

Community Safety Initiative Workshops for Communities of Color

Eugene City Council, October 19, 2020



Process Goals



Ensure BIPOC organizations and leaders have an understanding about the CSI— how it was developed, what it is trying to achieve and how it is funded.



Provide a forum for BIPOC organizations and leaders to share their priorities and needs for community safety and provide feedback on how they feel the CSI can respond to them.



Provide information to Council that is actionable and can inform future decisions on building a community safety system that meets the needs of all of our community.

Council Feedback

1. Use smaller, focus groups to engage BIPOC participants;
2. Prioritize deep and thoughtful engagement over an expedited process;
3. Provide multiple ways for community to engage;
4. Engagement should be focused on, but not limited to, BIPOC communities. Check in with community at large.

Organizations to Invite

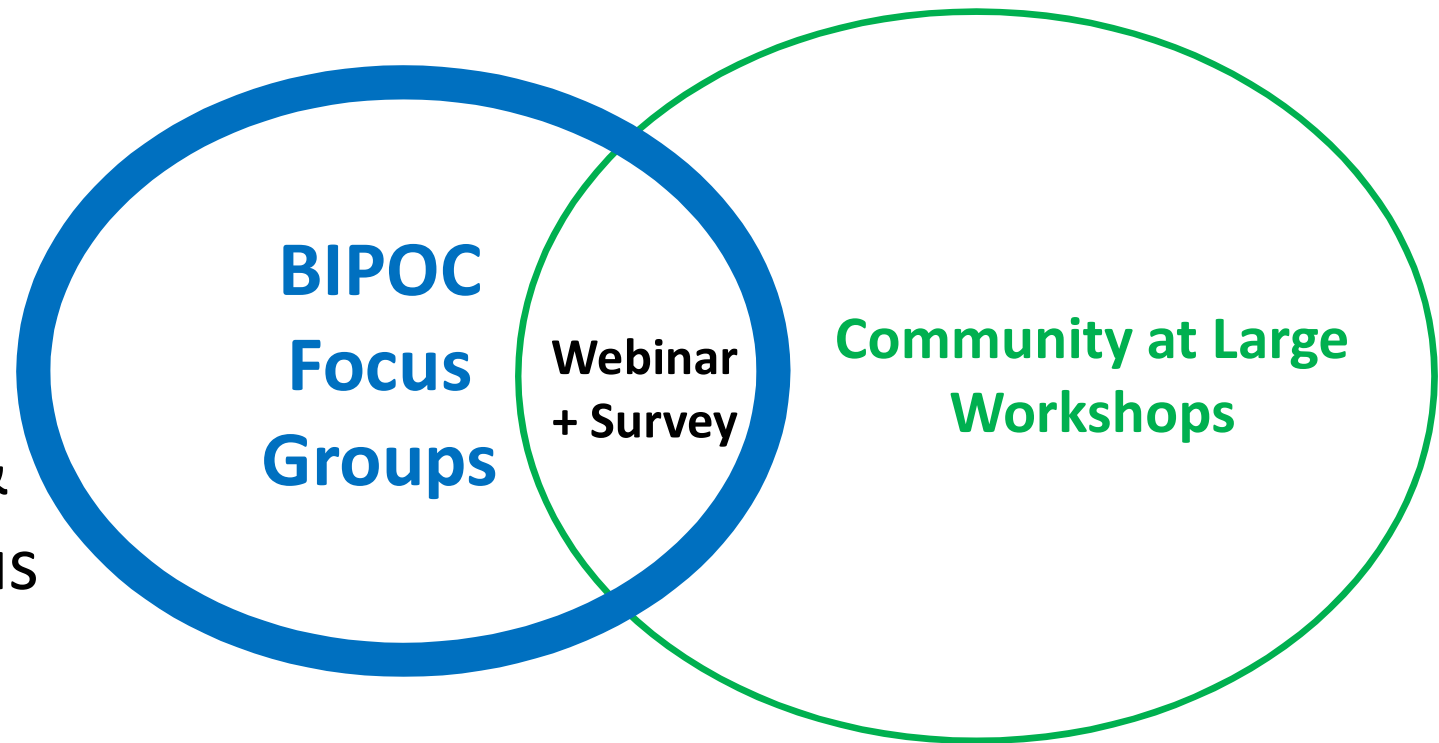
- Asian and Pacific Islander Community Action Team
- Bethel Temple
- Black Unity
- Blacks in Government
- Centro Latino Americano
- Chinese American Benevolent Assoc. (CABA)
- Community Indigenous People's Group
- DisOrient
- Eugene Arte Latino
- Eugene Human Rights Commission
- Eugene Islamic Center
- Huerto de la Familia
- Jewish Community Relations Council
- Jewish Federation of Lane County
- La E-Kiss
- LCC Longhouse
- LULAC
- NAACP
- Native Community
- Philippine American Assoc. of Lane Co (PAALC)
- Powerhouse Worship Center
- Temple Beth Israel
- The Father's House
- Transponder
- Whole Eugene Community United
- 4J & Bethel School Districts
- UO
- LCC
- Unaffiliated key informal leaders

Process Components

- **Informational webinar** – Delivered remotely and provides a baseline of understanding about the CSI;
- **Q&A document** – Responds to questions generated from webinar;
- **BIPOC Focus Groups** – 2-hour, small group (up to 10 people) sessions;
- **Survey** – Provides standardized responses to questions from both BIPOC participants and general public;
- **Workshops for general public** – 2-3 workshops open to the general public to gauge current perspective on CSI strategy and approach;
- **Synthesize** input from focus groups, workshops and survey and present **report** to Council

Engagement Design

- Focused
- Qualitative
- Standardized
- Synchronous & Asynchronous



Process Timeline

October: Planning/Preparation

- Council provides direction on proposed plan
- Invite BIPOC participants, schedule and prepare webinar

November/December: BIPOC Engagement

- Disseminate webinar
- Solicit questions and policy clarifications
- Create and distribute CSI Q&A document
- Host focus groups and disseminate survey
- Council update

January/February: Public Engagement

- Promote webinar and survey
- Host workshops
- Compile and present report to council

Proposed motion(s)

- *Move to direct the City Manager to implement the CSI Engagement Plan outlined in Attachment A to the AIS.*
- *Move to direct the City Manager to implement the CSI Engagement Plan outlined in Attachment A to the AIS with the following modifications_____.*