

Endorsement of Jeremy Ferguson for President of SMART Transportation Division

My name is Ron Sabol, I am the New Jersey State Director for the Transportation Division of SMART and the Delegate for Local-1447. I have worked with Jeremy for many years, first in our General Committee (GO-049), and as our Vice President and for the past 5 years as our President. I have seen first hand his dedication to our membership. His knowledge of both collective bargaining and safety are unsurpassed.

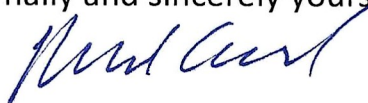
Jeremy is a true leader, who gives opportunities for his members to learn and grow in their union careers. I was lucky enough to watch Jeremy in action at the Presidential Emergency Board. He beat back the Railroads, getting us the best contract we had seen in recent times. He is a master of his craft and a force to be reckoned with. Jeremy's support of Transit and passenger rail service members should also be spotlighted here, as he has been front and center with dealing to protect our members from assaults. Jeremy has also worked tirelessly on getting railroad workers the sick time they deserve.

There are not enough words to express all the reasons why I full heartedly believe Jeremy is the right choice for President. He will continue to fight for our members and continue to move us to more powerful future.

I will be casting my vote for Jeremy Ferguson and I urge you to do the same. Our union future depends on it.

As always, I remain

Fraternally and sincerely yours in Brotherhood,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ron Sabol", written in a cursive style.

Mr. Ron E. Sabol
New Jersey State Legislative Director
President, Delegate Local 1447