



**CONSORTIUM FOR CITIZENS
WITH DISABILITIES**

Transportation Task Force 2021 Annual Report

I. Task Force Description

The CCD Transportation Task Force pursues policies that ensure reliable, affordable, safe, quality transportation options and opportunities for all free from ableism, racism, religious intolerance, LGBTQIA+ discrimination, sexism, xenophobia and other forms of discrimination.

II. Top 3 Issues the Task Force Worked On in 2021

1. Promoted accessible, safe and equitable autonomous vehicle research, regulations and legislation.
2. Engaged with USDOT and Amtrak. Advocated for accessible, equitable provision of multimodal mobility. Modes included, but were not limited to: transit, rail, access to public-rights-of-way, micromobility, and ridehailing.
3. Advocated for passage of the Surface Transportation Reauthorization Act and supporting the Disability Access to Transportation Act

III. Top 3 Issues Identified for 2022

1. Engage with USDOT and Amtrak regarding equitable implementation of surface transportation reauthorization programs, and equity and accessibility initiatives, including, but not limited to: Justice40, ITS4U, the public rights of way guidelines, the coordinating council on access and mobility, and the all station accessibility program.
2. Update the Task Force Autonomous Vehicle Principles
3. Continue to learn from and engage with BIPOC transportation equity leaders, and instill an intersectional perspective across our policy efforts.

IV. Task Force Meetings

1st Wednesday of the month at 12:30 PM eastern

V. 2021 Co-Chairs

- Sarah Malaier, American Foundation for the Blind
- Claire Stanley, National Disability Rights Network
- Swatha Nandhakumar, American Council of the Blind
- Carol Tyson, Disability Rights Education & Defense Fund

VI. Task Force Webpage Link

http://www.c-c-d.org/rubriques.php?rub=taskforce.php&id_task=15