# Safety Performance Measures Aspirational Target Setting

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- The 5 performance targets are based on 5-year rolling averages

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#### Process:

- GDOT's targets are due to FHWA by August 31 each year
- ARC needs to establish targets or concur with the state within 180 days of GDOT reporting its targets
  - February 27 of each year

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- MPOs establish their targets by:
  - A. Concurring with State DOT targets
  - B. Establishing quantifiable targets for the metropolitan planning area
  - c. Both.

ARC has chosen Option A the past few years
Will continue to do this during 2021 based on guidance from TAQC Subcommittee

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#### B. If ARC establishes MPO-Specific Targets, we would...

- Coordinate with GDOT to establish targets
- Estimate VMT for all public roads within MPO for rate targets
- Calculate crashes within MPO boundary
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Process + Ramifications:

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Reported to FHWA via HSIP
Annual Report.

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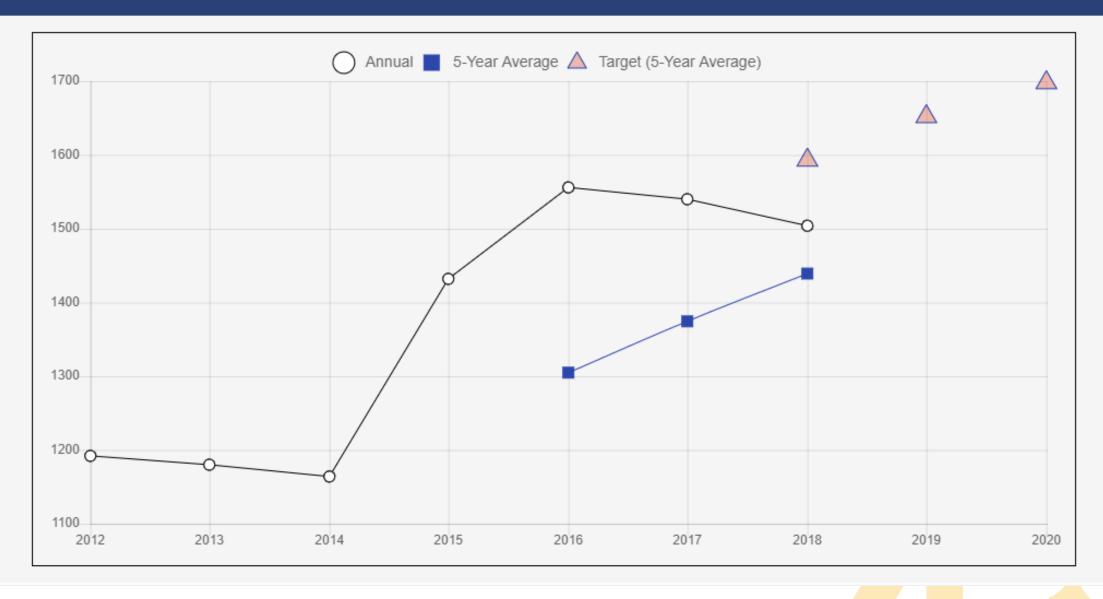
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#### ≜ Number of Fatalities



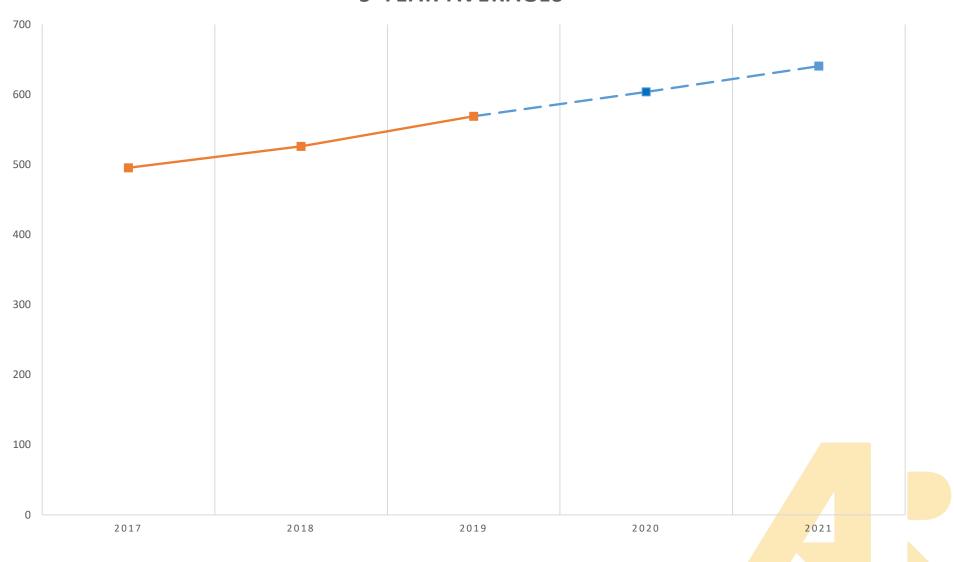
## **Current GDOT Targets**

Federally Required Performance Measures	GDOT's 2020 Statewide Targets	GDOT's 2021 Statewide Targets
Number of Fatalities	1,698	1,715
Rate of Fatalities (per 100 million VMT)	1.28	1.23
Number of Serious Injuries	24,094	6,407
Rate of Serious Injuries (per 100 million VMT)	21.8	4.422
Number of Non-Motorized Fatalities and Serious Injuries	1,163	686.5

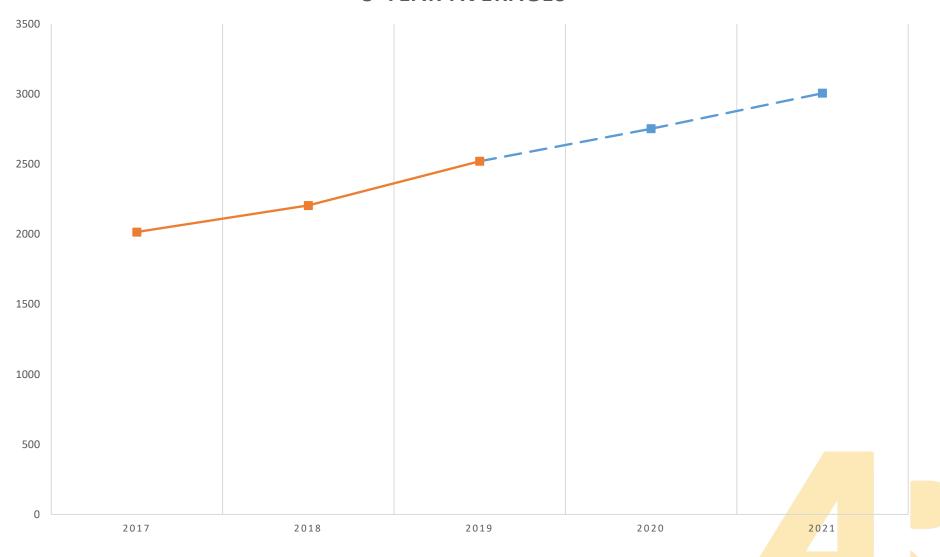
## **ARC Targets Using GDOT Method**

Federally Required Performance Measures	2020	2021
Number of Fatalities	604	641
Rate of Fatalities (per 100 million VMT)	0.992	1.030
Number of Serious Injuries	2,753	3,006
Rate of Serious Injuries (per 100 million VMT)	4.502	4.819
Number of Non-Motorized Fatalities and Serious Injuries	399	416

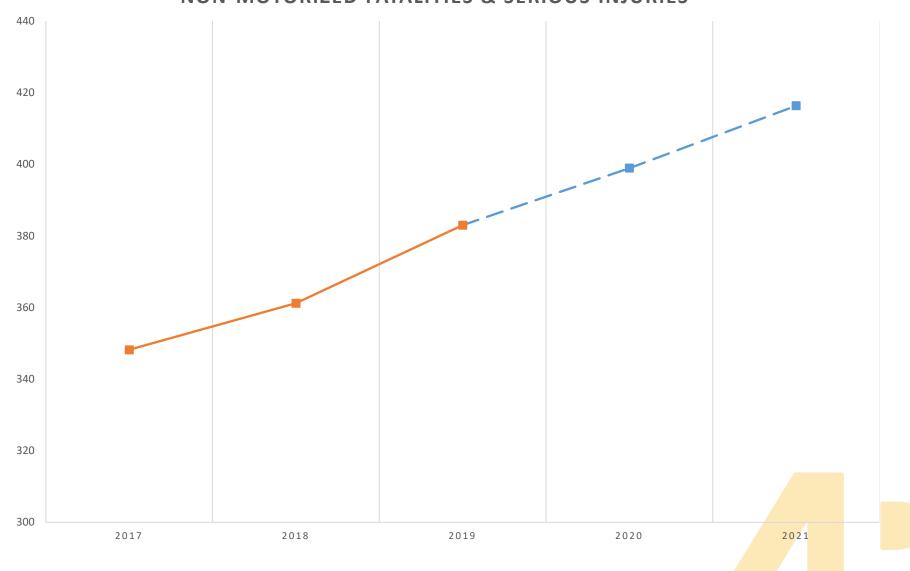
FATALITIES
5-YEAR AVERAGES



#### SERIOUS INJURIES 5-YEAR AVERAGES



#### NON-MOTORIZED FATALITIES & SERIOUS INJURIES



## ARC 2021 Aspirational Target: 5% Reduction

Federally Required Performance Measures	2020	2021	2022
Number of Fatalities	604	574	545
Rate of Fatalities (per 100 million VMT)	0.992	0.942	0.895
Number of Serious Injuries	2,753	2,616	2,485
Rate of Serious Injuries (per 100 million VMT)	4.502	4.277	4.063
Number of Non-Motorized Fatalities and Serious Injuries	399	379	360

Use 2020 target as baseline. 5% reduction for everything each year after.

### **2019 Crashes on State vs Local Roads**

	State Roads	Local Roads
Fatalities	65%	35%
Serious Injuries	57%	43%

<sup>\*</sup>Only includes crashes within ARC's MPO boundaries

<sup>\*\*</sup> State Roads = 14% Lane Miles & 52% VMT of ARC boundary

### **Moving Forward**

- Concur with GDOT targets for 2021
- Set "Aspirational" Safety Targets in 2021, seeking a 5% reduction in key metrics
- Develop ARC targets from 2022 onward pending discussions with TCC and TAQC

### **Questions & Feedback**

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