# One Minnesota Budget

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## Minnesota Department of Public Safety

## **Mission**

Serving all communities to build a safer Minnesota.





**Commissioner Bob Jacobson** 

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# Department of Public Safety Transportation











## **Commissioner's Office**

#### **DPS** — Maintain Current Service Levels

• DPS has 2,2000 employees and 10 divisions. This is funding needed to maintain current staffing needs.

\$20.6 million FY24 | \$29.9 million FY25 (GF,THF,HUTD,SR)

#### **DPS Administration**

- Needed investments in Human Resources, Fiscal and Admin Services, Communications and other areas.
- DPS needs to increase our capacity to serve all Minnesota communities safely and meet the growing needs.

General Fund (GF) \$761,000 FY24 | \$1.6 million FY25

## **Community Engagement — Transportation**

• Increase community engagement on transportation public safety efforts.

GF \$741,000 FY24 | \$741,000 FY25



## **Commissioner's Office**

## **DPS Strategy and Analytics Team**

• Seeking to create a dedicated team to pull together agency wide data, generate reports in response to statewide issues. This will increase DPS' ability to share information and increase transparency.

GF \$265,000 FY24 | \$280,000 FY25

## **State Rail Safety Oversight Staff**

• Provide state funds that will unlock federal funds to keep up with growth of light rail in Minnesota.

GF \$20,000 FY24 | \$20,000 FY25

## Soft Body Armor Moving to the Public Safety Budget

• Move this funding to the Public Safety Budget.

GF (\$745,000) FY24 | (\$745,000) FY25



## Minnesota State Patrol

## **Mission**

Protect and serve all people in the state through assistance, education and enforcement; provide support to allied agencies; and provide for the safe, efficient movement of traffic on Minnesota's roadways.



**Colonel Matt Langer** 

## **Minnesota State Patrol**

## **State Patrol Operating Deficiency**

- Deficiency due to increased costs for salaries, vehicles and fuel.
- Funding needed in fiscal year 2023.

\$6.8 million FY23 (THF, HUTD)

## **State Patrol Aviation**

- Funding for the addition of one new twin engine helicopter.
- Funding for four additional pilots.

**GF \$14.5 million FY24 (one-time) | THF \$1.7 million FY24 (ongoing)** 



## Minnesota State Patrol

## State Patrol Commercial Vehicle Enforcement — Federal Match

State match to access federal IIJA funding for commercial vehicle enforcement.

**THF \$5.2 million FY24 | \$5.2 million FY25** 

#### **State Patrol CALEA Accreditation**

• Additional funds to increase the accountability and transparency of the State Patrol's current operations by going through the CALEA Accreditation process.

GF \$611,000 FY24 | \$352,000 FY25



## **Office of Traffic Safety**

## **Mission**

To prevent traffic deaths and serious injuries by changing human behavior in Minnesota through policy development and support, stakeholder engagement, program delivery, leadership, and research and evaluation.





**Director Mike Hanson** 

## **Office of Traffic Safety**



## **Traffic Safety Improvement and Governing Council**

- Additional funding to create a traffic safety council, support traffic safety projects and programs.
- Supports TZD reorganization and provides needed resources to support local traffic safety efforts.
- Provides matching funds that will help qualify OTS for additional federal traffic safety funding.

**GF \$2.5 million FY24 | \$2.5 million FY25** 

## **Traffic Safety Data Analytics Center**

- Improve the safety and efficiency of Minnesota's roads using data.
- Will position Minnesota to build a highly progressive and proactive data analytics system that will prevent fatal and serious injury crashes across the state.

GF \$813,000 FY24 | \$1.625 million FY25

## **Roadside Testing for Drug Impaired Drivers Pilot Project**

- Pilot project to do roadside testing for drugged impaired drivers.
- Provides resources that will help prevent and reduce the number of drug and multi-substance impaired drivers on Minnesota roads.

## **Office of Pipeline Safety**

## **Mission**

To protect lives, property, and the environment through the implementation of a program of gas and hazardous liquid pipeline inspections, enforcement, accident and incident investigations, and education.





**Chief Engineer Jon Wolfgram** 

## **Office of Pipeline Safety**

## **Pipeline Safety Education and Enforcement**

- Dedicated funding for education, investigation, enforcement and oversight of Minnesota's "Call-Before-You-Dig" Laws.
- Increased needs from stakeholders to address:
  - Timeliness of utility locates
  - Utility damages
  - Aim to reduce utility damages
  - Increase productivity

GF \$560,000 FY24 | \$560,000 FY25



## **Mission**

Deliver customer focused driver and vehicle services by optimizing technology and building efficiencies that value employees, support business partners and earn the trust of all Minnesotans.



**Director Pong Xiong** 



## **Maintain DVS Exam Station Staffing**

Ongoing funding for DVS exam staff that were funded with one-time funds in FY22-23.

Special Revenue (SR) \$2.6 million FY24 | \$2.6 million FY25

## **New DVS Vehicle Inspection Sites**

Provide funding to open five new vehicle inspection sites and hire needed staff.

**SR \$1.6 million FY24 | \$1.3 million FY25** 

## **Eliminate Out-of-State Knowledge Test**

Remove requirement for those moving to Minnesota to take the knowledge test.

SR revenue decrease: \$183,000 per year



## Online Driver's License Renewal Every Other Cycle

• Allow Minnesotans to renew their driver's license online every other cycle.

SR revenue increase: \$1.8 million per year

## Race and Ethnicity Information on DVS Applications

- Allow for the voluntary collection of race and ethnicity data as part of DVS application.
- Information to be used for research and reports by the Office of Traffic Safety.

\$360,000 FY24 (GF and SR) | \$179,000 FY25 (GF and SR)

#### **Driver's License for All**

• Implement Driver's License for All in Minnesota.

**SR \$1.1 million FY24 | \$1.2 million FY25** 



## **DVS DSOA/VSOA Combination**

- Combine the two DVS special revenue accounts
- Reduce the Vehicle Services base appropriation starting in FY 2024 to account for the statutory open appropriation for fulfillment costs.

SR expenditure decrease: \$8.236 million FY23 (ongoing)

## **Blackout Special Plate**

• Create a new Blackout Special Plate.

SR revenue increase: \$3.6 million FY24 | \$4.8 million FY25

## **Use of Social Security Number for Revenue Recapture**

Allow DVS to share SSN with Department of Revenue for revenue recapture.

SR revenue increase: \$1.6 million FY24 | \$36,000 FY25



## Reinstate a 75 Cent REAL ID Driver's License Fee

• Reinstate the 75 cent REAL ID fee expired last session.

SR revenue increase: \$958,000 per year

#### **DVS Credential Fees Increase**

Increase credential fees by \$6.

SR revenue increase: \$8.9 million per year

## **DVS Filing Fee Increase**

- Increase fee for standard driver's license and renewals from \$8 to \$11.
- Increase fee for REAL or enhanced ID from \$8 to \$16.

SR revenue increase: \$512,000 per year



## **Questions?**

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