



RIDE SAFE RIDE SECURE



PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SAFETY PACKAGE

NYS ASSEMBLY REPUBLICAN SOLUTION:

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PENALIZE CRIMINALS

- **Increase penalties** for crimes on public transportation to ensure certain crimes are **bail eligible** ([A.11053](#), to be introduced)
- Address issues with **Raise the Age** to ensure these crimes are **tried in youth part criminal court** ([A.4705](#))
- Expand the current **MTA transit ban** statute to include rider-on-rider assaults and allow judges to apply the ban to transit agencies statewide ([A.11063](#))
- **Cooperate with federal immigration officials** to prevent crimes involving dangerous illegal immigrants ([A.2261](#), [A.2262](#), [A.5801](#))

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PROTECT RIDERS

- **\$100 million** public transportation security grant program to keep New Yorkers safe ([A.10916](#))
- Allow retired law enforcement to serve as **Transit Marshals** to provide security similar to federal air marshals ([A.11054](#))
- **“Penny for a Hero Good Samaritan Protection Act”** to protect individuals intervening in emergencies ([A.4968](#))