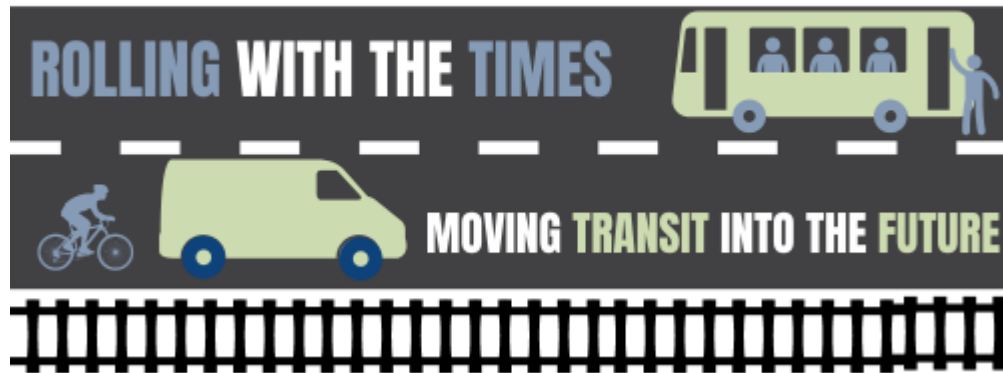


PPTA 2024 ANNUAL MEETING & EXPO



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**Lancaster Marriott at Penn Square  
April 9-12, 2024**

**Tuesday Afternoon, April 9, 2024**

Noon-6PM **Registration Open**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foyer

**PPTA Committee Meetings, Round 1**

1:00-2:00PM

Cybersecurity- Heritage E

Planning- Heritage D

2:15-3:15PM

Community Transportation- Heritage E

Marketing- Heritage D

3:30-4PM

**PennTRAIN Open Session:**

A Look Ahead (upcoming opportunities)- Heritage C

4-5PM **PennTRAIN Steering Committee** (*internal working group; by invitation*)- *Montgomery House, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor of Structure*

8:30-9:30PM **PPTA Ice Cream Social**, sponsored by **Coach Bus Sales**, Commonwealth Foyer, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

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**Wednesday, April 10**

7AM-5:30PM **Registration Open**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foyer

7:15-8:45AM Come-and-Go **Networking Breakfast, sponsored by Rohrer**  
Commonwealth Ballroom

*(Come grab some breakfast and visit before heading to committee meetings.)*

*\*Continuous Coffee Service sponsored by Modeshift\**

**PPTA Committee Meetings, Round 2**

8-9AM

Maintenance, Heritage AB

Human Resources, Heritage D

Ride Share, Heritage E *(not Shared Ride)*

9:15-10AM **Plenary Session: FTA Update**, Heritage C

*\*Morning Break Service Sponsored by TSI Video\**

**PPTA Committee Meetings, Round 2 continued**

10:15-11:15AM

Financial Officers, Heritage E

Safety, Heritage D

Operations, Heritage AB

11AM-Noon & 2-3:30PM **FTA Tabletop Meet Ups**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foyer

10:15-11:15AM **PPTA Board Meeting**, Montgomery House

10AM-3PM **EXPO BUS BOOTH Check-in at EXPO Registration**,  
Lower Level, Freedom Foyer

11AM-3PM **EXPO Tabletop Booth Check-in at Registration**  
Lower Level, Freedom Foyer

10:30AM **Bus/Vehicle Move in**, PPTA Expo, Lower Level

12-2PM EXPO Vendors Late Light Lunch, Lower Level, Freedom Hall B

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11:30AM-12:45 PM **Luncheon, TSA Update & See Something, Say Something: Reporting Tips & Best Practices, sponsored by Rohrer,**  
Commonwealth Ballroom

*\*Afternoon Break sponsored by Kimley Horn\**

**1:00PM-4:45 PM Breakout Sessions, including:**

1-1:30PM	Plenary: CTAA Update from Washington, Heritage C
1:45-2:30PM	Human Trafficking Awareness with TSA, Heritage C Transgender Inclusion: Why it Matters, Heritage AB
2:45-3:30PM	That's Infotainment! Innovative Customer Experiences, Heritage AB COSTARS Procurement with DGS, Heritage C Maintenance Matters: Current Issues and Trends, Heritage D
3:45-4:45PM	Planning: A Look Ahead, Heritage AB Find My Ride: Technology & the Consumer Experience, Heritage C

2-4PM **EXPO Booth Vendor Set Up**, Lower Level, Freedom Hall B

4PM **EXPO Set Up Closes to Vendors**

5-6:30PM **EXPO Ribbon Cutting & Grand Opening**  
Lower Level, Freedom Hall B Foyer

**Thursday, April 11**

8AM-5PM **Registration Open**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foyer

8-9:30AM **Breakfast in Trade Show**, Lower Level, Freedom Hall B

9-9:45AM **Transit GM & CEO Roundtable**, Hickory, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor (*closed session*)

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9:45AM-Noon **Breakout Sessions, noted below**

Breakouts #4, 9:45-10:30AM

*Break in Trade Show, 10:30-11AM, Lower Level, Freedom Hall B*

Breakouts #5, 11AM-Noon

9:45-10:30AM

**SESSION ONE OPTIONS:**

Labor: Negotiations Best Practices from Around PA, Heritage AB

PA Products Primer: Industry Update, PPTA EXPO Hall

Synchronized Successes: How Transit Agencies & Boards Can Work, & Win, Together, Heritage D

11-Noon

**SESSION TWO, PLENARY SESSION:**

Making the Case for Transit Communicating Value & How Heritage C

10AM-Noon **PennDOT Tabletop Meet Ups**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Foyer

Noon-1:30PM **Lunch in Trade Show**, Lower Level, Freedom Hall B

**Breakout Sessions Continue**

1:30PM-4:30 PM Breakout Sessions

Breakouts #6, 1:30-2:30PM; Networking Break, 2:30-3PM

Breakouts #7, 3-4PM; Breakouts #8, 4:15-5PM

**SESSION OPTIONS**

1:30-2:30PM

Protecting Your Most Valuable Assets: Preventing Operator Assaults, Heritage C  
Allocations & Applications: Finance Best Practices Heritage AB

3-4PM

MATP Update: National View, Heritage AB

Capital Assets & Maintenance Plans, PennDOT, Heritage C

4:15-5PM

Microtransit: Statewide Happenings, Heritage C  
Seniors & Aging Populations: State Plan Update, Aging Our Way, PA, Heritage AB

5:30-7PM **Pride of PA Closing Reception, sponsored by RKL**, Annie Bailey's

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**Friday, April 12**

8:30 AM **Breakfast** Service Begins, **sponsored by Q'STRAIT**,  
Commonwealth Ballroom

9-11AM **PPTA General Membership Meeting**, Commonwealth Ballroom  
includes:

- Membership Meeting
- PennDOT Technical Update
- Government Affairs Briefing
- Legal Update

11AM **Adjourn**

*Thank you for your continued involvement in PPTA.*

**UP NEXT:**

**PPTA 2024 Rodeo & Summer Meeting, Aug 3-5, Altoona, PA**

**PPTA 2024 Fall Meeting, September 23-25, Pittsburgh, PA**

