

TRANSFORM SEATTLE – SOMALI Breakout Questions & Answers 12/06/2011

QUESTION #1:

It is 2030 and Seattle has 120,000 more people and 115,000 more jobs than it did in 2011. Imagine your daughter/son has just moved into a home in a different neighborhood than where you live now. What is the best thing about their new neighborhood?

- Safe neighborhood
- Close to our children school.
- Library
- Park
- Community centers
- Gathering places
- Cultural awareness center

QUESTION #2:

In what ways do you think the choices you make impact the environment?

- The choices we made can help city make right decisions to support what is important for our health.

How can the City of Seattle help you make better choices for the environment?

- To inform the city resident
- Increase the outreach
- Our children need activities center close to our community.
- Educate our community.
- Increase public outreach liaisons and please make them strong so they can support us.

QUESTION #3:

To help make buses go faster and to avoid getting stuck in traffic, it may be necessary to give buses their own lane (no cars can drive in these lanes) and to remove parking in some places.

Do you agree or disagree with this? Why?

- Yes, we agree public transit to have their own lanes. .
- Make buses their on roads and create safe wait/bus stops.