

Office of Equity, Diversity and Inclusion South King County Fund

July 2020

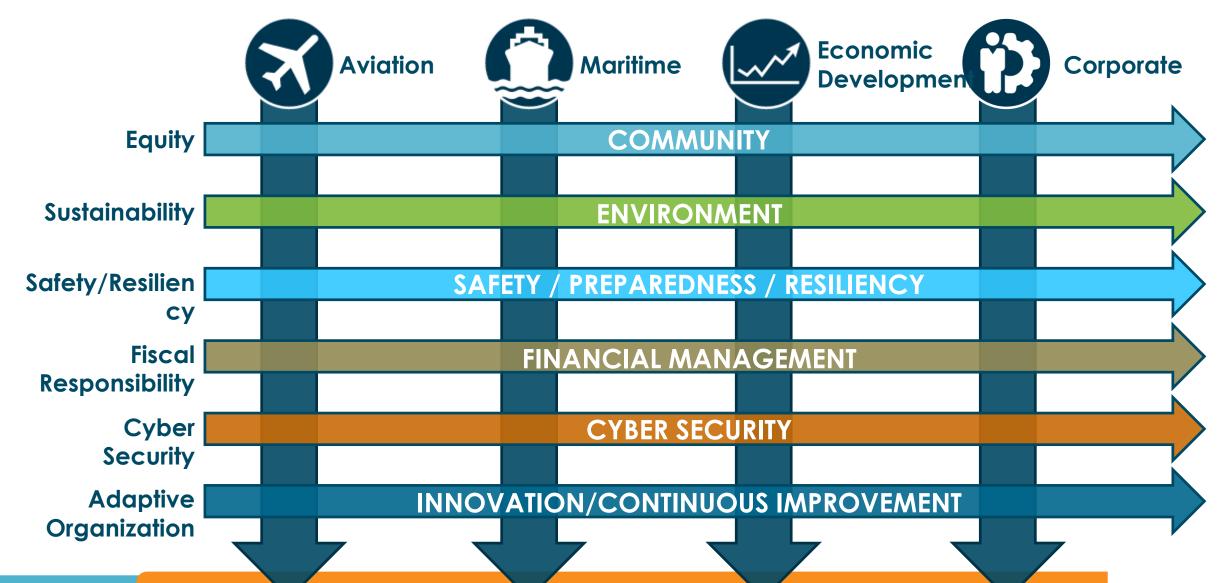


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Outline

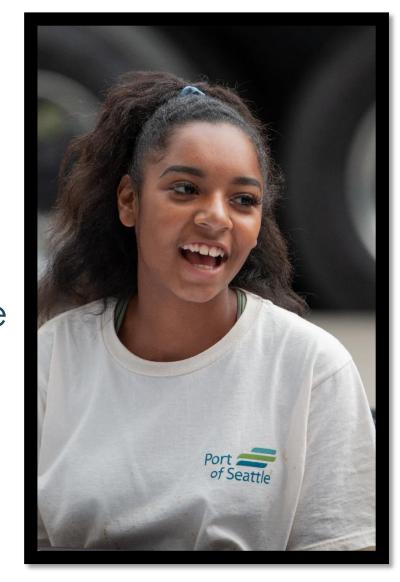
- Office of Equity, Diversity, & Inclusion Overview
- Economic Recovery
- South King County Fund

Port of Seattle's Interwoven Priorities



The Plan

- Purpose: OEDI's mission and work
 - Long term broad strategies,
- Guided by three concepts:
 - Build on previous equity work
 - Normalize, Organize, and Operationalize
 - Transactional and Transformative activities
- Results Driven



SKCF Commission History

2018: Motion 14

Creating the South King County Fund Motion

2019: Motion 10:

Development of the South King County Fund

2020: Motion 10:

Changing permissible uses of SKCF



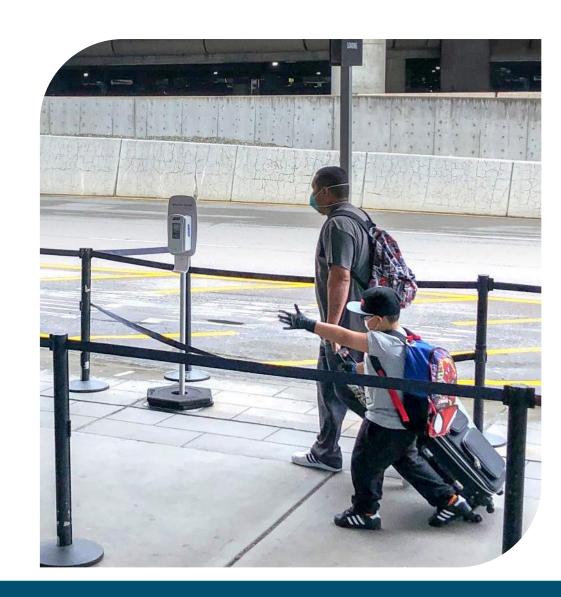
COVID-19

- March 16, 2020
 - Washington State issued a regional quarantine
- April 28, 2020
 - the Port Commission added "Economic Development" to the permissible uses for the South King County Fund, to support recovery for the region from the COVID-19 pandemic.
- June 2020
 - The Port Commission approved \$1.5 million dollar Opportunity Motion to provide summer jobs for 180 youth who have been adversely affected by the COVID-19 pandemic.

Equity Framework for Recovery

Core principles for economic recovery actions complement the Commission's directives on COVID-19 response:

- Integrate Values of Equity and Inclusion
- Prioritize the Most Vulnerable
- Mitigate Economic Loss
- Ensure Language and Cultural Competence
- Support Community-based Organizations



Funding Round 1, Summer 2020

- First round of funding, for non-profits and community groups
- The fund will support projects and programs in four focus areas:
 - Small business assistance
 - Workforce development
 - Job creation
 - Development of new, innovative economic recovery strategies



South King County Fund: Proposed Timeline

June 2020

 Plan for Funding Finalized

August 2020

Advertise RFP

December 2020:

Commission
 Approve SKCF
 Proposals

2021

 Next Cycle of SKCF

Youth Opportunity Motion, Summer 2020

- Seattle Goodwill will employ 60 youth for three full months
- Urban League, Apprenticeship and Nontraditional Employment for Women (ANEW), and Low Income Housing Initiative will employ 50 young people to work for three months in trades and construction
- Partners in Employment and MidSound Fisheries will employ 35 youth in green jobs
- Duwamish River Cleanup Coalition, Duwamish Valley Youth Corps, Friends of Georgetown History and Industry will employ 12 youth for habitat restoration and green jobs in the Duwamish valley



Questions?

Thank You

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