FY 2021 AGENCY QUARTERLY DIVERSITY AND EEO REPORT

AGENCY NAME:	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	N		
☐ 1 st Quarter (July -September), due November 6, 2020 ☐ 3 rd Quarter (January -March), due April 30, 2021			er (October - December), due Jai r (April -June), due July 30, 2021	•
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INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILLING OUT QUARTERLY REPORTS FY 2021

[NOTE: These forms are cumulative. For Q2, Q3 and Q4 use previous quarter's submission to update]

- 1. Please save this file as 'XXXX Quarter X FY 2021 DEEO Quarterly Report.Part I' where 'XXXX' is the commonly used acronym of your agency. You must submit this file in MS Word format. Please do not convert it to PDF.
- 2. Complete the "Diversity and EEO Training Summary" details in the attached Excel file. Under Section 10 ("Other"), include training classes coorganized or co-sponsored by your agency EEO and/or HR that are related to the development of the agency staff in the areas of equal employment, diversity, inclusion, civil rights, workplace culture and behavior, interpersonal relations, and community relations.
- 3. Mark progress in check boxes in the column for the current quarter. NOTE: DELAYED = behind schedule; DEFERRED = put off until later when better resources become available.
- 4. Please save the Excel file as 'XXXX Quarter X FY 2021 DEEO Training Summary", where 'XXXX' is the commonly used acronym of your agency. You must submit this file in MS Excel format. Please do not convert it to PDF.

PART I: NARRATIVE SUMMARY

Distributed to all agency employees?	☐ Yes, On (Date):
	☐ By e-mail
	☐ Posted on agency intranet
	☐ Other
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III. WORKFORCE REVIEW AND ANALYSIS

1.	. Agency Headcount as of the last day of the quarter was:							
	Q1 (9/30/2020):	5735 Q2 (1	.2/31/2020):5685	_				
	Q3 (3/31/2021):5	,606 Q4 (6	5/30/2021):5601					
2.	Agency reminded em	ployees to update self-ID in	formation regarding race/eth	nicity, gender, and veteran st	tatus.			
	☑ Yes , On (Date): _	_11/27/2020						
3.			rd sent to the EEO Officer wit		•			
		•	6/25/21					
	The review was conducted with:	 ☑ Human Resources ☑ Agency Head ☑ General Counsel ☑ Other ☐ Not conducted 	□ Agency Head	 ⋈ Human Resources ☐ Agency Head ⋈ General Counsel ☐ Other ☐ Not conducted 	 ☐ Human Resources ☐ Agency Head ☐ General Counsel ☐ Other ☐ Not conducted 			

IV. <u>EEO, DIVERSITY, INCLUSION, AND EQUITY INITIATIVES FOR FY 2021</u>

Please describe your progress this quarter in implementing the primary goals in Section IV of your Agency Diversity and EEO Plan for FY 2021 - <u>Proactive Strategies to Enhance Diversity</u>, <u>EEO and Inclusion</u>:

A. WORKFORCE:

Please list the Workforce Goal(s) included in <i>Section IV: Proactive Strategies to Enhance Diversity, EEO and Inclusion,</i> which you set/declared in your FY 2021 Diversity and EEO Plan (e.g., underutilization, workforce planning, succession planning and diverse applicant pool, among others):	Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to meet the Workforce Goal(s) set/declared in your plan. Include steps that were taken or considered to build an inclusive and sustainable pipeline for your agency across all levels.	Q1 Update	Q2 Update	Q3 Update	Q4 Update
Workforce: Overall objective is to build a diverse workforce that is reflective of the diverse City it serves by developing strategies to attract and retain high performers that are committed to DOT's organizational mission.	During this quarter, the Agency's HR Analytics Team and Performance Management Team continued building on its workforce diversity profile report using CEEDS data in conjunction with its own independent workforce analysis to review workforce demographics and to identify areas where underutilization exists within DOT. DOT has been looking at the composition of its various divisions, as well as drawing comparisons with broader industry and occupational demographics. DOT continues to utilize CEEDS, the Workforce Underutilization Report, and other Workforce Dashboard tools to establish a targeted plan to address underutilization and a working dialogue with Agency leaders and senior staff. DOT also worked diligently with	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			

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	Citywide EEO to make the CEEDS data even more useful with its discussions around new title mapping groups and adding work unit codes to the workforce composition data.				
Workforce: Overall objective is to build a diverse workforce that is reflective of the diverse City it serves by developing strategies to attract and retain high performers that are committed to DOT's organizational mission.	During this quarter, DOT's Human Resources division worked diligently to align diversity recruiting, internal candidate development, and equitable selection practices strategically with current employment needs.	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			
Workforce: Overall objective is to build a diverse workforce that is reflective of the diverse City it serves by developing strategies to attract and retain high performers that are committed to DOT's organizational mission.	In addressing the impending retirement of employees, DOT Human Resources Division annually reviews the workforce with senior management to identify potentially qualified successors and to discuss the competencies and skills to be developed with training.	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			
Describe steps that were taken or considered to address und exists in the current quarter.	derutilization identified through quarterly workforce	reports. Please list J	ob Groups w	here underu	itilization
To address underutilization, DOT did the following 1. The DOT HR Analytics Team and Performan in conjunction with its own independent workfe exists within DOT. We shared that report with	ce Management Team completed its workforce analysis to review workforce demograph a DOT's Executive staff, Deputy Chiefs and	ics and to identify ERG Leaders.	y areas whe	ere underut	tilization
DOT has been looking at the composition of its v demographics. DOT continues to utilize CE establish a targeted plan to address underutilized.	EEDS, the Workforce Underutilization Repo	ort, and other W	orkforce I		

The current reports draw on November 2019 personnel and payroll data. It provides a broad look at DOT's employees at the agency level and by division. The statistics compiled in the report parallel those developed by DCAS for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 NYC Government Workforce Profile Report.

- 2. Structured Hiring Initiative: the EEO, Diversity & Inclusion (EDI) office, together with Human Resources and the Executive team, developed a comprehensive guide for Hiring Managers, and Personnel Coordinators to follow when seeking to fill a position. The guide includes detailed information starting with the basics of a structured interview and the steps to be taking pre-interview through post interview. While structured hiring is encouraged for all interviews, it is mandatory for the hiring of titles of interest.
- 3. Continued to encourage employees to participate in civil service exams to promote growth towards advancement by sending e-mails with the schedule of exams, providing the link to specific DCAS exams, and posting schedules and exam announcements on the Agency's intranet. HR emails employees the DCAS Monthly Exam Schedule every month and continues to email civil service exam notices to the Agency Personnel Coordinators, who in turn distribute the information to all of their Division's staff. Information on exams is also posted on DOT's kiosks, bulletin boards, and intranet. Information is similarly passed on to those employees serving in lower level titles that are promotable.
- 4. The DOT Human Resources Division emailed employees the DCAS Monthly Exam Schedule every month. HR continues to email civil service exam notices to the Agency Personnel Coordinators, who in turn distribute the information to all of their division's staff. Information on exams is also posted on DOT's kiosks, bulletin boards, and intranet. Information is similarly passed on to those employees serving in the lower titles that are promotable.
- 5. Use the quarterly workforce dashboard (provided by DCAS) to identify specific job groups where underutilization exists to guide recruitment efforts.
- 6. Continued to reach out to non-traditional sources to generate applicant interest for underutilized titles. HR, for underutilized titles of interest, continued to post external job vacancy notices on multiple recruitment websites which target underrepresented populations.
- 7. DOT will continue to participate in job fairs which target underrepresented populations.

DOT will endeavor to maintain and update a roster of recruitment sources which target underrepresented populations, and will, where possible, send posting notices for titles of interest to those organizations.

B. WORKPLACE:

Please list the Workplace Goal(s) included in <i>Section IV: Proactive Strategies to Enhance Diversity, EEO and Inclusion,</i> which you set/declared in your FY 2021 Diversity and EEO Plan (e.g., job satisfaction/engagement surveys, exit interviews/surveys, and onboarding surveys):	Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to meet the Workplace Goal(s) set/declared in your plan. Include steps that were taken or considered to create an inclusive work environment that values differences that each of your unique employees brings to work, and to maintain focus on retaining talent across all levels.	Q1 Update	Q2 Update	Q3 Update	Q4 Update
Workplace: overall objective is to cultivate a flexible, collaborative, and inclusive work environment that leverages diversity and empowers all contributors. Building inclusiveness ensures that all employees feel included, connected, and engaged.	On September 21, 2018, EDI invited DOT employees to attend an informational session to learn about DOT's newest	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			

	Since the launch, EDI has established eight ERGs. This quarter ERGs participated in a series of virtual meetings with the Commissioner and other Senior leaders from the Executive team, to discuss a wide variety of issues affecting employees including, but not limited to, equity, Black Lives Matter and racial injustice, promotional opportunities, increased training, systemic oppression, hiring and onboarding, structured hiring, and more.			
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Live Q&A with DOT ERGs – Hosted by	
AACAN	
Wednesday, April 28 th	
12:30 pm	
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Asian Pacific Islander Heritage Month	
2021	
The Office of Equal Employment	
Opportunity, Diversity & Inclusion (EDI)	
and Asian Pacific Islander Association	
(APIA) is proud to continue DOT's	
tradition of celebrating Asian Pacific	
Islander Heritage Month in May 2021. All	
DOT employees are welcome and	
encouraged to attend virtual events.	
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1. Panel: Asian Pacific Islanders in	
the Creative Arts- Tuesday, May	
4 th 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM	
2. Movie Viewing:	
Minari- Tuesday, May 11 th 5:30	
PM - 7:30 PM	
3. Minari Discussion & Time	
Capsule Collab- Wednesday,	
May 12 th 12:30 PM- 1:30 PM	
4. APICON (Asian Pacific Islander	
Conference) for Health &	
Wellness- Tuesday, May 18 th	
12:30 PM- 2:00 PM	
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5. Panel: Career Development with	
DOT Asian Pacific Islander	

	Leaders- Tuesday, May 25 th 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM LGBT Pride Month 2021 CityTalk Panel Discussion: Proud Employees - LGBTQ+ Community Info Session June 11, 3-4:30PM RSVP for this DCAS event here: http://bit.ly/0611CityTalkLGBT Coming Out as a Family at Work and Beyond: A Conversation with Family Equality In partnership with the NYC DOT Working Parents ERG June 17, 11:45AM-12:45PM Understanding Gender Identity and Respecting Pronouns. Presented by Elana Lancaster June 24, 12-1PM			
Workplace: overall objective is to cultivate a flexible, collaborative, and inclusive work environment that leverages diversity and empowers all contributors. Building inclusiveness ensures that all employees feel included, connected, and engaged.	DOT Future Leaders: As mentioned above, in 2017 DOT launched the DOT Future Leaders Fellowship Program which is a competitive program designed to foster the next generation of leaders at DOT. This year-long fellowship provides 30 early to mid-career professionals from across every part of the agency the opportunity to	 □ Planned □ Not started □ Ongoing ☑ Delayed □ Deferred □ Completed 		

develop networking, communication, and presentation skills and connect their work to the big picture. Deputy Chief of Administration Lauren Antonelli organizes and leads events for the Future Leaders including guest speakers, panel discussions, interactive workshops, tours, and social events. Through conversations and interviews with your peers, Future Leaders will exchange ideas and experiences and ask questions to learn more about the inner workings of DOT. The program includes up to a month long rotation in another agency division and culminates with group presentations to pitch an idea to senior staff. The Future Leaders program complements the variety of professional development opportunities that DOT already offers. Diversity is one of the factors considered in the selection of candidates.

This quarter the Future Leaders had a ZOOM check-in and discussed the future of the program.

Please specify any other EEO-related activities during the quarter (e.g., postings, meetings, cultural programs promoting diversity, newsletters/articles, etc.) and describe briefly the activities, including the dates when the activities occurred.

DOT Leadership Academy:

In 2018, based on the feedback received from our town halls, DOT created the Leadership Academy, a program for seasoned employees looking to take stock of where they are and come away with some concrete plans and strategies for moving their career forward. Through self-assessment tools, skill building workshops, and panel discussions, participants will have the opportunity to meet members of the senior team and focus on how to best reach their career goals. The Leadership Academy is designed to complement the variety of professional development opportunities that DOT already offers. At the end of the program, participants will write a plan for taking the next steps in their career. Diversity is one of the

factors considered in the selection of candidates. The first 2 years of the program included 51 participants. Due to the pandemic, this program was cancelled for calendar year 2020, but we anticipate resuming the program before the end of FY 2021.

Equity Working Group:

COVID-19's disproportionate impact on historically disenfranchised communities, as well as the recent deaths of Black men and women during confrontations with law enforcement, have re-emphasized the need for open conversations around racial disparities and equity in all aspects of our society. Racial disparities and systematic racism are unfortunately, also a part of the present experiences of many members of the public, in their interactions with other government agencies throughout our nation, and this is particularly true for people of color.

Consequently, it is pivotal that the work that we do and decisions we make as the city's Department of Transportation (DOT) focus on promoting racial and social equity. The agency has several efforts underway to advance this goal, include three staff-level working groups; the Equity in Planning Working Group, led by Denise Ramirez, Strategic Planning Unit; Equity In Enforcement working group, led by Assistant Commissioner Kim Wiley-Schwartz, Safety Education and Outreach Unit; and the Equity in Infrastructure working group, led by Luis Gonzalez, Policy Unit . Each of these groups have a focused mission to address key areas of concern where policy change is needed.

These groups provide further opportunities for staff engagement and to cohesively communicate the sum total of these efforts back to staff.

- Agency Equity Initiatives
- Equity in Planning
- Equity in Enforcement
- Equity in Infrastructure

Environmental Justice Interagency Working Group

Environmental justice (EJ) refers to the principle that all people, regardless of race or socioeconomic background, have a right to live, work, and play in communities that are safe, healthy, and free of harmful environmental conditions. In order to advance environmental justice, New York City (City or NYC) must provide for the fair treatment and meaningful involvement of all New Yorkers in the development, implementation, and enforcement of environmental laws, regulations, policies, and activities.

Under the leadership of Mayor Bill de Blasio, the City has committed to environmental justice with nation-leading legislation to investigate historic and persistent environmental injustices and develop a plan to tackle these disparities. The legislation also aims to build equity and embed environmental justice into the fabric of the City's decision making.

The Environmental Justice program is centered on three main products, which include the delivery of an EJ study, portal, and plan. The EJ study will provide a comprehensive view of the present state of environmental justice in the City and inform the development and implementation of the remainder of the EJ program. The data and analysis from the EJ study will be used to create a public portal and mapping tool where New Yorkers can see what environmental justice looks like in their community. All of this work leads up to the creation of the City's Environmental

Justice Plan, which will identify possible citywide initiatives for promoting EJ and outline a set of discrete recommendations for better imbedding equity and environmental justice into the City's decision making processes.

These products will be developed and implemented by three distinct teams, including the Mayor's Office of Climate Policy & Programs (CPP), an Interagency Working Group comprised of staff from 18 City Agencies, and the Environmental Justice Advisory Board made up of nationally recognized EJ advocates and subject matter experts. DOT is one of the 18 agencies that comprise the Interagency Working Group. Denise Ramirez, Director, Strategic Planning Unit represents DOT at the Interagency Working Group. The staff from the Strategic Planning Unit (Jackson McNeil, Hilda Cardenas) are also part of several subcommittees tasked with developing the study.

C. COMMUNITY:

Please list the Community Goal(s) included in <i>Section IV: Proactive Strategies to Enhance Diversity, EEO and Inclusion,</i> which you set/declared in your FY 2021 Diversity and EEO Plan (e.g., community outreach and engagement, MWBE participation and customer satisfaction surveys):	Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to meet the Community Goal(s) set/declared in your plan. Include steps that were taken or considered to establish your agency as a leading service provider to the citizens of New York City focused on inclusion and cultural competency, while reflecting the vast communities that are served.	Q1 Update	Q2 Update	Q3 Update	Q4 Update
Community: overall objective is to facilitate outstanding culturally competent public service while strengthening collaborator and community relations through effective leadership and accountability.	In 2015, DOT launched the Street Ambassador Program to engage New Yorkers on their own terms. The unit is comprised of 10 multi-lingual public engagement specialists who develop outreach plans and provide support for DOT projects. Street Ambassadors target high-volume community locations to expand the public's feedback and knowledge of DOT's Street Improvement Projects. Ambassadors go where New Yorkers go: bustling streets, schools, churches, libraries, senior centers, movie theaters, supermarkets, and shopping centers. This approach allows DOT to establish a presence that builds trust and transparency throughout the planning and implementation process.	□ Planned □ Not started ☑ Ongoing □ Delayed □ Deferred □ Completed			

Community: overall objective is to facilitate outstanding culturally competent public service while strengthening collaborator and community relations through effective leadership and accountability.	Street Ambassador Program In 2015, DOT launched the Street Ambassador Program to engage New Yorkers on their own terms. The unit is comprised of 10 multi-lingual public engagement specialists who develop outreach plans and provide support for DOT projects. Street Ambassadors target high-volume community locations to expand the public's feedback and knowledge of DOT's Street Improvement Projects. Ambassadors go where New Yorkers go: bustling streets, schools, churches, libraries, senior centers, movie theaters, supermarkets, and shopping centers. This approach allows DOT to establish a presence that builds trust and transparency throughout the planning and implementation process.	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed		
Community: overall objective is to facilitate outstanding culturally competent public service while strengthening collaborator and community relations through effective leadership and accountability.	Mobility Management Program The Mobility Management Program (MMP) was established in 2012 to improve transportation access for people with disabilities, older adults, low income, and limited English proficient populations. MMP provides DOT staff with education, guidance, data, and coordinating outreach to these target populations. MMP conducted monthly outreach with organizations serving the Mobility Management target populations, including persons with disabilities (PwD), older adults, low income populations (LIP), and	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed		

	limited English populations (LEP) groups. Through monthly meetings, presentations and tabling outreach with community organizations, MMP seeks to strengthen relationships and communication with hard-to-reach populations and increase awareness of DOT's accessibility initiatives and programs.			
Community: overall objective is to facilitate outstanding culturally competent public service	Language Access	☐ Planned ☐ Not started		
while strengthening collaborator and community	Consolidation of Language Access and	☑ Ongoing☐ Delayed		
relations through effective leadership and accountability.	Increased Visibility for DOT	☐ Deferred		
	Consolidation of Language Access and	☐ Completed		
	Increased Visibility for DOT CSLACU continues to play an important role in			
	providing Limited English Proficient			
	(LEP) communities with vital translations			
	of the Covid-19 related DOT service			
	alerts. We have created an extensive			
	online presence with the new Covid-19			
	portal on the external DOT homepage. CSLACU contributed to DOT's Title VI			
	Program Accomplishment Report for			
	2020 and Work Plan for 2021, submitted			
	to the FTA on April 1, 2021. We included			
	the 2021 DOT Annual Report on			
	Language Access Implementation for			
	2020 and the 2021 Language Access			
	implementation Plan in the Title VI			
	Report Appendix. CSLACU increased its number of entries in the Title VI report to			

not only show DOT's commitment to its LEP customers, but to also emphasize DOT's role in supporting the civil rights of the disabled community within our agency and the community at large. CSLACU also participated in the June 5th FTA Triennial Review of DOT's Title VI Program and the June 29th, 2021 FTA Triennial Review Exit Interview.

Agency Requests for Translated Content

During the Fourth Quarter of FY21 the number of translations and translated pages decreased slightly with 32 requests for 132 document translations resulting in 155 pages, compared to the Third Quarter of FY21 with 34 document requests for 161 document translations, resulting in 163 pages. The FY21, Fourth Quarter numbers are still relatively high, in response to demand for DOT's Covid-19 related service updates being translated into the top ten languages. Thirty-two (32) documents were translated into fifteen (15) languages: Arabic, Bengali, Traditional/Simplified Chinese, French, Haitian Creole, Hindi, Italian, Korean, Polish, Russian, Spanish, Tibetan, Nepali, Urdu, and Yiddish. Six (6) DOT Divisions requested translations in FY21, Fourth Quarter:

Transportation Planning and	
Management, Executive, External	
Affairs, Creative Services, Grants &	
Fiscal Management, and IT&T.	
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. Interpretations	
Over the Phone Interpretations	
During Q4, CSLACU managed over-the-	
phone interpretation services. During the	
pandemic, it is more difficult to track the	
Units originating the calls, as many DOT	
employees are using out-of-office	
telephones which are more difficult to	
identify. During Q4, the number of calls on	
behalf of customers with Limited English	
Proficiency increased to 314 and 2,818	
minutes, up from Q3's 246 calls and 2,227	
minutes. These calls accessed <i>Traffic</i>	
Operations-Parking Permits. Seven	
(7) languages were accessed for a total	
duration of 2,818 minutes. In Q4, the	
number of languages used increased to 9 from 7 languages in Q3.	
In-Person Interpretations	
in-1 et son interpretations	
American Sign Language	
During Q4, Language Access processed	
seventeen (17) ASL interpretation	
requests on behalf of the Franchises/	
Concessions & Consents Unit and	
Executive Division, utilizing web	_

conferencing technology. The 17 requests		
for ASL interpretation resulted in a total		
of seventeen (17) interpretation events		
taking place online. The three CART		
interpretation requests resulted in a total		
of three (3) CART events taking place		
online. Interpretation for LEP		
Customers		
During Q4, CSLACU received		
multilingual interpretation requests for		
DOT outreach events from the following		
DOT Division/Unit: Traffic Planning &		
Management. In this reporting period		
there were twenty one (21) requests for		
in-person interpretation, up from 4		
requests in $Q3$, due to a modified, but		
increasing reintroduction of DOT's Street		
Ambassador program during the Covid-		
19 pandemic. Covid-19 has impacted foot		
traffic and vehicular traffic to commercial		
business districts and DOT has started to		
resume increased numbers of surveys and		
studies to improve traffic, as the risk of		
Covid-19 is reduced.		
II. Language Bank Volunteers (LBV)		
Citywide Database		
In the 4th Quarter of FY21, eleven (11)		
LBV requests were processed through the		
Citywide LBV Database utilizing the		
services of NYCDOT language bank		
volunteers, up from one (1) request in the		
3rd Quarter of FY21.		

П.	Diversity Desktop		
•••	Publishing/Digital Graphics		
	CSLACU's diversity desktop		
	publishing and digital graphic		
	initiatives increase DOT's employee		
	awareness of the need for inclusivity		
	of the diverse populations DOT		
	serves and the availability of		
	Language Access services for		
	document translation, telephonic,		
	virtual, and in-person, multilingual,		
	ASL and CART interpretation.		
	CSLACU's diversity desktop		
	publishing and digital graphic		
	initiatives adhere to ADA		
	Compliance Guidelines. DOT's		
	internal SharePoint showcases LAD,		
	the Language Access Data portal to		
	translation and interpretation		
	services. Telephonic (over-the-		
	phone) interpretation is available by		
	directly contacting		
	<u>LanguageAccess@dot.nyc.gov.</u>		
	Graphic visibility for these		
	translation and interpretation services		
	are also displayed on DOT's external		
	landing page, addressing the LEP		
	customers' requirements for vital		
	access to DOT's Covid-19 service		
	updates, Mayoral initiatives, and		
	LPRs. Increased visibility of DOT's		
	programming affords the LEP		
	customer equal participation by		

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	providing multilingual translation and interpretation, and ASL interpretation.		
•	cify any other Community-directed activities during the quarter (e.g., meetings, educational and culture and describe briefly the activities, including the dates when the activities occurred.	al programs, promotion of agency services, con	nmunity

V. <u>RECRUITMENT</u>

A. RECRUITMENT EFFORTS

Please list Recruitment Strategies and Initiatives which you set/declared in your FY 2021 Diversity and EEO Plan (e.g., targeted outreach and outreach, diversity recruitment, social media presence, where jobs are posted, EEO and APO collaboration, evaluation of best recruitment sources, structured interview training and unconscious bias training):	Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to meet the Recruitment Goal(s) set/declared in your plan.	Q1 Update	Q2 Update	Q3 Update	Q4 Update
Development of a Structured Interviewing Guide	EDI office, together with Human Resources and the Executive team, developed a comprehensive guide for Hiring Managers, and Personnel Coordinators to follow when seeking to fill a position. The guide includes oThe Basics of Structured Interviewing oPre-Interview Hiring Requirements oThe Structured Interview oPost-Interview Hiring Requirements oUnconscious Bias oGoverning EEO Laws This quarter HR advised divisions personnel coordinators to begin entering interview information in NYCAPs, as required by all city agencies. This enables HR and EDI to evaluate the interview	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			

process.	
 Oversight at resume selection stage: Review by HR and EDI of resumes selected HR will hold hiring process if upon review there are candidates who are not qualified but are selected for interviews or if diverse and qualified candidates are not selected for an interview but based on a review of their resume they are determined to be otherwise qualified for the position sought. Will also confirm interview panels are compliant with the Structured Hiring Guidelines. EDI will approve interview questions. Will perform advisory role and will conduct post-audit review. 	
Oversight at Interviews and Candidate Selection • Review by HR and EDI after first (and subsequent) round interviews • HR will hold hiring process if upon review rating sheets from each round of interviews are not satisfactory and if applicants advancing are not otherwise qualified for the position sought. • EDI will perform advisory role and	

	 will conduct post-audit review. Review by HR and EDI for final selection HR will hold hiring process if rating sheets are not satisfactory and if final selection process did not follow Structured Hiring Guidelines. EDI will perform advisory role and will conduct post-audit review. 			
Implementation of DOT's Recruitment Plan	HR will, on a monthly basis, continue to distribute to relevant organizations DCAS issued Notices of Examinations for underutilized titles of interest. For these titles, HR will continue to post external job vacancy notices on multiple recruitment websites which target underrepresented populations and will maintain and update a roster of recruitment sources. DOT will also continue to participate in job fairs which also target these populations and when pictures are used in recruitment advertisements, diversity will be displayed. All advertisements will include a statement that the City of New York and DOT are equal employment employers and will include the Mayor's Office for People with Disabilities (which has access to DOT vacancies) as an important recruitment source for people with disabilities.	□ Planned □ Not started ⊠ Ongoing □ Delayed □ Deferred □ Completed		

Implementation of DOT's Recruitment Plan	In some titles where there is underutilization, we have reached out to non-traditional sources for applicants, including the following sources: • Advancing Women In Transportation • Society of Women Engineers • LatPro-Latin Professionals • CUNY Schools • National Society of Black Engineers • Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers • Nontraditional Employment for Women (NEW)	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed		
	In order to expand our diverse recruitment sources, all Agency job openings have been posted to the following websites: • AfricanAmericanHires.com • AllHispanicJobs.com • AllLGBTJobs.com • AsianHires.com • DisabilityJobs.net • DiversityJobs.com • LatinoJobs.org • VeteranJobs.net • WeHireWomen.com			

B. INTERNSHIPS/FELLOWSHIPS

The agency is providing the following internship opportunities in FY 2021 Q4:	
[NOTE: Please update this table every quarter]	

Type of Internship\Fellowship	Total	Race/Ethnicity* [#s] * Use self-ID data	Gender* [#s] [N-B=Non-Binary; O=Other; U=Unknown] * Use self-ID data
Public Service Fellows	3	Asian = 1, Unknown = 2	M _1 F _2 N-B O U
2. College Aides	88	Asian = 28, Black = 15, Hispanic = 17 White = 25, 2 or More Races = 1, Unknown = 2	M _53 _ F _34 _ N-B _1 _ O U
3. DYCD Interns	63	Asian = 36, Black = 7, Hispanic = 11 White = 6, 2 or More Races = 2, Unknown = 1	M <u>34</u> F <u>29</u>

Additional Comments:

In FY 2020, the agency hired 3 Urban Fellows and an additional 5 NYC Public Service Fellows. Due to budget restrictions, DOT hasn't hired Fellows from either program during FY 2021. DOT will participate in the next cohort of both programs, if we receive Budget approval.

In FY 2021, DOT will recruit both College Aides and Summer Interns from local and regional schools and via posting on the City's website. In addition to participating in career fairs, DOT will also hold agency-specific info sessions at CUNY schools in order to attract a diverse intern candidate pool. The agency will hire College Aides and Summer Interns during the last quarter of FY 2021.

In FY 2020, the agency participated in the DYCD (Department of Youth and Community Development) Ladders for Leaders Program, the Intern & Earn Program, and the Transportation Career Mentoring Program. In the first quarter of FY 2021, DOT was able to host Transportation Mentoring interns, and we will continue to participate in available DYCD internship programs during the remainder of FY 2021.

In FY 2021, if the agency's budget allows, DOT will also participate in the CUNY Service Corps Program, which focuses on undergraduate students from diverse academic, socioeconomic, and racial/ethnic backgrounds, while providing training and support services.

C. 55-A PROGRAM

The agency uses the 55-a Program	to hire and retain qualified individuals with disabilities.	⊠ Yes	□ No	
Currently, there are _21 [numb	er] 55-a participants.			
_	_0 [number] new applications for the program were receiv pants left the program due to retirement.	red.		
	O [number] new applications for the program were receining the program due to [state reasons]	ved.		
During the 3rd Quarter, a total of _0 [number] new applications for the program were received. During the 3rd Quarter participants left the program due to [state reasons]				
_	2 [number] new applications for the program were receivipants left the program due to [state reasons] _retirement			
The 55-a Coordinator has achieved	the following goals:			
1. Disseminated 55-a information	– by e-mail: ⊠ Yes □ No in training sessions: ⊠ Yes □ No on the agency website: ⊠ Yes □ No through an agency newsletter: □ Yes ⊠ No			
2Ensured that all competitive jo	b postings included the 55-a language.			
3Notified participants about pro	omotional exams for which they qualify.			

VI. <u>SELECTION (HIRING AND PROMOTION)</u>

Please review Section VI of your Annual Plan and describe your activities for this quarter below:

Please list additional Selection Strategies and Initiatives which you set/declared in your FY 2021 Diversity and EEO Plan (include use of structured interview, EEO or APO representatives observing interviews, review of placements, review of e-hire applicant data)	Please describe the steps that your agency has taken to meet the Selection (Hiring and Promotion) Goal(s) set/declared in your plan.	Q1 Update	Q2 Update	Q3 Update	Q4 Update
Career Counseling: Advising employees of opportunities for promotion and career development; Notification of promotion/transfer opportunities	DOT posts information on the agency's intranet site regarding job openings, civil service exams, DCAS resources, agency training and professional development, and online learning and training. HR emails all employees updates to this site, including all new job postings. Agency Personnel Coordinators ensure that employees without email receive the same information. The Career Counselor and the Training & Development Office continue to advise employees regarding promotional opportunities and career development, both through individual meetings and by conducting group info sessions.	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			
Reviewing the methods by which candidates are selected for promotion or to fill vacancies (new hires), especially for mid- and high-level discretionary positions	While it is a best practice for all interviews to be conducted by a diverse panel of at least three people, with respect to interview panels of titles where underutilization exist, panels must be comprised of at least two people and must, except in very unusual circumstances, be diverse (that is, the panel must be	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed			

	comprised of at least one male and female, and must be comprised of individuals of different ethnicities). For higher-level discretionary positions, DOT also established a Promotion Review Committee (PRC) that is made up of the Executive Deputy Commissioner, the Chief Operations Officer (COO), the COO's Chief of Staff, the Commissioner's Chief of Staff, the Deputy Commissioner for Human Resources and Facilities Management, and the Assistant Commissioner for Equal Employment, Diversity and Inclusion. The PRC meets monthly to review all promotions for positions earning salaries of \$100,000 or more, considers and evaluates whether the promotions conform with agency policies and goals for a diverse and inclusive workforce, confirms that the promotions are equitable among staff with comparable job titles and functions across divisions, and certifies that the cost of the promotions are covered within the agency's budget.			
Reviewing the methods by which candidates are selected for promotion or to fill vacancies (new hires) filled through civil service lists	To fill positions through civil service lists, DOT's goal is to increase the number of employees taking civil service exams, and will advertise such opportunities by emailing all employees the DCAS Monthly Exam Schedule every month. Agency Personnel Coordinators distribute exam notices to all staff within their division and encourage qualifying employees to file for promotional exams. Information regarding exams is also posted on DOT kiosks, bulletin boards, and intranet. The Agency	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☑ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed		

	continues to increase participation in hiring pools, as well as pickup-and-transfer opportunities with other agencies. An HR representative participates in every civil service list call interview.			
Describe the role of agency EEO Officer and other EEO staff in the selection of candidates for appointment or promotion (pre- and post-appointment)	Divisions are encouraged to submit proposed interview questions to EDI and HR for review before interviews. EDI representatives also participate in interviewers as observers on occasion. There is also EDI oversight at resume selection stage: • Review by HR and EDI of resumes selected • HR will hold hiring process if upon review there are candidates who are not qualified but are selected for interviews or if diverse and qualified candidates are not selected for an interview but based on a review of their resume they are determined to be otherwise qualified for the position sought. Will also confirm interview panels are compliant with the Structured Hiring Guidelines. • EDI will approve interview questions. Will perform advisory role and will conduct post-audit review. There is EDI oversight on Interviews and Candidate Selection as well:	□ Planned □ Not started ⋈ Ongoing □ Delayed □ Deferred □ Completed		
	 Review by HR and EDI after first (and subsequent) round interviews HR will hold hiring process if upon 			

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	review rating sheets from each round of interviews are not satisfactory and if applicants advancing are not otherwise qualified for the position sought. • EDI will perform advisory role and will conduct post-audit review. • Review by HR and EDI for final selection • HR will hold hiring process if rating sheets are not satisfactory and if final selection process did not follow Structured Hiring Guidelines. • EDI will perform advisory role and will conduct post-audit review.			
Analyzing the impact of layoffs or terminations on racial, gender and age groups	There were no layoffs or terminations due to fiscal/operational reasons during the 3 rd quarter of FY 2021.	☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☐ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☑ Deferred ☐ Completed		
Other:		☐ Planned ☐ Not started ☐ Ongoing ☐ Delayed ☐ Deferred ☐ Completed		

During this Quarter the Agency activities included:	# of Vacancies	# _29	#	#	#
		4 2	_80	_110	_209
	# of New Hires	#2	#	#	#
	# of New Promotions	#4	_10	_16	_100
			#_3	#	#
				_13	_27

VII. TRAINING

Please provide your training information in Part II of the report "DIVERSITY AND EEO TRAINING SUMMARY" (in MS Excel).

VIII. REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION

Please report all reasonable accommodation requests and their disposition in the DCAS Citywide Complaint/Reasonable Accommodation Tracking System by logging into your CICS Account at: https://mspwva-dcslnx01.csc.nycnet/Login.aspx

IX. COMPLIANCE AND IMPLEMENTATION OF REQUIREMENTS UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDERS AND LOCAL LAWS

A. EXECUTIVE ORDER 16: TRAINING ON TRANSGENDER DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

Please provide E.O. 16 Training Information in Part II of the report "DIVERSITY AND EEO TRAINING SUMMARY" (in MS Excel).

B. LOCAL LAW 92: ANNUAL SEXUAL HARASSMENT PREVENTION TRAINING

Please provide Sexual Harassment Prevention Training Information in Part II of the report "DIVERSITY AND EEO TRAINING SUMMARY" (in MS Excel).

C. LOCAL LAW 97: ANNUAL SEXUAL HARASSMENT REPORTING

	e agency has e		al harassment Complaint	Data in the DCAS Cit	ywide Complaint Tracking System and updates		
		Q2 ⊠	Q3 🗵	Q4 🗵			
	e agency has en they occur.	ntered all types	of complaints in the DCA	S Citywide Complair	t Tracking System and updates the information		
⊠ The	e agency ensur	es that complai	nts are closed within 90 d	ays.			
Report all complaints and their disposition in the DCAS Citywide Complaint/Reasonable Accommodation Tracking System by logging into your CICS Account at: https://mspwva-dcslnx01.csc.nycnet/Login.aspx							

D. LOCAL LAW 101: CLIMATE SURVEY

Please provide a short description of your efforts to analyze the results of climate survey in your agency.

Describe any follow-up measures taken to address the results of the climate survey:						
n/a						

X. AUDITS AND CORRECTIVE MEASURES

Please choose the statement that applies to your agency.
☑ The agency is NOT involved in an audit conducted by NYC EEPC or another governmental agency specific to our EEO practice
\Box The agency is involved in an audit; please specify who is conducting the audit:
\square Attach the audit recommendations by NYC EEPC or the other auditing agency.
☐ The agency has submitted or will submit to OCEI an amendment letter, which shall amend the agency plan for FY 2021.

APPENDIX: DOT EEO PERSONNEL DETAILS

EEO PERSONNEL FOR __4_ QUARTER, FISCAL YEAR 2021

A. PERSONNEL CHANGES

Personnel Changes this Quarter: No Changes			Number of Additio	ns:	Number of Deletion	ns:
Employee's Name & Title						
Nature of change	☐ Addition ☐ Deleti	on	☐ Addition	☐ Deletion	☐ Addition	☐ Deletion
Date of Change in EEO Role	Start Date or Termination Da	ite:	Start Date or Termina	ation Date:	Start Date or Termin	ation Date:
NOTE: Please attach CV/Resume						
For New EEO Professionals:]				
Name & Title						
EEO Function	☐ EEO Trainer ☐ EE	O Counselor O Investigator her: ADA	☐ EEO Officer☐ EEO Trainer☐ 55-a Coordinator	☐ EEO Counselor☐ EEO Investigator☐ Other: (specify)	☐ EEO Officer☐ EEO Trainer☐ 55-a Coordinator	☐ EEO Counselor ☐ EEO Investigator ☐ Other: (specify)
Proportion of Time Spent on EEO Duties	□ 100% □ Other:	(specify %):	□ 100% □	Other: (specify %):	□ 100% □	Other: (specify %):
Completed Trainings: EEO Awareness Diversity & Inclusion IgbTq: The Power of Inclusion Sexual Harassment Prevention Unconscious Bias	□ Yes □ No □ Yes □ No □ Yes □ No □ Yes □ No □ Yes □ No		☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes	□ No□ No□ No□ No□ No	☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes ☐ Yes	□ No □ No □ No □ No □ No □ No
Training Source(s):	☐ DCAS ☐ Agency ☐	Other	☐ DCAS ☐ Agen	ncy 🗆 Other	☐ DCAS ☐ Ager	ncy 🗆 Other

B. CONTACT INFORMATION (Please list ALL current EEO professionals)

DIVERSITY AND EEO STAFFING IN DOTAS OF 4th QUARTER FY 2021 *

EEO\Diversity Role	<u>Name</u>	Civil Service Title	% of Time Devoted to EEO & Diversity Functions	Office E-mail Address	Telephone #
Diversity & Inclusion	James L. Hallman	Executive Agency	100	jhallman@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-6603
Officer EEO Officer/Director	James L. Hallman	Counsel Executive Agency Counsel	100	jhallman@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-6603
Deputy EEO Officer	Benjamin Graham	Deputy EEO Officer	100	bgraham1@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-6605
ADA Coordinator	Edmund Asiedu	Strategic Initiative Specialist		easiedu@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-7235
Disability Rights Coordinator	James L. Hallman	Executive Agency Counsel	100	jhallman@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-6603
Disability Services Facilitator	James L. Hallman	Executive Agency Counsel	100	jhallman@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-6603
55-a Coordinator	Lianne Palacios	Administrative Staff Analyst	15	lpalacios@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-9516
Career Counselor	Peter Scavetta	Administrative Staff Analyst	25	pscavetta@dot.nyc.gov	(212) 839-9452
EEO Counselor	n/a				
EEO Investigator	Andrew Sonpon	Agency Attorney 3	100	asonpon@dot.nyc.gov	
EEO Counselor\ Investigator					
Investigator/Trainer					
EEO Training Liaison	Vincent DiGennaro	Community Coordinator	100	vdigennaro@dot.nyc.gov	(212)839 4151
Other (describe)					

* Please note changes (new personnel filling the specified role). You may insert additional entries as needed. Title refers to the civil service title. If there is an EEO\Diversity role that your staff performs that is not on the list above you may indicate it on the chart.