# Department of Public Works & Transportation

**Transportation Division** 

2019 Executive Proposed Budget



#### Core Programs & Functions

- The mission of the Transportation Division is to facilitate the movement of those who live, work and travel in and to Westchester County in an effective and economically efficient manner.
- Provide surface transportation through its operational management and oversight of the Bee-Line Bus system in addition to overseeing administrative services and management oversight at the Westchester County Airport.
- Provide the administrative and fiscal operations for Federal and State grants including the Job Access Reverse Commute (JARC) programs and Congestion Mitigation Air Quality grants.
- Planning duties include the coordination of regional transportation, secure State & Federal grants, airport planning and conduct service enhancement projects.
- Conduct transportation outreach to residents, including Seniors and Students to promote available transportation and commuting alternatives.



### New Initiatives & Highlights

- This year the Division will be conducting a 2019 Bee-Line System on-board passenger survey.
- Expanding transportation outreach to target seniors and the aging population through the Senior BEAT (Be Educated About Transit) campaign.
- Installation of bike racks on all articulated and nonarticulated buses.
- Continue to seek ways to increase the fuel efficiency of all our vehicles including those used for paratransit.
- Incorporating state-of-the-art energy conservation designs in our bus maintenance facilities and terminal hubs.
- Continue to monitor DBE compliance for FTA and FAA funded projects and undertake outreach efforts to ensure DBE Participation.



## **Budget Summary**

| ITEM                       | 2018          | 2019          |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Operating Positions        | 18            | 19            |
| Trust Positions            | 16            | 16            |
| TOTAL POSITIONS            | 34            | 35            |
|                            |               |               |
| Personal Service           | \$1,164,169   | \$1,388,194   |
| Equipment                  | \$0           | \$494,000     |
| Materials & Supplies       | \$1,483,541   | \$1,560,962   |
| Contractual Expenses       | \$160,239,627 | \$167,087,401 |
| Inter-Departmental Charges | \$2,131,487   | \$1,997,744   |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES         | \$165,018,824 | \$172,528,301 |
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## **Budget Summary**

| ITEM                       | 2018          | 2019          |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Inter-Departmental Revenue | \$444,956     | \$444,956     |
| Departmental Revenue       | \$38,438,088  | \$39,023,003  |
| State & Federal Aid        | \$70,228,730  | \$73,781,800  |
| TOTAL REVENUE              | \$109,111,774 | \$113,249,759 |
|                            |               |               |
| DEPARTMENT TAX LEVY        | \$55,907,050  | \$59,278,542  |
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