

# INVESTING IN SAFETY

#SAFERSTRONGERDC



The Neighborhood Engagement Achieves Results (NEAR) Act seeks to use public health approaches to prevent violence and reduce incarceration. The NEAR Act covers a wide range of public safety initiatives designed to reduce violent crime, reform criminal justice provisions, and improve community-police relations. In Fiscal Year 2017-2018, Mayor Bowser fully funded all 20 different provisions of the NEAR Act. Each of the 20 provisions has either been fully implemented or are in the process of being put into place.



## A MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

*Mayor Muriel Bowser has engaged District government agencies, community partners, and residents in a comprehensive effort to build a safer, stronger DC. For two consecutive years the District has experienced significant decreases in crime across all eight wards. But, we know we can't simply arrest our way out of crime. We have to address the underlying causes of violence. That's why we rely on a wide spectrum of law and non-law enforcement solutions, including job opportunities, court diversion programs, and reducing student truancy.*

## PROMISES KEPT



Opened ONSE and opened the Pathways program - bringing 10 weeks of classes, therapy, and life-skills training to District residents



Over the past two years, tripled the size of the MPD cadet program



Installed more than 13,000 security cameras through the Private Security Camera Incentive Program

# #FAIRSHOT

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GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
DC MURIEL BOWSER, MAYOR




  
Title 1A  
Opened the Office of Neighborhood Safety & Engagement  
2017

  
Title 1B  
Established the Office of Violence Prevention & Health Equity  
2017


  
Title 1C  
Created the Community Crime Prevention Team  
2018

  
Title 2A  
Implemented the Community Policing Working Group  
2017

  
Title 2B  
Established the Homicide Elimination Strategy Task Force  
2016-2017

  
Title 2C  
Police Community Relations Survey  
\*Scheduled Spring 2019




  
Title 2D  
Narrowed Definition of Assault on a Police Officer  
2017

  
Title 2E  
Officer Training  
2016-2017

  
Title 2F  
Office of Police Complaints Independent Review Authority  
2016




  
Title 2G  
Stop & Frisk Use of Force Data Collection Enhancements  
\*Scheduled Summer 2019


  
Title 2H  
Crime Data Collection Enhancements  
2017

  
Title 2I  
Officer Retention & Recruitment  
2016

  
Title 2J  
Rehiring of Retired MPD Police Officers by the Department of Family Services  
2016


  
Title 2K  
Private Security Camera Incentive Program  
2016

  
Title 3  
Traffic Citation Modernization Program  
2016

  
Title 4  
DC Jail Work Release Program  
2016



  
Title 5  
DC Jail Good Time Credits  
2016

  
Title 6  
Firearms Control Boundaries Clarification  
2016



  
Title 7  
Firearms Ammunition Microstamping Implementation  
2016

  
Title 8  
Swift & Certain Sanctions  
2016