



Streetcar Subcommittee

Sunday, June 29th, 2025

12:00pm – 1:30pm

APTA Rail Conference

Pacific I-J (4th Floor), San Francisco Marriott Marquis

(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 <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Jim Schantz recognition	Tom Gerend, <i>KC Streetcar</i>
12:10 PM	Meeting Minutes (APTA TRANSform 2024, <i>posted on APTAconnect</i>)	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▪ SEPTA Streetcar Procurement	Bryan Sooter, <i>APTA</i> John Smatlak, <i>Atkins Realis</i> Mariana Duarte, <i>Alstom</i>
12:35 PM	R2DATO Advancing Autonomous Tram Operation	Nevin Joseph Mathew, <i>CAF</i>
12:55 PM	Streetcar System Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ SFMTA▪ OC Streetcar, Santa Ana▪ Roundtable Project Updates	TBD Kelly Hart, <i>OCTA</i>
1:25 PM	Other Business/Q&A <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Community Streetcar Coalition Update	
1:30 PM	Adjourn	

Upcoming Meeting: APTA TRANSform Conference, September 14, 2025 in Boston, MA