

Event Name

Briefing and conversation on TARC 2025 for monthly meeting of Metro Disability Coalition.

Location/Date

August 17
ATU Local 1447 Union Hall
2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Weather

Indoors

Team Participants

TARC Marketing and Communications staff

Attendees

14

Event Summary

TARC staff briefed the monthly meeting of the Metro Disability Coalition on the TARC 2025 plan - focusing on the financial challenges driving the plan, the plan schedule, and the three conceptual ideas TARC is asking for feedback on. Participants asked about the potential affects of the network redesign on paratransit service; ridership on old TARC routes that have been discontinued, and successful strategies from peer regions that TARC could look to. Participants urged TARC to maintain a strong focus on transportation for individuals who have few other options and to look to strategies like maximizing federal grants and looking to regional businesses for support.

Participant Description

70% Black; 30% white. Majority are individuals with a disability.

Photos

