## Transit Asset Management (TAM) Agreement

On May 27, 2016, the final rule for statewide and metropolitan transportation planning was published, based on 2012's Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century (MAP-21) Act and 2015's Fixing America's Transportation System (FAST) Act. As part of this final rule, 23 CFR 450.314 (h) requires the metropolitan planning organizations (MPO), State(s), and the providers of public transportation (referred to here as "providers") to jointly agree upon and develop specific written provisions for cooperatively developing and sharing information related to transportation performance data, the selection of performance targets, the reporting of performance to be used in tracking progress toward attainment of critical outcomes for the region of the MPO.

The Puerto Rico Highway and Transportation Authority (PRHTA) and the Puerto Rico MPO hereby agree to share transit asset management data, targets, and plans as follows:

- PRHTA will coordinate with the transit providers in their planning area during the development of each providers' Transit Asset Management (TAM) Plan.
- The PRMPO will set TAM targets for the Group TAM Plan, in coordination with transit providers in their planning area and share those targets with PRHTA.
- The PRMPO will agree upon the TAM targets for the Tren Urbano (TU) and the Maritime Transportation Authority (MTA) and the providers will share their TAM Plans to the PRMPO.
- PRHTA sponsors a Group TAM Plan for Tier 2 transit providers who opt to participate, collects
  inventory information from these providers, sets targets in coordination with the providers, and
  shares the TAM Plan with providers and PRMPO.
- The PRMPO will reflect TAM targets in their short-range planning document and share with PRHTA and transit providers in their planning area.
- PRHTA will submit the A-90 form of the National Transit Database (NTD), reflecting TAM targets set by the PRHTA Group Plan, and will share this report with the PRMPO and transit providers.
- This agreement will be added to the *Rules and Operating Procedures of the Puerto Rico Metropolitan Planning Organization* as an appendix.

PRMPO Signature Date PRHTA Signature Date

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