

STA Board Meeting

- The meeting was called to order by Chair Speirs at 1:32
 - The clerk conducted roll call
- All stood for the Pledge of Allegiance
- Excused absences were requested for Mr. Campbell, who was on city business. Mr. Hattenburg moved to excuse the absence. Ms. Haley seconded and the motion passed unanimously.
- The Chair read the following statement into the record:

“This past Sunday, an STA double decker bus failed to clear the railroad viaduct on Cedar Street between 1st and 2nd Avenues resulting in the top of the bus striking the overpass. Our thoughts are with the passengers of the accident, and we are grateful for the efforts of all those who responded and assisted at the scene. STA’s CEO, Karl Otterstrom, contacted me on Sunday to inform me of the accident and kept me and the Board apprised of developments through the day on Sunday and into Monday.

Safety continues to be STA’s highest priority. STA has begun an investigation into the accident and its potential causes. The STA Board of Directors understands the seriousness of the situation and expects a thorough and timely investigation. We anticipate further information to be shared with the public in due time and appreciate your patience as we undergo the investigation and implement any necessary interim safety measures.”
- Public Expressions were offered by Mr. Erik Lowe.
- Recognitions & Presentations
 - Mr. Rapez Betty recognized Ms. McMaster, Paratransit Van Operator, on her retirement after 30 years.
 - Ms. Williams presented Years of Service 4Q 2025
 - The recording was started during this presentation