

**Meeting Minutes  
Safety and Operations Committee  
February 13, 2020**

Committee Chair Goldman called the meeting to order at 9:48 a.m. Present were:

**Committee Members**

Mr. Michael Goldman, Chair  
Mr. Devin Rouse\*  
Mr. Jeff Marootian

**Other Members**

Mr. Paul Smedberg  
Mr. Gregory Slater  
Mr. Steve McMillin  
Mr. Tom Bulger  
Mr. Matt Letourneau\*

\*Designated jurisdictional representative

**Approval of Agenda**

The agenda was approved as submitted.

**Approval of Minutes**

Mr. Marootian moved, seconded by Mr. Rouse, approval of the minutes for the January 16, 2019 Safety and Operations Committee meeting. The minutes were unanimously approved.

**Information Item**

**A. Bus Rapid Transit (BRT) Panel Discussion**

A panel of experts was convened to discuss Bus Rapid Transit and suburb-to-suburb transportation needs around the region. The panel consisted of Shyam Kannan, Vice President of Planning at WMATA; Jeannette Chapman, Director of The Stephen S. Fuller Institute in the Schar School of Policy and Government at George Mason University; DW Rowlands, graduate student at the University of Maryland, Baltimore County; Joana Conklin, Leader of Montgomery County's Bus Rapid Transit Program; and Kate Mattice, Executive Director of the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission (NVTC).

**Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a.m.