

1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 2045 as follows:

1.2 Page 1, delete subdivision 2 and insert:

1.3 "Subd. 2. **Prohibited activities; removal from premises.** A peace officer, as defined
1.4 in section 626.84, subdivision 1, paragraph (c), may order a person to depart a transit vehicle
1.5 or transit facility for a violation as follows:

1.6 (1) violating the rider code of conduct established under subdivision 1;

1.7 (2) smoking, as defined in section 144.413, subdivision 4;

1.8 (3) urinating or defecating;

1.9 (4) consuming an alcoholic beverage, as defined in section 340A.101, subdivision 2;

1.10 (5) damaging a transit vehicle or transit facility, which includes but is not limited to
1.11 vandalism, defacement, and placement of graffiti, as defined in section 617.90, subdivision
1.12 1;

1.13 (6) throwing or depositing litter; or

1.14 (7) engaging in disorderly conduct as specified in section 609.72, subdivision 1, clause
1.15 (3)."

1.16 Page 1, delete section 2 and insert:

1.17 "Sec. 2. Minnesota Statutes 2022, section 609.855, subdivision 3, is amended to read:

1.18 Subd. 3. **Prohibited activities; misdemeanor.** (a) A person is guilty of a misdemeanor
1.19 who, while riding in a vehicle providing public transit service:

1.20 (1) ~~operates a radio, television, tape player, electronic musical instrument, or other~~
1.21 ~~electronic device, other than a watch, which amplifies music, unless the sound emanates~~

2.1 ~~only from earphones or headphones and except that vehicle operators may operate electronic~~
 2.2 ~~equipment for official business;~~

2.3 ~~(2) smokes or carries lighted smoking paraphernalia; or~~

2.4 ~~(3) consumes food or beverages, except when authorized by the operator or other official~~
 2.5 ~~of the transit system;~~

2.6 ~~(4) (2) throws or deposits litter; or~~

2.7 ~~(5) carries or is in control of an animal without the operator's consent.~~

2.8 (b) A person is guilty of a violation of this subdivision only if the person continues to
 2.9 act in violation of this subdivision after being warned once by an authorized transit
 2.10 representative to stop the conduct.

2.11 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment and
 2.12 applies to violations committed on or after that date."

2.13 Page 2, delete subdivision 4 and insert:

2.14 "Subd. 4. **Participating organizations.** The project manager must seek the participation
 2.15 of the following entities to provide for coordination on the intervention project:

2.16 (1) the Department of Human Services;

2.17 (2) the Department of Public Safety;

2.18 (3) the Metropolitan Council;

2.19 (4) each county within which a light rail transit line operates;

2.20 (5) each city within which a light rail transit line operates;

2.21 (6) the National Alliance on Mental Illness Minnesota;

2.22 (7) the exclusive representative of transit vehicle operators; and

2.23 (8) other interested community-based social service organizations."

2.24 Page 3, line 16, delete "working group" and insert "participating organizations"

2.25 Page 3, line 30, after "facilities" insert ", utilizing both social services and law
 2.26 enforcement partners"

2.27 Page 4, line 6, delete "; meetings" and delete "(a)" and insert "Using existing resources,"

2.28 Page 4, delete lines 8 to 11

2.29 Page 4, before line 12, insert:

3.1 "Subd. 7. **Reports.** By the 15th of each month, the project manager must submit a status
3.2 report to the chairs and ranking minority members of the legislative committees with
3.3 jurisdiction over transportation policy and finance. At a minimum, each report must include:

3.4 (1) a summary of activities under the intervention project;

3.5 (2) a fiscal review of expenditures; and

3.6 (3) analysis of impacts and outcomes related to social services outreach, violations under
3.7 Minnesota Statutes, section 473.4065, and rider experience."

3.8 Renumber the subdivisions in sequence

3.9 Page 4, line 12, delete everything after "expires" and insert "June 30, 2024."

3.10 Page 4, delete section 4 and insert:

3.11 "Sec. 4. **APPROPRIATION; TRANSIT SERVICE INTERVENTION PROJECT.**

3.12 (a) \$1,050,000 in fiscal year 2023 is appropriated from the general fund to the
3.13 Metropolitan Council for implementation of the duties of the Transit Service Intervention
3.14 Project under section 3. Of this amount:

3.15 (1) \$50,000 is for the project manager under section 3; and

3.16 (2) \$1,000,000 is for grants as specified by the project manager to participating
3.17 organizations under section 3, subdivision 4, to provide reimbursements for project
3.18 implementation including but not limited to intervention teams, labor, and other expenses.

3.19 (b) This is a onetime appropriation and is available until June 30, 2024.

3.20 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective the day following final enactment."

3.21 Amend the title accordingly