

Safety Update

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Discussion Topics

2026 MBTA Transit Safety Plan (TSP) Update

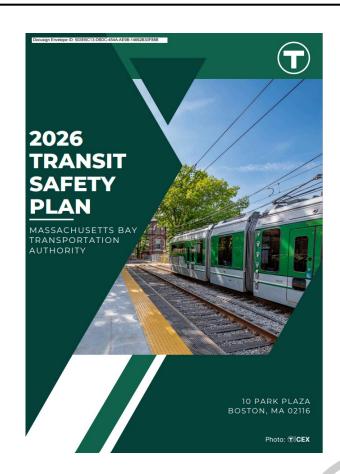
Recent Incidents and Corrective Actions



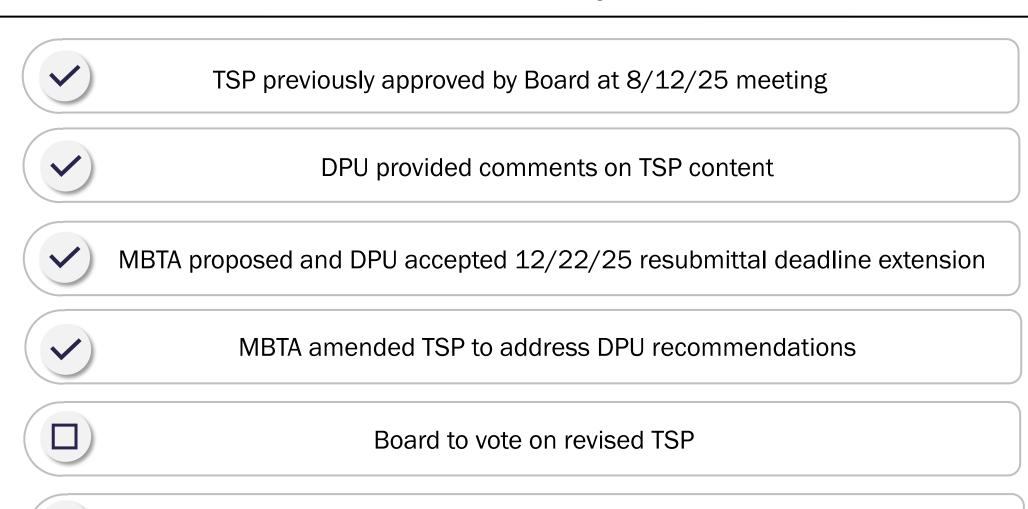
Transit Safety Plan Overview

MBTA Transit Safety Plan (TSP)

- Required by the Federal Transit Administration
- Governs safety activities for transit rail, bus, and paratransit
- Defines safety goals and objectives, roles and responsibilities, and major initiatives
- Updated each year
- Subject to Board of Directors review and approval before annual submittal to DPU for certification



2026 Transit Safety Plan Status



MBTA to submit revised TSP to DPU for certification

DPU TSP Comments and MBTA Response

Safety Performance Targets

- Revised Section 3.2 includes updates to MBTA's methodology and data sources for target development, linking more directly to revenue mileage and performance data that MBTA reports to the National Transit Database.
- MBTA's 2026 Safety Performance Targets have been updated in accordance with the revised methodology.
- Data has been added to the plan to provide transparency and context for targets.



DPU TSP Comments and MBTA Response

Risk Reduction Program

- Section 3.2 revised to include updated information on CY24 performance relative to CY24 targets.
- Minimal changes to overall assessment of whether targets were met or unmet.
- Largely unchanged mitigations associated with each unmet target.

Initial	

Mode	2024 Target (Rate)	2024 Actual Performance (Rate)	% Difference
Heavy Rail	49,000	70,986	45%
Light Rail	7,900	7,302	-8%
Bus	28,500	27,671	-3%
The RIDE	25,900	22,453	-13%

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	Mode	2024 Target (Rate)	2024 Actual Performance (Rate)	% Difference
	Heavy Rail	49,000	76,769	57%
ı	Light Rail	7,900	9,194	16%
ı	Bus	28,500	35,909	26%
	The RIDE	25,900	18,186	-30%

Previously-approved CY24 targets unchanged

Updated **CY24 actuals** from new NTD-aligned methodology

Questions?



Proposed Board Vote

VOTED:

As required by 49 CFR § 673.11 (a)(1), the MBTA Board of Directors hereby approves the 2026 Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority Transit Safety Plan, presented to the Board on December 18, 2025.



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Thank You. Questions?

