

Summary of Legislative and Budget breakout session discussion

December 15, 2023

Three groups rotated through the Legislative/Budget committee discussion.

A summary of these discussions was provided in report-out to entire AHAC.

Points raised:

- Success breeds success
- Forging relationships is key
- Continued stressing importance of moving funding into baseline
- Highlighting partnerships between private sector and public sector
- Regional cooperation (jurisdictions and interjurisdictional organizations)
- Comprehensive Plan coordination
- Work together across AHAC committees
- Data should be well cited
- Advocacy from the hearts
- Special customized message for audience
- Message importance of affordable housing to underlying economic success
- Link to transportation is critical
- Accountability
- Equity
- Urgency