



Bridges and Tunnels

Minutes of Committee Meeting October 2025



**MONTHLY MEETING OF
TRIBOROUGH BRIDGE AND TUNNEL AUTHORITY COMMITTEE**

October 27, 2025

9:30 a.m.

In attendance were the Honorable:

Samuel Chu, Co-Chair
Andrew Albert
Randolph Glucksman
James O'Donnell
Midori Valdivia

Also in Attendance:
Gerard Bringmann
Haeda Mihaltses

In Person:

Charles Chavez, Senior Vice President, Security & Operations, and Chief of Department
Allison L. C. de Cerreño, Ph.D., Chief Operating Officer
Romolo De Santis, P.E., C&D Senior Vice President and TBTA Chief Engineer
David Gmach, Tolling Management Director, Strategy and Stakeholder Engagement
Diane Kenneally, Chief of Staff and Chief Administrative Officer
Edwin T. King, Executive Vice President
Stephen Knapp, Senior Vice President, Tolling Management
Rose Pascone, Assistant Director, Government and Community Relations
Keiyon Ramsey, MTA PD Assistant Chief, Resource Management Command Staff
Catherine T. Sheridan, P.E., President
Marlene Thompson, Senior Vice President, Facility Management

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Minutes of TBTA Committee held October 27, 2025 at 9:30 a.m. A list of those in attendance is attached.

Public Speakers

The following speakers commented during the public speakers' session:

- Aleta Dupree about weigh in motion.

Minutes

Upon a motion duly made and seconded, the minutes of the Committee Meeting held on September 29, 2025 were approved.

Committee Work Plan

President Sheridan stated that there are no changes to the Work Plan.

President Sheridan's Remarks

President Sheridan began with an update on the targeted joint-agency enforcement operations, which have yielded more than 1,400 arrests, 63,000 summonses, and 5,700 vehicles towed. The operations now include the congestion relief zone. President Sheridan praised the work and dedication of the officers. President Sheridan also announced that Rockland County Sheriff's Office has now joined the task force.

President Sheridan reported that TBTA has strengthened its focus on tinted window enforcement. TBTA's officers have been equipped with new tint meters that measure compliance with the Vehicle and Traffic Law. The 2025 training initiative is nearly complete, with 89% of TBTA's law enforcement personnel trained in the use of these new meters. Through September, tinted window enforcement has increased by 24% over 2024 and 35% over 2023.

President Sheridan announced that TBTA and TransCore received three awards by the International Bridge, Tunnel and Turnpike Association ("IBTTA") for the successful Central Business District Tolling Program and the Congestion Relief Zone. TransCore received the Toll Excellence Award for Private Sector Innovation, and TBTA was awarded a Toll Excellence Award for Social Responsibility, as well as IBTTA's highest achievement, the President's Award for Excellence. President Sheridan thanked the entire team for their long and challenging work.

President Sheridan highlighted that October 15 marked the 30th anniversary of E-ZPass at the Verrazzano-Narrows Bridge, the first TBTA crossing to debut an electronic toll payment system. An exhibit curated by the Special Archive can be viewed at Grand Central Terminal's Vanderbilt Passage. President Sheridan thanked the maintenance crew for the installation and Metro-North colleagues for their logistical support.

Finally, President Sheridan noted that last week, she and other senior staff hosted the TBTA annual Safety and Employee Appreciation picnic. A team from many TBTA and C&D departments was awarded the inaugural President's Safety Award for their amazing work at the Marine Parkway Bridge.

Presentation: Weigh-in-Motion and Work Zone Speed Enforcement

Tolling Management Director of Strategy and Stakeholder Engagement, David Gmach, provided an overview of the Weigh-in-Motion and Work Zone Speed Enforcement programs. Refer to the video recording of the meeting, produced by the MTA and maintained in MTA records, for the details of the presentation, Commissioners' comments and questions, and President Sheridan and TBTA Staff's responses.

Action Items: Weigh-in-Motion and Work Zone Speed Enforcement

Director Gmach noted the following two action items for the Committee's approval to move to the Board for approval: (a) the Weigh-in-Motion program; and (b) Work Zone Speed Enforcement program.

Upon motion duly made and seconded, the Committee recommended approval of these action items.

Refer to the video recording of the meeting, produced by the MTA and maintained in MTA records, for the details of the Commissioners' comments and questions, and President Sheridan's responses.

Procurements

President Sheridan stated that there are no procurements.

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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