



Streetcar Subcommittee
Sunday, September 14th, 2025
12:00pm – 1:30pm

APTA TRANSform Conference
Room: Ensemble D (Level 2)
Omni Boston Seaport Hotel

(Reminder to confirm room location when you are onsite as rooms may change)

AGENDA

MISSION STATEMENT

The APTA Streetcar Subcommittee promotes streetcar services in urban centers and the exchange of information among individuals or organizations promoting, planning, funding, designing, building, operating, and maintaining such services. This is done by organizing forums for the dissemination of best practices and the experience of practitioners; by assisting in the development of appropriate safety and technical standards and by providing guidance to regulators in setting sensible and reasonable regulatory measures.

Streetcar Subcommittee Officers: Tom Gerend, Chair; John Smatlak, Vice Chair; Michael J. Puplett, Secretary
APTA staff: Bryan Sooter

12:00 PM	Welcome and Introductions	Tom Gerend, <i>KC Streetcar</i>
12:10 PM	Meeting Minutes	Michael Puplett, <i>TTC</i>
12:15 PM	Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• APTA Administrative Updates• FTA Updates• Vehicle Safety Technology Working Group	Bryan Sooter, <i>APTA</i>
12:25 PM	Toronto Transit Commission Pilot Projects	Michael Puplett, <i>TTC</i>
12:50 PM	KC Streetcar Transit Only Lanes	Nick Stadum, <i>HDR</i> Christopher Kinzel, <i>HDR</i>
1:15 PM	Streetcar System Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Relevant system updates from Agencies, OEMs, and Vendors	All
1:25 PM	Other Business/Q&A <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Community Streetcar Coalition Update• TCRP 155 Update	Tom Gerend, <i>KC Streetcar</i>
1:30 PM	Adjourn	

Next Meeting: APTA Rail Conference, June 28, 2026 in Baltimore, MD