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NVTC/PRTC Legislative Briefing
December 10, 2018
9-11 a.m.
Embassy Suites by Hilton
8100 Loisdale Rd.
Springfield, VA

NVTC works to ensure that businesses and residents are served by a high capacity, high quality network of transit systems that allows the region to thrive. It funds and promotes transit in the counties of Arlington, Fairfax and Loudoun and the cities of Alexandria, Fairfax and Falls Church. NVTC supports five local bus systems (ART, CUE, DASH, Fairfax Connector, Loudoun County Transit), WMATA (Metrorail/Metrobus) and the Virginia Railway Express. Visit www.NoVaTransit.org or call 703-524-3322 to learn more.

Transit's Role in Amazon HQ2 Decision and Importance of Dedicated Funding among Topics at NVTC/PRTC Legislative Briefing

Arlington, VA - The events of 2018 have been a game changer for Northern Virginia, with a major overhaul in state transit funding and the announcement of Amazon’s new HQ2. On December 10, state and local elected officials, business leaders and transportation experts will hear from Matt Kelly, CEO of real estate developer JGB SMITH, and leaders of regional transit agencies as they discuss how they are adapting to these changes and looking to the future. This legislative briefing, hosted by the Northern Virginia Transportation Commission and the Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission, will explore what Virginia's 2019 legislative session may mean for transit in the region.

Featuring
Matt Kelly, CEO, JBG SMITH
on the importance of transportation infrastructure in securing Amazon HQ2 for Northern Virginia and the opportunities for innovation in project implementation

Panel
on the importance of dedicated transit funding to the region
Paul Wiedefeld, CEO & GM
Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority
Doug Allen, CEO
Virginia Railway Express
Kate Mattice, Executive Director
Northern Virginia Transportation Commission
Bob Schneider, Executive Director
Potomac and Rappahannock Transportation Commission & OmniRide
Jennifer Mitchell, Director
Department of Rail and Public Transportation (Moderator)

Speakers
Paul Smedberg, Chairman
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Ruth Anderson, Chairman
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