

TRANSPORTATION DISRUPTION: ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGE

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RESPONSIBILITY **PROVIDE FOR THE SAFE TRANSPORT OF** PEOPLE AND GOODS; RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PLANNING, OPERATIONS, AND **IMPROVEMENT OF THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY** TO SUSTAIN AND GROW A VITAL, THRIVING, AND EQUITABLE PITTSBURGH.

DOMI'S ROLE Mission and Function

- 1. Provide a single point of contact for transportationrelated matters
- 2. Deliver projects that respond to public needs
- 3. Coordinate policies and investments in the public right of way
- 4. Promote and enable growth through integrated, multimodal systems
- 5. Plan for and appropriately respond to emerging mobility technologies



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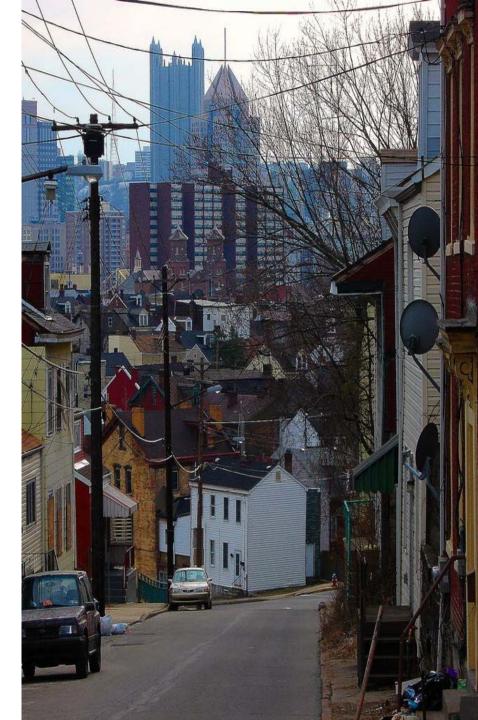


GOALS Measures of Success

- 1. Zero traffic-related deaths in the city.
- 2. Every household in Pittsburgh can access fresh fruits and vegetables within 30 minute travel of home, without the requirement of a private vehicle.
- 3. All trips under one mile are easily and most enjoyably achieved by non-vehicle travel
- 4. Streets and intersections can be easily and safely navigated by a 14-year old child.
- 5. The combined cost of housing and transportation consumes less than 45% of household income for all Pittsburghers.



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Planning and			Transportation			Project		
Policy			Operations			Delivery		
Planning	Policy	Permits	Traffic Design	Signs & Markings	Traffic Control	Engineering	Paving	Construction



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Expectation





CREATING A NEW DEPARTMENT TAKES MORE THAN NEW LETTERHEAD

WHAT WE REALLY DO

Consistent message and process

Educate: Mission & responsibility

Coordinate: work with stakeholders and partners

Set Priorities: deliver the policy, plans and projects that advance our goals

Process Changes: Establish standards

Business Practices:

Workflow between bureaus and with outside agencies



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FILLING THE GAP Consultant Services – Engineering

CAPITAL PROJECTS

- One-off work design orders for project delivery through Capital Budget
 - May be federally or locally funded projects
- 2. Project Management/Admin support for federally funded projects

OPERATING BUDGET

- Development Review, Administrative, Maintenance & Operations, Request and Council Requests
- 3. Embedded Structures Project Manager
- 4. Embedded Traffic Engineer



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Consultant Services - Development Review

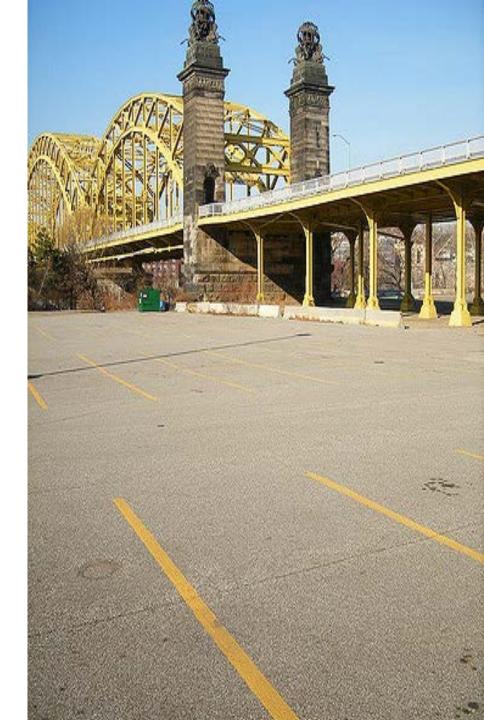
- 1. TIS Guidelines
- 2. Review of new ITE Guidelines
- 3. Staff Training

Frees staff up to work on policy and process changes

- TDM Interim Guidelines for New Development
- Street Vacation Process
- **Bus Stop Impacts**



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NOT A SILVER BULLET FILLING THE GAP DOES NOT FIX THE PROBLEM.

THE TRANSPORTATION WORLD IS SMALL GOOD WORKING RELATIONSHIPS AND CLEAR STANDARDS ARE GOOD FOR EVERYONE.





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