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# **BHI Transportation Authority (BHITA) Meeting**

At its June regular meeting, the BHI Transportation Authority’s Board considered several administrative items, including passing the 2020/21 budget and a sixth inter-local agreement with the Village of BHI to receive \$130,000 to explore private financing and issuance of bonds to finance the purchase of the transportation system from BHI Limited. The 2020/21 meeting schedule was also approved. Meetings will continue to be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 9:15am.

BHI Limited CEO Chad Paul spoke about recent ferry passenger travel statistics. Overall, 2020 ridership for the first weekend of June is similar to that of 2017, 2018 and 2019, while operating at 50% capacity. Paul also stated that while the ferry and tram are operating at 50% capacity, approximately 5,225 passengers were bumped to the next ferry primarily at Deep Point. The next meeting of the Authority will be on Wednesday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:15am at the Southport Community Building unless otherwise publicly noticed.