



# Officer Involved Shooting Dashboard

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Austin Police Oversight

# About Austin Police Oversight

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**Austin Police Oversight** is a separate and independent department from APD created to provide impartial oversight of the Austin Police Department's conduct, practices, and policies to enhance **accountability**, inform the public to increase **transparency** and create sustainable **partnerships** throughout the community.



ACCOUNTABILITY



TRANSPARENCY



PARTNERSHIPS

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## WHAT WE DO

- ✓ Separate, independent, civilian oversight
- ✓ Review all community complaints
- ✓ We have full access to all APD databases
- ✓ Make recommendations to the Chief of Police & City Manager related to discipline, administrative policies and training
- ✓ Educate community members about the complaint process, our reports and recommendations, and their rights when interacting with law enforcement

## WHAT WE DO NOT DO

- × We do NOT work for or report to APD or the Chief of Police
- × We do NOT oversee other law enforcement agencies
- × We do NOT oversee criminal cases
- × We do NOT administer discipline to officers
- × We are NOT the final decision-makers on issues related to discipline and training



# OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING DASHBOARD

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# About Officer Involved Shootings



- An officer involved shooting is when an APD officer discharges their firearm.
- APO's last OIS report was released in June 2020.

# Making Information More Accessible

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## The new Officer-Involved Shooting Dashboard was created to:

- Transform historical reports into an interactive tool
- Increase transparency
- Improve public access to information
- Support public understanding with data-driven insights

## What's included:

Demographics  
(subject &  
officers)

Incident  
Summaries

Use of Force  
Details

Trends over time

Geographic  
Mapping

Filter by district,  
year, etc.

# Data Governance



## Data Validation Processes

- Critical Incident Briefing (CIB) Info
- SIU Yearly Spreadsheets
- Internal Affairs (IA ) Case Files

# Overview Page

Overview

Officer Insights

Subject Insights

Incident Details

Total OIS cases

61

Self-Initiated vs Call  
For Service

38% / 62%

Officers & Subjects

154 / 61

Fatal vs Non-Fatal

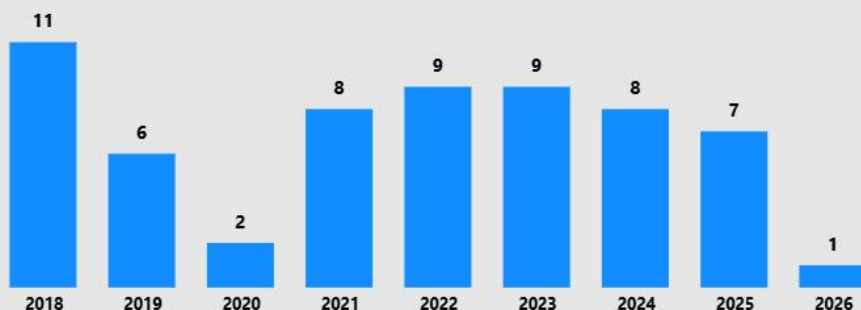
61% / 39%

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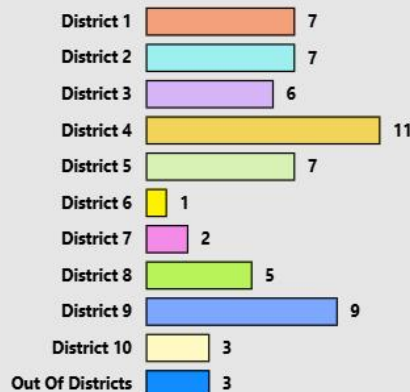
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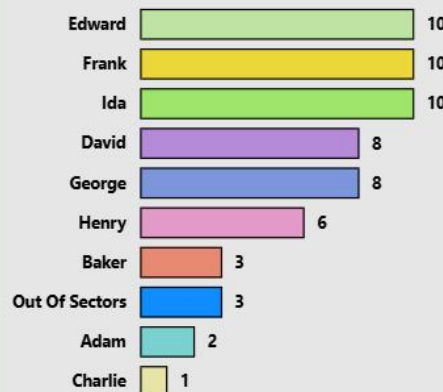
OIS Cases by Year



Council Districts



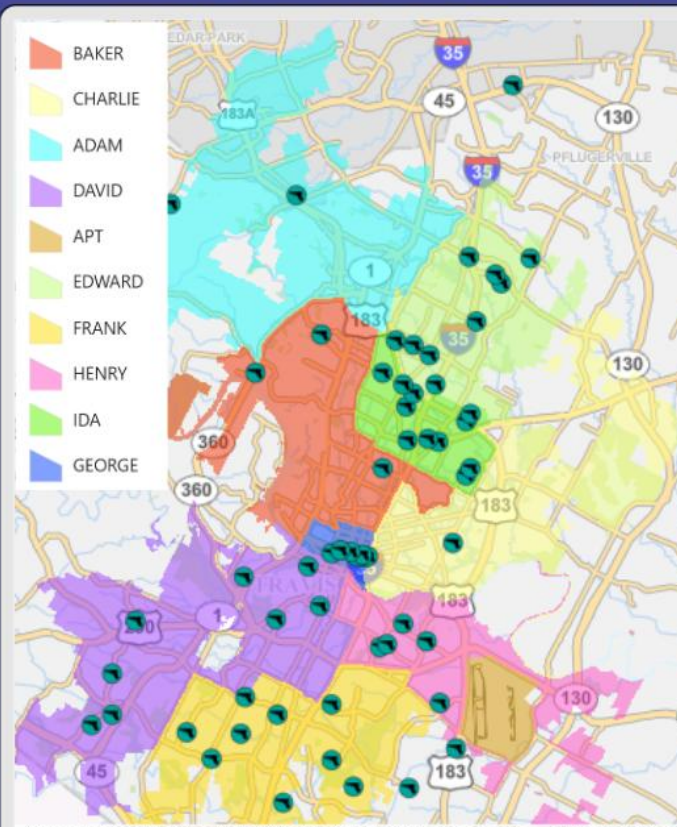
APD Sectors



APD Sector

Council District

Zip Code



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# Officer Insights

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Incident Details

Total Officers

154

Average Length of Service (Years)

6.21

Prior OIS Involvement

14.9%

Average Officer Age

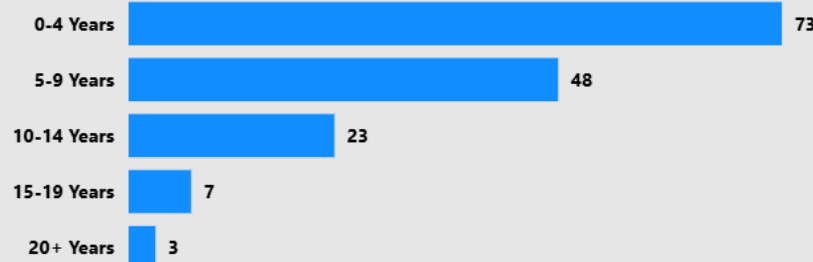
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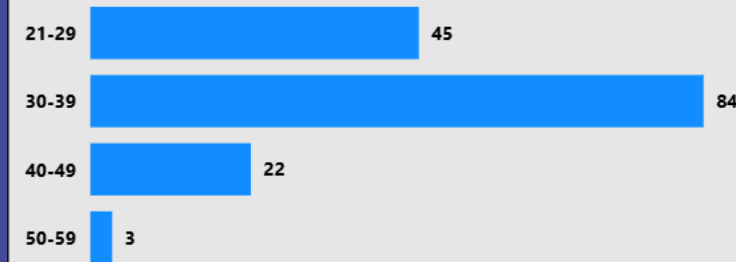
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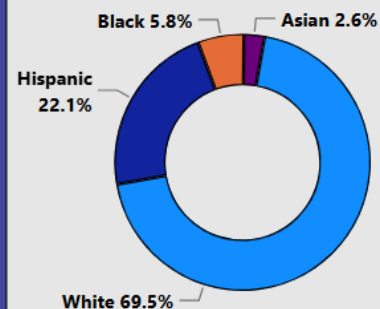
Officer Years of Experience



Officer Age Groups



Officer Race Breakdown



On average, 2.5 officers were involved per OIS Case.

Less-lethal weapons were used in 10 of 61 incidents...

On average, 5.5 shots were fired per involved officer.

7 officers were injured and 1 officer was killed in the...

Officer Weapon Breakdown



# Subject Insights

- Overview
- Officer Insights
- Subject Insights**
- Incident Details

Total Subjects  
61

Average Subject Age  
36.6

Male Subjects  
98.4%

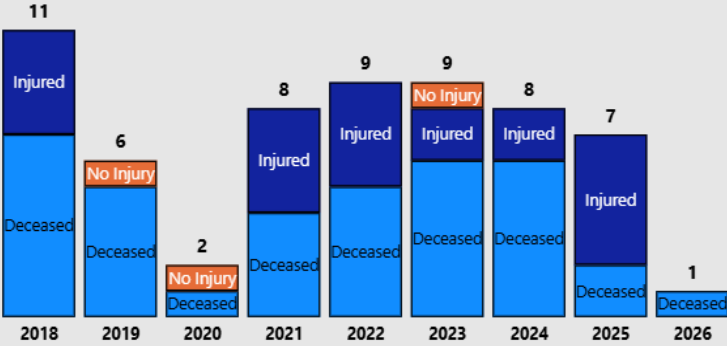
Deceased Subjects  
60.7%

Select Year

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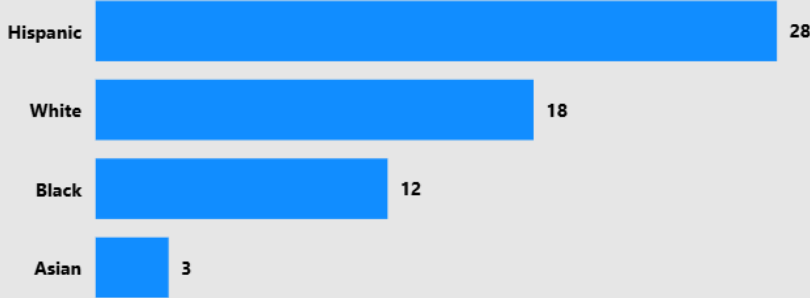
Cases by Year with Subject Injury Type



| Year | Injured | Deceased | No Injury |
|------|---------|----------|-----------|
| 2018 | 11      | 0        | 0         |
| 2019 | 6       | 0        | 0         |
| 2020 | 2       | 0        | 0         |
| 2021 | 8       | 0        | 0         |
| 2022 | 9       | 0        | 0         |
| 2023 | 9       | 0        | 0         |
| 2024 | 8       | 0        | 0         |
| 2025 | 7       | 0        | 0         |
| 2026 | 1       | 0        | 0         |

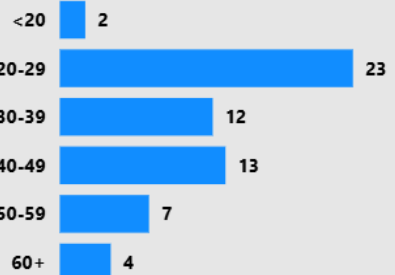
Subject Race Breakdown

More Insights



| Race     | Count |
|----------|-------|
| Hispanic | 28    |
| White    | 18    |
| Black    | 12    |
| Asian    | 3     |

Subject Age Groups



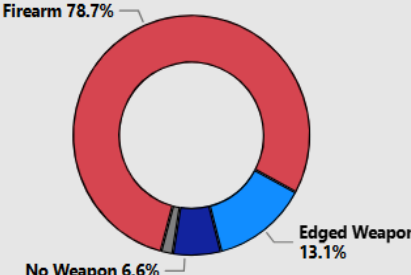
| Age Group | Count |
|-----------|-------|
| <20       | 2     |
| 20-29     | 23    |
| 30-39     | 12    |
| 40-49     | 13    |
| 50-59     | 7     |
| 60+       | 4     |

Hispanic subjects accounted for the highest share of fatal outcomes (43.24%).

3 subjects had no injury across all officer-involved shooting incidents.

There is 1 female subject across all officer-involved shooting incidents.

Subject Weapon Type



| Weapon Type  | Percentage |
|--------------|------------|
| Firearm      | 78.7%      |
| Edged Weapon | 13.1%      |
| No Weapon    | 6.6%       |

# Incident Details

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Total OIS Cases

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Fatal Count

37

Non-Fatal Count

24

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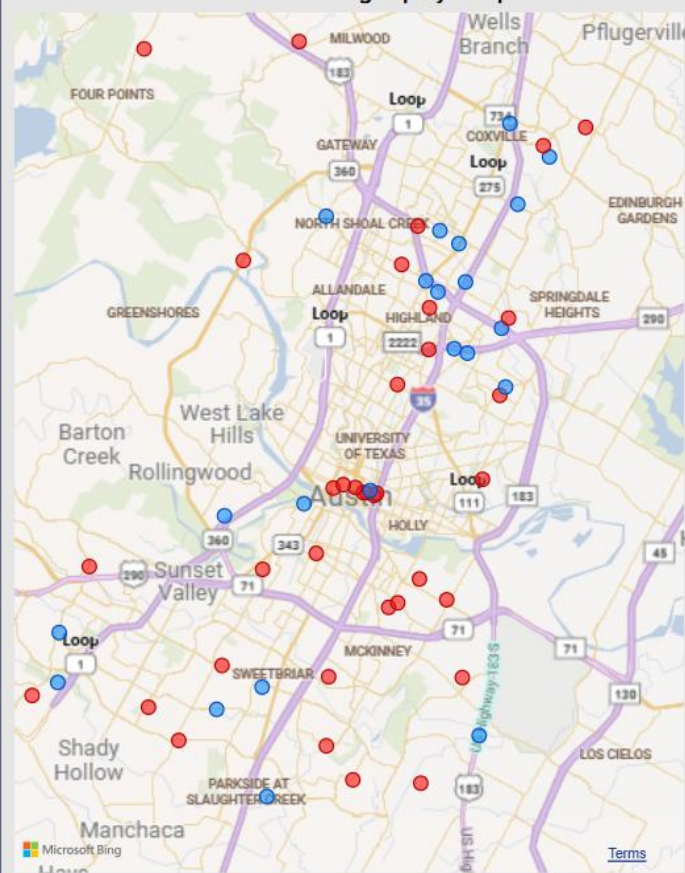
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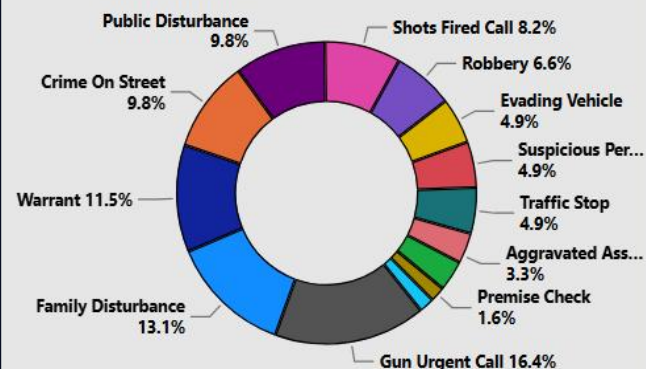


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Incident Geography Map



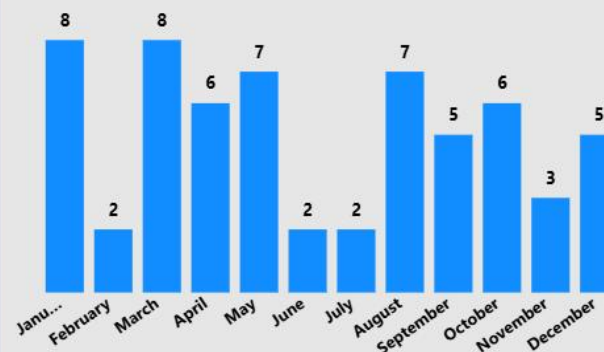
Reason for Contact



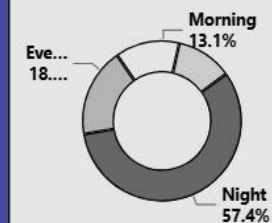
Incidents by Day of Week



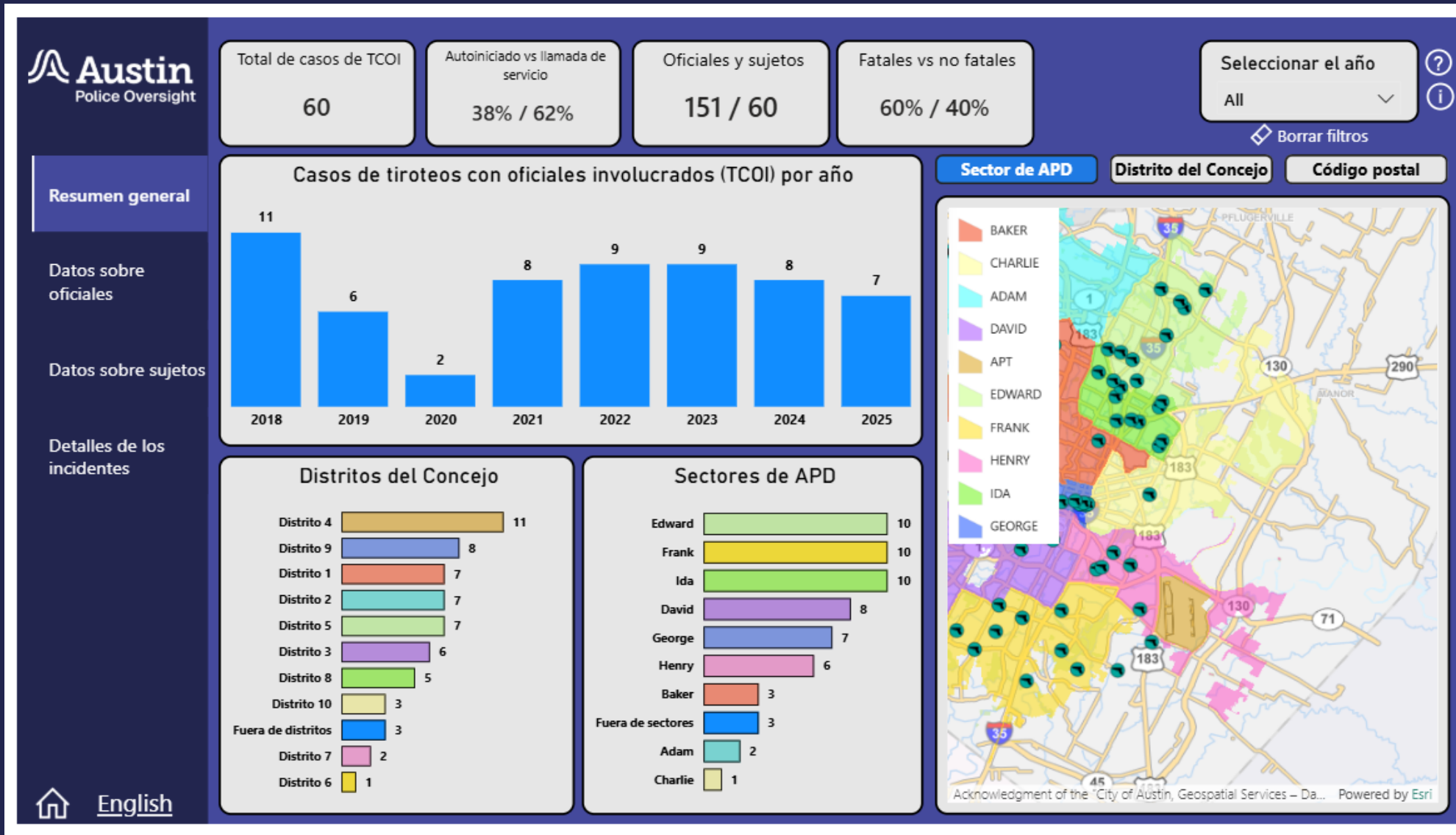
Incidents by Month



Incidents by Time of Day



# Spanish Dashboard



# User Accessibility and Testing

- English and Spanish language dashboard launched simultaneously
- User testing performed by APO staff and volunteers from the City's Shared Voices program
- Logical tab order, high contrast alternative color themes etc.
- Meets Federal web accessibility requirements (WCAG 2.1)



# What's Next?

- Establish a process for updating and maintaining the dashboard.
- Present dashboard to community and commissions.
- Create videos and materials to promote and educate community members how to use the dashboard.



**Questions?**



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