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TAT teamed up with District of Columbia Office of the Attorney General to bring together key industry stakeholders in school transportation, transit and other transportation sectors, along with law enforcement and youth-serving organizations, for a Youth on Transportation Coalition Build. TAT Coalition Builds **create pathways** for strategic engagement as stakeholders come together to leverage their networks in the fight against human trafficking. At the event, TAT provided **targeted action steps** and **free resources** for attendees to use within their companies and agencies with a specific focus on protecting youth from trafficking and exploitation.



TAT has and will continue to follow-up with attendees from the Coalition Build in order to help facilitate lasting connections and build strategies for combating human trafficking locally.

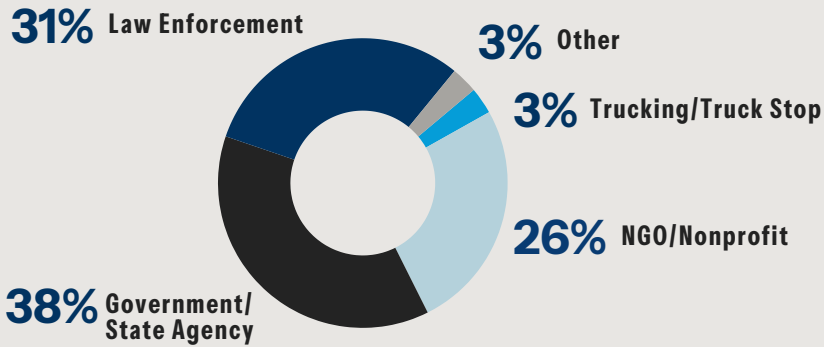
Washington, D.C.

IMPACT REPORT

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ATTENDEES



IMPACT BY NUMBERS

- **88%** of respondents said their knowledge about human trafficking increased.
- **100%** of respondents said they would likely share the information they learned with others.
- **75%** of respondents said they would recommend attending a briefing like this to others in their field.
- **100%** of respondents said they know what next steps to take in order to combat human trafficking.

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"It was great to listen and to learn about HT (human trafficking) that is pertinent to the jurisdiction (where) I work/serve."

Coalition Build Attendee

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IMPACT IN ACTION

Coalition Builds inspire leaders from trucking companies, truck stops, bus companies, public transit agencies, energy companies, transportation associations, government agencies and law enforcement agencies to act, while equipping them with the practical tools they need to become force multipliers in the anti-human trafficking movement.

Since the Washington, D.C. Coalition Build:

- ✓ Coalition Build attendees held a follow-up virtual meeting in April 2024 to continue learning from each other. They will continue to meet quarterly moving forward.
- ✓ The D.C. Office of the Superintendent of Education has committed to training all 1,300 student transportation employees with TAT materials in Summer 2024.
- ✓ HopSkipDrive, a national school transportation contractor, is in conversations with TAT about opportunities to partner together.
- ✓ The District Department of Transportation is developing an anti-trafficking plan which will include training D.C. crossing guards and other transportation staff.
- ✓ Prince George's County, Maryland Office of Human Rights shared TAT's Law Enforcement modules with their law enforcement partners.
- ✓ TAT's Youth on Transportation materials will be distributed at a youth event coordinated by the FBI Washington Field Office.
- ✓ TAT's Youth on Transportation campaign will be shown on digital displays at the Union Station Parking Garage and Bus Facility.
- ✓ The U.S. Attorney's Office for the District of Columbia provided a speaking opportunity for TAT at a meeting of their Hate-Bias Task Force.