



CDTA COMMITTEE AGENDA
Board Operations Committee
Via Microsoft Teams & 110 Watervliet Avenue, Albany
Tuesday, September 22, 2026, at 9:15am

Committee Item	Responsibility
Call to Order	Peter Wohl
Approve Minutes of Tuesday, July 21, 2026	Peter Wohl
Administrative Discussion Items	
• Review Committee Agendas	Everyone
• Advocacy Update	Lisa Marrello
• August Service Changes Update	Chris Desany
• Rensselaer DRI Project	Frank Annicaro
• Board of Directors Attendance	Peter Wohl

Next Meeting: Friday, October 16, 2026, at 1:00pm via Microsoft Teams and at 110 Watervliet Ave

Adjourn	Peter Wohl
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Capital District Transportation Authority Board Operations Committee

Meeting Notes – July 21, 2026, at 1:50 pm; 110 Watervliet Avenue, Albany

In Attendance: Jayme Lahut, Peter Wohl, Jackie McDonough, Mike Criscone, Jackie Falotico, Denise Figueroa, Lisa Marrello; Frank Annicaro, Amanda Avery, Chris Desany, Trish Cooper, Lance Zarcone, Jaime Kazlo, Meghan Gonyo, Gary Guy

Meeting Purpose

Regular monthly meeting of the Board Operations Committee. Peter Wohl noted that a quorum was present. Minutes from June 16, 2026, meeting were reviewed and approved.

Administrative Discussion Items

- The committee reviewed the agendas for July's committee meetings in preparation for July's Board meeting.
- Lisa Marrello updated the committee on some of the results of last month's statewide primaries. So-called progressive democrat candidates won 8 of 10 races and two congressional primaries. In combination with the pending retirements of 30+ members in the State Assembly and Senate, there is potential for new perspectives in each house in 2027. Lisa will keep an eye on statewide elections this November and how this might impact CDTA's budgeting and for upstate public transit.
- Frank discussed recent media stories about using the Empire State Plaza as a downtown Albany bus terminal. He has spoken with local elected officials and the Commissioner of OGS about the limitations and physical constraints of the facility. Stay tuned if there are more developments.
- Frank also summarized his recent presentation to the Warren County legislature about CDTA's investments there based on operational data that has been collected over that past year or so. Based on the data, operations are being realigned when compared with what CDTA inherited in Warren County. There seems to be strong support for CDTA's approach in Glens Falls and the neighboring communities. More to come on this.
- Finally, the August committee and board meetings are canceled subject to the call of the chair.

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