
Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission

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Table KC0-1

Description	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	% Change
	Actual	Actual	Approved	Approved	from FY 2023
OPERATING BUDGET	\$165,365	\$166,266	\$163,978	\$169,787	3.5
FTEs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A
CAPITAL BUDGET	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	N/A
FTEs	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A

The mission of the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission (WMATC) is to help assure that the public is provided passenger transportation services by fit and responsible, privately owned, for-hire licensed carriers to service the metropolitan region. This budget reflects only the District of Columbia government's appropriation to the agency.

The WMATC administers the delegated powers of the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Regulation Compact, Pub. L. No. 86-794, § 1, 74 Stat. 1031 (1960), as amended by Pub. L. No. 87-767, 76 Stat. 764 (1962), Pub. L. No. 101-505, § 1, 104 Stat. 1300 (1990), and Pub. L. No. 111-160, 124 Stat. 1124 (2010). The latest amended compact is codified at District of Columbia Official Code Section 9-1103.01.

A three-member Board of Commissioners directs the WMATC. One commissioner is appointed from a District of Columbia agency with oversight of matters relating to the Commission by the Mayor of the District of Columbia; one commissioner is appointed from the Maryland Public Service Commission by the Governor of Maryland; and one commissioner is appointed from the Department of Motor Vehicles of the Commonwealth of Virginia by the Governor of Virginia. Daily operations are directed by the Executive Director and carried out by WMATC staff. The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit District (Metropolitan District) consists of the following jurisdictions:

- Arlington County, Virginia;
- City of Alexandria, Virginia;
- City of Falls Church, Virginia;
- District of Columbia;
- Fairfax County, Virginia;

- Montgomery County, Maryland;
- Prince George's County, Maryland; and
- Washington-Dulles International Airport, Loudoun County, Virginia.

The agency's FY 2024 approved budget is presented in the following tables:

FY 2024 Approved Gross Funds Operating Budget and FTEs, by Revenue Type

Table KC0-2 contains the approved FY 2024 budget by revenue type compared to the FY 2023 approved budget. It also provides FY 2021 and FY 2022 actual data.

Table KC0-2

(dollars in thousands)

	Dollars in Thousands						Full-Time Equivalents					
	Actual FY 2021	Actual FY 2022	Approved FY 2023	Approved FY 2024	Change from FY 2023	% Change*	Actual FY 2021	Actual FY 2022	Approved FY 2023	Approved FY 2024	Change from FY 2023	% Change
Appropriated Fund												
GENERAL FUND												
Local Funds	165	166	164	170	6	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A
TOTAL FOR GENERAL FUND	165	166	164	170	6	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A
GROSS FUNDS	165	166	164	170	6	3.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	N/A

*Percent change is based on whole dollars.

Note: If applicable, for a breakdown of each Grant (Federal and Private) and Special Purpose Revenue type, please refer to **Schedule 80 Agency Summary by Revenue Source** in the **FY 2024 Operating Appendices** located on the Office of the Chief Financial Officer's website.

FY 2024 Approved Operating Budget, by Comptroller Source Group

Table KC0-3 contains the approved FY 2024 budget at the Comptroller Source Group (object class) level compared to the FY 2023 approved budget. It also provides FY 2021 and FY 2022 actual expenditures.

Table KC0-3

(dollars in thousands)

	Actual FY 2021	Actual FY 2022	Approved FY 2023	Approved FY 2024	Change from FY 2023	Percentage Change*
Comptroller Source Group						
50 - Subsidies and Transfers	165	166	164	170	6	3.5
SUBTOTAL NONPERSONAL SERVICES (NPS)	165	166	164	170	6	3.5
GROSS FUNDS	165	166	164	170	6	3.5

*Percent change is based on whole dollars.

FY 2024 Approved Operating Budget and FTEs, by Division/Program and Activity

Table KC0-4 contains the approved FY 2024 budget by division/program and activity compared to the FY 2023 approved budget. It also provides FY 2021 and FY 2022 actual data. For a more comprehensive explanation of divisions/programs and activities, please see the Division/Program Description section, which follows the table.

Table KC0-4

(dollars in thousands)

Division/Program and Activity	Dollars in Thousands					Full-Time Equivalents				
	Actual FY 2021	Actual FY 2022	Approved FY 2023	Approved FY 2024	Change from FY 2023	Actual FY 2021	Actual FY 2022	Approved FY 2023	Approved FY 2024	Change from FY 2023
(1000) WASHINGTON METRO TRANSIT COMMISSION (CC)										
(1100) Washington Metro Transit Commission (CC)	165	166	164	170	6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
SUBTOTAL (1000) WASHINGTON METRO TRANSIT COMMISSION (CC)	165	166	164	170	6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL APPROVED OPERATING BUDGET	165	166	164	170	6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

(Change is calculated by whole numbers and numbers may not add up due to rounding)

Note: For more detailed information regarding the approved funding for the activities within this agency’s programs, please see **Schedule 30-PBB Program Summary by Activity** in the **FY 2024 Operating Appendices** located on the Office of the Chief Financial Officer’s website. “No Activity Assigned” indicates budget or actuals that are recorded at the division/program level.

Program Description

The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission’s (WMATC) budget represents the District’s subsidy payment to the multi-jurisdictional agency. The subsidy budget is shown in a program format for comparison purposes only.

WMATC operates through the following program:

Washington Metro Transit Commission – governs the operating authority, rates, and insurance of private-sector, for-hire passenger carriers in the metropolitan region. Specifically, the agency grants operating authority to carriers such as airport shuttles, charter group buses, tour buses, handicapped transport vehicles, businesses with private and government shuttle contracts, and carriers for conventions. As part of its regulatory program, WMATC also establishes interstate taxicab rates, which are used when taxicabs cross from one signatory jurisdiction to another. WMATC’s staff are a source for determination of fares for taxicab trips between the District of Columbia and area airports or other points in Maryland or Virginia that are in the metropolitan region. Staff are also available to mediate taxicab overcharge complaints regarding interstate travel.

Program Structure Change

The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission has no program structure changes in the FY 2024 approved budget.

FY 2023 Approved Budget to FY 2024 Approved Budget, by Revenue Type

Table KC0-5 itemizes the changes by revenue type between the FY 2023 approved budget and the FY 2024 approved budget. For a more comprehensive explanation of changes, please see the FY 2024 Approved Budget Changes section, which follows the table.

Table KC0-5

(dollars in thousands)

DESCRIPTION	DIVISION/PROGRAM	BUDGET	FTE
LOCAL FUNDS: FY 2023 Approved Budget and FTE		164	0.0
No Change		0	0.0
LOCAL FUNDS: FY 2024 Recurring Budget		164	0.0
Enhance: To support the District's share of operational costs	Washington Metro Transit Commission (CC)	6	0.0
LOCAL FUNDS: FY 2024 Mayor's Proposed Budget		170	0.0
No Change		0	0.0
LOCAL FUNDS: FY 2024 District's Approved Budget		170	0.0
GROSS FOR KC0 - WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION		170	0.0

(Change is calculated by whole numbers and numbers may not add up due to rounding)

Note: For more detailed information regarding the approved funding for interagency projects funded within this agency, please see Appendix J, FY 2024 Interagency Budgets, in the Executive Summary budget volume.

FY 2024 Approved Operating Budget Changes

Table KC0-6 contains the approved FY 2024 budget by fund compared to the FY 2023 approved budget.

Table KC0-6

Appropriated Fund	FY 2023 Approved	FY 2024 Approved	% Change from FY 2023
Local Funds	\$163,978	\$169,787	3.5
GROSS FUNDS	\$163,978	\$169,787	3.5

Mayor's Proposed Budget

Enhance: The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission's budget proposal reflects an enhancement of \$5,809 to support the District of Columbia's FY 2024 contribution to operational costs.

District's Approved Budget

No Change: The Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Commission's budget proposal reflects no change from the Mayor's proposed budget to the District's approved budget.