



### **Legislation and Communications Committee**

2/9/2026 Committee Meeting

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#### **Subject**

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Update on Internal Communications

#### **Executive Summary**

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The presentation will introduce “Inside Met,” a new internal newsletter for staff.

#### **Fiscal Impact**

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The newsletter is designed, written and produced by External Affairs staff. The subscription for the online platform is \$2,660 per year, which is included in the External Affairs Operations and Maintenance budget.

#### **Applicable Policy**

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None

#### **Related Board Action(s)/Future Action(s)**

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None.

#### **Details and Background**

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In January 2026, Metropolitan launched a new internal newsletter for staff. “Inside Met” was created to connect employees across the organization by spotlighting the work, experiences, and voices that shape Metropolitan, with a particular focus on including employees at our field facilities. By sharing stories that reflect who we are and what we do, this publication supports our efforts to strengthen culture, boost morale, and build connections across teams. “Inside Met” will be produced bi-monthly and distributed electronically in a flipbook, e-magazine-style format, with printed editions delivered to all sites so every employee can engage in the way that works best for them.

  
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