We now have 289 operators as of the end of August. Budgeted amount is 292.

#### **Maintenance Report | Eric Scott**

KPIs were reviewed.

#### **Operations Report | DeHavilland McCall**

KPIs were reviewed.

#### RESOLUTIONS FOR CONSIDERATION

#### **Resolution: 2024-15: Eric Scott**

Per Resolution 2019-18 METRO has an existing five (5) year contract with Gillig LLC for the purchase of up to 91 line service buses.

Mr. Chuck Rector inquired whether there were any other competitors. Currently, Gillig and New Flyer are the primary competitors, with New Flyer being fully compliant.

Ms. Dawn Distler mentioned that METRO was invited to join APTA's task force to address bus manufacturing issues. The goal is to help the industry by encouraging more competition, as some companies have gone out of business due to challenges with Buy America compliance and excessive bus customization. The FTA has requested a "white book" from APTA, which will outline the standard features and costs of a typical bus. Buses that meet these standards will receive priority for funding, while those with many customizations will be ranked lower. Another focus is on promoting joint procurement to involve more buyers. Ms. Dawn Distler also noted that sourcing all materials domestically increases costs.

Ms. Nicole Squire inquired about the remaining 20% that's not covered, asking if it's included in the budget. Mr. Jarrod Hampshire confirmed that it is.

Ms. Nicole Squire also asked if there are any concerns regarding Gillig's ability to fulfill the order. Mr. Jarrod Hampshire confirmed that the timeline is approximately 15-18 months, and Gillig is on track with delivery and supply chain requirements.

Mr. Chuck Rector made a motion to move the resolution, Mr. Robert DeJournett 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

#### **OTHER BUSINESS**

#### Maintenance and Operation Facility Update | Jarrod Hampshire

Structural steel is expected to arrive within the next few weeks. All building foundations have successfully passed their testing, and a dirt pad has been prepared in the shape of the building.

#### **CALL FOR ADJOURNMENT**

Adjourned at 9:16 am.
DAWN S. DISTLER, CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER/ SECRETARY-TREASURER
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