

Public Transit Safety and Security Summit

Today's agenda

- Noon – Doors open, lunch served
- 12:30pm – Welcome remarks
 - Leanne Redden, RTA Executive Director
 - Garien Gatewood, City of Chicago Deputy Mayor of Community Safety
 - Ram Villivalam, State Senator
- 1pm – Panel discussion of best practices from peer regions
 - Moderator: Flora Castillo, President, Pivot Strategies
 - Panelists: Lesley Kandaras, General Manager, Metro Transit; Stephen Tu, Deputy Executive Officer of Station Experience at LA Metro
- 2pm – Break, snacks and beverages available
- 2:15pm – Presentation by Maulik Vaishnav, RTA Senior Deputy Executive Director, Planning & Capital Programming. Analysis of rider surveys and overview of active local initiatives.
- 2:45pm – Facilitated breakout sessions covering each of the three focus areas:
 - Enhancing personal security and addressing perception of crime on transit
 - Incorporating transit-specific strategies into social services initiatives
 - Creating safer, more welcoming environments in transit stations and stops
- 4pm – Breakouts report out to full group; networking
- 4:50pm – Closing remarks from Kirk Dillard, RTA Chairman

