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MTA Announces New Interim President of NYC Transit

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority announced in a statement on Friday that Craig Cipriano, President of MTA Bus Company and Senior Vice President of NYC Transit's Department of Buses since 2019, will replace Sarah Feinberg as Interim President of NYC Transit, effective Saturday, July 31. In response, Renae Reynolds, Executive Director of Tri-State Transportation Campaign, released the following statement:

"Craig Cipriano is a seasoned leader with many years of experience working with the MTA. As President of MTA Bus Company and Senior Vice President of NYCT's Department of Buses, Mr. Cipriano oversaw many transformational improvements to the largest bus agency in North America, including the Staten Island Express Bus Network Redesign and rolling out real-time bus information technology in all five boroughs.

"Coming out of the Covid-19 pandemic, there is a lot of work to be done to ensure that quality public transportation remains a key pillar of New York's success. NYCT must continue the bus network redesign process, activate all-door boarding, and establish an implementation plan for fleet electrification. Furthermore, subway signal modernization and station accessibility should remain top priorities for the agency.

"We look forward to working with Mr. Cipriano on these initiatives, and many more, to keep New Yorkers moving."

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Tri-State Transportation Campaign is a 27-year-old advocacy and policy organization that fights for an equitable, safe, multi-modal transportation network that provides options and supports the economies of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut. TSTC works to fix our commutes, meet our climate goals, stop traffic deaths, and make transportation fair.