



# Light Rail Technical Forum Agenda

## APTA Rail Conference 2024

Sunday, June 2, 2024, 8:00am – 9:30am

Room12 (Exhibit Hall Level)

### Mission Statement

To provide a forum for the study and discussion of technical and operational issues inherent in light rail transit systems and to advance the growth and public acceptance of light rail transit.

Buffet breakfast provided

**Forum Officers:** Chris Walker, Chair; Mike Eidlin, Vice Chair; Shankar Rajaram, Secretary

**APTA Staff:** Bryan Sooter; Natasha De La Cruz, Tdisho Pendleton

1. **Welcome & Introductions** Chris Walker
2. **Minutes from Orlando** Shankar Rajaram
3. **Updates**
  - Streetcar Subcommittee activities Tom Gerend
4. **LRT Updates**
  - GCRTA Vehicle Procurement Casey Blaze
  - Bi-State Vehicle Procurement Marc Cruz/Jessica Iacobucci
  - Sound Transit East Link Starter 2 Line Jon Lebo
  - TriMet Better Red Paige Schlupp
  - Other LRT Line Openings/Extensions (2024 onward) Chris Walker
5. **Work Plan Items** Chris Walker
  - Post-Covid Ridership Update
  - Suggestions from the Floor
6. **LRT Project Roundtable** (Time permitting) All
7. **Other Business/Q&A** Chris Walker
8. **Next meeting:**  
2024 APTA TRANSform Conference  
Sunday, September 29, 2024  
Anaheim, CA