



NEW YORK STATE LEGISLATURE

2025 JOINT BUDGET HEARING

February 6th, 2025 – 9:30 AM

TRANSPORTATION

1. New York State Department of
Transportation

Marie Therese Dominguez
Commissioner

2. Metropolitan Transportation Authority

Janno Lieber
Chairman and Chief Executive

Panel A:

3. New York State Department of
Motor Vehicles

Mark J.F. Schroeder
Commissioner

4. New York State Thruway Authority

Frank Hoare
Executive Director

Panel B:

5. New York Public Transit Association

James Morrell
President

6. Permanent Citizens Advisory Committee
to the MTA (PCAC)

Lisa Daglian
Executive Director

7. Empire State Passengers Association

Steve Strauss
Executive Director

8. ACEC New York
Michael Burrige
NYS Director of Government Relations

9. NY Building Congressman
Megan Wylie
Director of Government Affairs

Panel C:

10. Associated General Contractors NYS
Walter Pacholczak
Vice President of
Government Affairs

11. Construction Industry Council of
Westchester and Hudson Valley Inc.
John Cooney Jr
Executive Director

12. NYS County Highway Superintendents
Association (NYSCHSA)
Jeffrey Smith
President

13. NYS Association of Town
Superintendents of Highways
Greg Hallberg
President

14. ReBuild NY Now
Fred Hiffa
Consultant

15. Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe
Colleen Thomas
Planning and Infrastructure Dept
Director

Panel D:

16. AdkAction
Sawyer Bailey
Executive Director

17. NYAMA - New York Aviation
Managers Association
Mark Heefner
President

18. Putnam County
Kevin Byrne
County Executive

19. NY Construction Materials Association
Ron Epstein
President/CEO

20. BAE Systems
John Hroncich
Director of North America Transit
Sales

Panel E

21. ADA Accessibility Transportation Group

Christopher Greif
President

22. Ontario County Public Defender's Office

Delton F. Caraway
Assistant Public Defender

23. University Student Senate CUNY

Daniel Reden
Akkeem Polack
Davia Willis
Vincent Mirabella
Salimatou Doumbouya