Office of Civil Rights, Equity & Inclusion

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Strategy

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CREI Vision

"Transform the culture of Sound Transit to fully embrace diversity, equity and inclusion as essential to the overall mission and strategy of the organization. Our goal is to create a workplace that values unique contributions to build greater understanding of our people, communities, and riders that enables us to achieve our mission."



CREI Mission

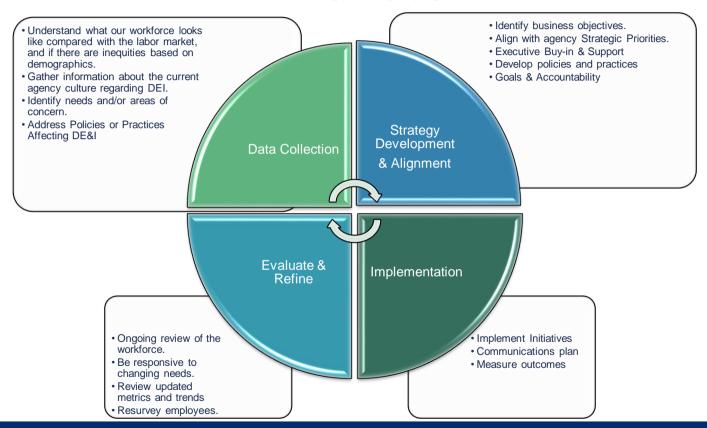
CREI works toward an equitable system that:

- Ensures businesses building our regional transit system represent the community we serve.
- Grows and sustains a diverse workforce, fosters an inclusive culture and builds organizational capacity.
- Ensures equal employment opportunity and equitable access to our programs, services and regional transit system.



Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DEI)

DEI Framework



DEI Strategy

Economic Development

- DisadvantagedBusiness EnterpriseGoals
- Small Business Goals
- Supplier Diversity
- Technical Assistance
- Capacity Building Mentorship Program

Inclusive Culture

- ➤ EEO Goals
- ➤ DEI Goals
- Employee Resource Groups
- Employee Resource Networks
- Inclusive Learning Series

Equity & Social Responsibility

- > Racial Equity Tools
- > Equitable Engagement
- > Equity Summit
- Undoing Institutional Racism Learning Series
- Budget Equity Tool
- Community Partnerships & Sponsorships

Compliance & Monitoring

- Complaints & Investigations
- Environmental Justice
- Title VI Equity Analyses
- Compliance Reviews
- Monitoring & Tracking

Anti-Racist Organizational Strategy



DEI Tools



2021 DEI Commitments

Increase representation of underrepresented groups

Ensure passenger focused and community centered experience through equitable solutions

Increase contractor diversity

Strengthen culture of inclusion

Finalize Anti-Racist Strategy & work plan

Implement equity tools



Questions

Thank you.



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