Topeka Metro Operations Report

August 2020

August Operating Days:

Normal operating days
Sundays (no service)
Holiday with no service
Limited holiday service
Total days in August

Passenger Comments:

16	Fixed Route	1	Capitol City Taxi	17	Complaints
1	Lift	16	Topeka Metro	0	Compliments
17	Total Comments	17	Total Comments	0	Incidents
				17	Total Comments

Comment Issues:

Other/General (9)

Passed By (5) - one valid

Unsafe Driving (3)

Operations Accidents & Incidents (as of August 31st, 2020):

	Month of	Total for	
	August	2020	FY 2021
TMTA Chargeable accidents	2	12	5
TMTA Non-chargeable accidents	2	6	2
Contractor accidents	1	3	1
Passenger incidents *	25	161	50
	30	182	58

^{*} Two incident reports added after the July 2020 report had been completed.

Current Self-Insurance Files:

- 6 Open files against Topeka Metro
- 9 Open files against others
- 3 Other
- 18 Total open files

August Promotions and Events

NOTE: Due to COVID-19, Topeka Metro continued rear door boarding and free fares thru August 31st. Therefore, all passengers were classified as No Fare rather than individual classifications in August.

Washburn Students (8/1 thru 8/31):

Unknown (286,664+ total trips Aug 1, 2014 - Aug 31, 2020)

FREEdom Pass Ridership (8/1 thru 8/31):

2013 945 2014 3,876 2015 6,058 2016 7,511 2017 8,115 2018 8,879 2019 8,951 2020 1,623 (so far) Unknown (45,958+ total trips Aug 1, 2013 - Aug 31, 2020)

Amtrak (8/1 thru 8/31):

Flex Zone Ridership (8/1 thru 8/31):

Bikes on the Bus Ridership (8/1 thru 8/31):

ity Employees Ride Free (8/1 thru 8/31):

1 ride in August

46 Flex rides (40 provided by CCT & 6 provided in-house)

1,409 bikes on the fixed route

Unknown fixed route rides

Other Operational and Promotional Activities:

Union Voted on Final Proposal (8/2)

Monthly Operator Policy Meeting (8/4)

August Choose-up in Effect (8/9)

One New Bus Operator Graduated Training (8/21)

On-site Viewing of Ram Promaster Accesible Van (8/26)

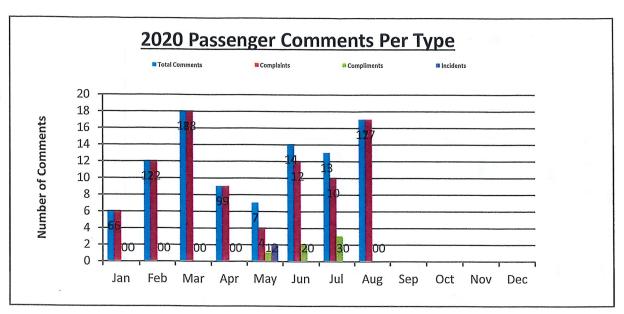
Bikeshare Taskforce Meeting via Zoom (8/28)

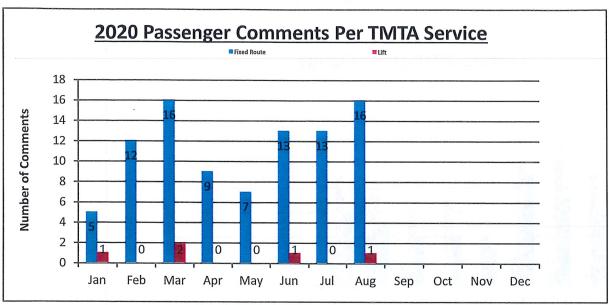
COVID-19 Related Activities (8/1 thru 8/31):

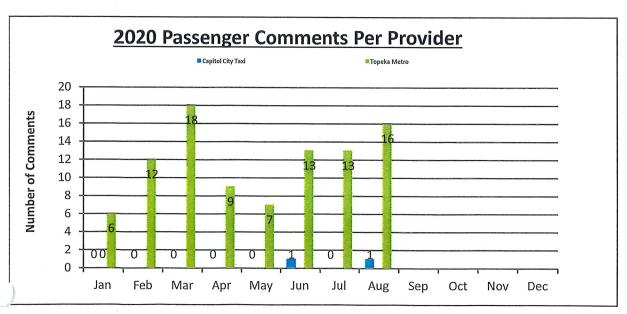
Board of Directors Voted to Extend Rear Door Boarding & Free Fares Thru September 30 (8/17)
Press Release Regarding Continued Rear Door Boarding & Free Fares (8/18)
Extended Ambussador Program & Security Guards Through September 30 (8/18)
Displayed an Extended Barrier Prototype in Bus #382 for Operators to View (8/20)
GM Responded to Union's Memo Regarding Safety of Passengers & Operators (8/20)
Took an Operator Poll on Operator Safety Barriers (8/25)

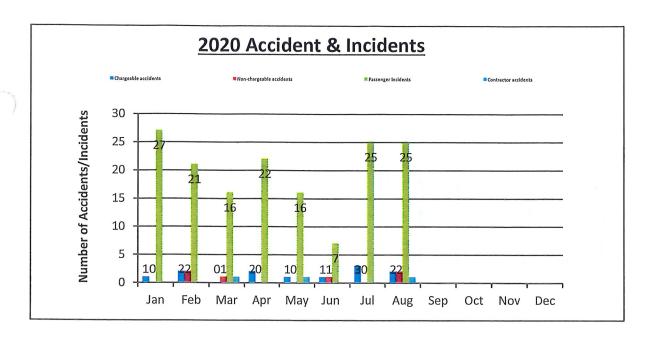


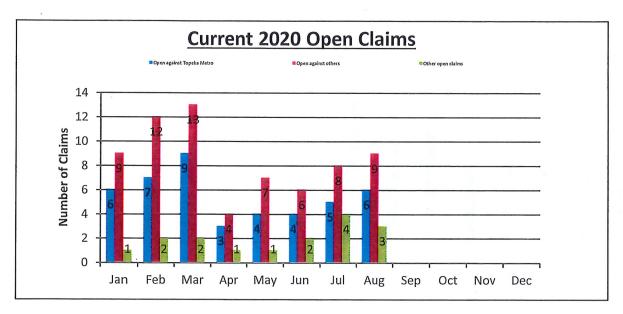
Extended Barrier Prototype











Lift Ser Application Statistics

Contract Contract									
	Eligible	Recertified	Temporary	Denied	TOTAL	Appeals	(Appeals app) (Appeals den)	(Appeals den)	
Jan 2020	4	10	$\overline{}$	0	25	0	0	0	
Feb 2020	13	5	ო	0	29	0	0	0	
Mar 2020	9	∞	0	0	4	0	0	0	COVID-19 Began
Apr 2020	4	7	0	2	∞	0	0	0	
May 2020	4	~	0	0	ro	0	0	0	
Jun 2020	7	7	0	0	4	0	0	0	
Jul 2020	თ	7	~	0	- 21	0	0	0	
Aug 2020	15	15	~	0	31	0	.0	0	
Sep 2020									
Oct 2020			,						
Nov 2020									
Dec 2020									
Year 2020 Total	72	63	9	7	143	0	0	0	