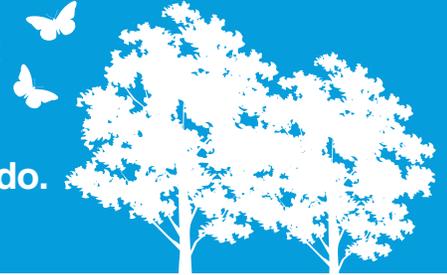


# WHAT IS SUSTAINABILITY FOR SEPTA?

Sustainability is more than just 'going green.' It is a key component of our comprehensive corporate strategy as well as our regional responsibility. Sustainability, in short, is **central to everything we do.**



## VISION

SEPTA's Vision is to be the region's premier choice for transportation. We will earn that choice through connecting the region for integrated mobility, sustaining our environment and preserving our system for future generations, committing to continuous improvement and innovation, and providing excellent service by a dedicated team.

## MISSION STATEMENT

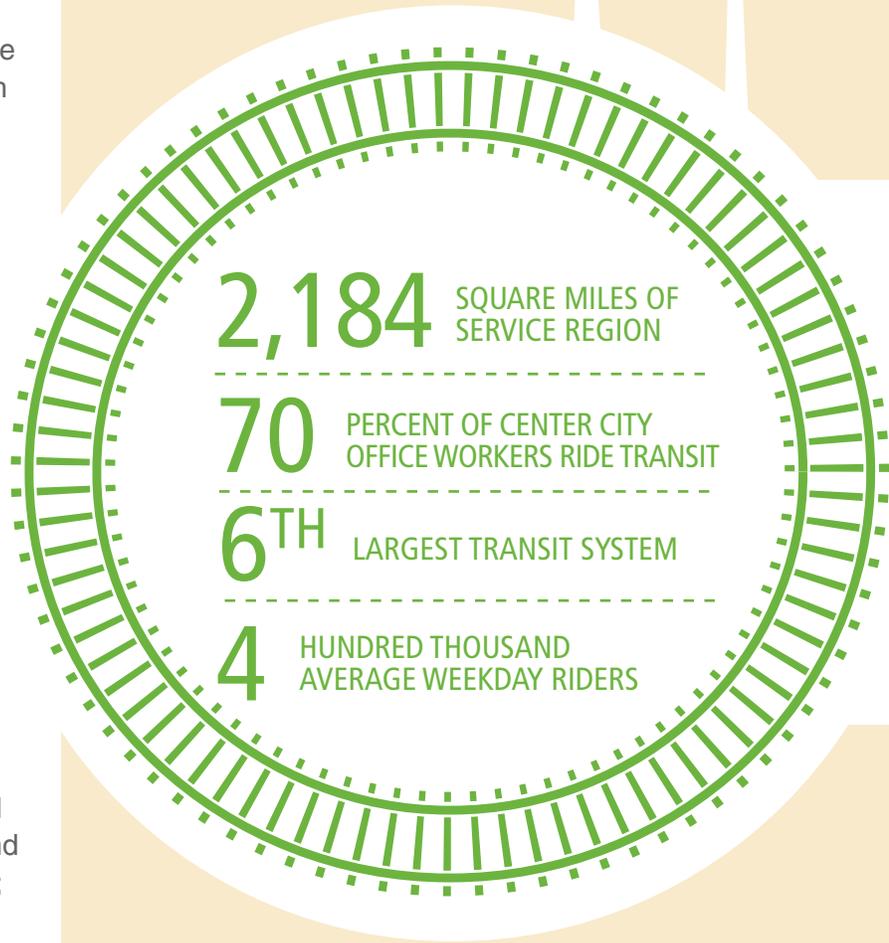
Our employees are dedicated to delivering safe, courteous, convenient and dependable public transit services for the people of our region. We contribute to the region's economic vitality, sustainability and enhanced quality of life.

## CORE VALUES

As a company and as individuals we value: public transportation as a vital service that should be safe, reliable, efficient, accessible, clean, and customer focused; integrity, honesty, and personal responsibility; respect for employees, diversity, and ensuring a challenging and inclusive environment; as well as teamwork, courage, creativity, and constructive criticism.

## WHAT IS OUR APPROACH TO SUSTAINABILITY?

SEPTA is in the business of sustainability. Our approach to sustainability is "triple-bottom-line" – accounting for economic, social, and environmental organizational needs and regional opportunities. Working with our partners, SEPTA has used this three-pronged "people-planet-prosperity" approach to drive sustainable decision-making through the organization and in our work to build a more sustainable region.

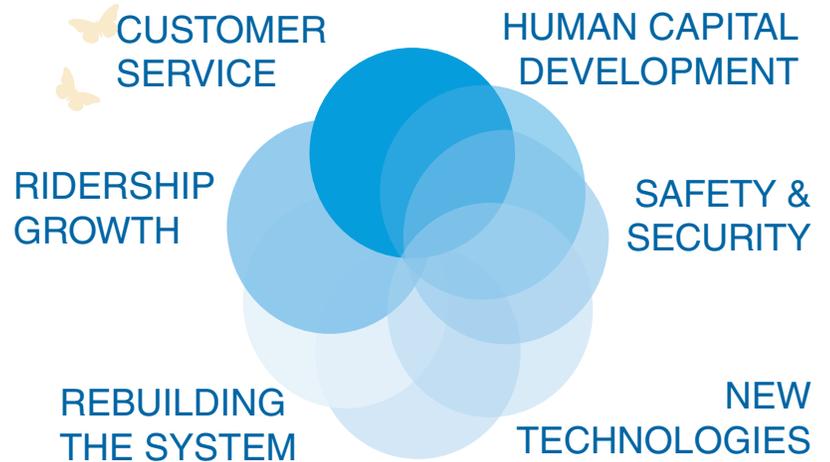


## WHAT IS SUSTAINABILITY?

Development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.

# SUSTAINABILITY

## 7 Business OBJECTIVES



### ENVIRONMENTAL

#### PLANET = ENVIRONMENT

Taking into account actions and conditions that affect the earth's ecology

Impact Mitigation  
Stewardship Solution

Throughout the region, SEPTA is a solution for stewardship. Our system and services provide the region with a mobility alternative that improves its air quality and shrinks its carbon footprint. Our riders are moving Greater Philadelphia towards a low-carbon future.

Environmental sustainability begins with impact mitigation. Our organizational procurement, engineering, construction, maintenance, and facility management guidelines incorporate environmentally friendly practices into everything we do.

### ECONOMIC

#### PROSPERITY = ECONOMIC

Taking into account actions that affect how people and businesses meet their needs

Fiscal Responsibility  
Regional Competitiveness

Throughout the region, SEPTA helps to build livable, sustainable communities. Our infrastructure supports the existence and creation of compact, walkable development with high-quality transit service. Our paratransit and job access programs ensure equal access for all.

Social sustainability begins with a strong and versatile workforce. Our employee training programs support professional development for thousands of dedicated SEPTA employees, who in turn are committed to personal and organizational sustainability goals.

### SOCIAL

#### PEOPLE = SOCIAL

Taking into account actions and conditions that affect all members of society

Versatile Workforce  
Livable Communities

Throughout the region, SEPTA is an economic catalyst. As one of the region's largest employers, SEPTA supports tens of thousands of regional jobs. More importantly, our vast service network connects Greater Philadelphia to places where people live, work, and play. We keep the regional economy moving.

Economic sustainability begins with fiscal responsibility. SEPTA works diligently to reduce the cost of operations while targeting ridership growth and new funding sources to improve our system and services.