

**PAST SAAAI HONOREES**  
**Update 9/2/2023**

**2024**

- 1. Daileyne Abraham, Project Director, NYSDOT**
- 2. Joannene Kidder, Exec Dir Community Affairs - NYCDOT**
- 3. James Heitmann, Chief Operating Officer, PANYNJ**
- 4. Tom Foley, Commissioner (Accepted by Thomas Wynne) NYCDDC**
- 5. Mark Roche, Deputy Chief Development, MTA**

**2023**

- 1. Dennis Biegel, PE - Director Movable Bridges, NYCDOT**
- 2. Salman Macktoom, PE - Assistant Commissioner, NYCDDC**
- 3. Shilpan Patel, PE - Area Construction Manager, NYSDOT**
- 4. Amanda Rogers, PE - Deputy Chief Engineer PANYNJ**
- 5. Catherine Sheridan, PE - President MTA B&T**

**2022**

- 1. Pankaj Patel, PE Area Supervisor R-11, NYSDOT**
- 2. Mr. Thomas Wynne, PE Deputy Commissioner for Infrastructure NYCDDC**
- 3. Rizwan Baig, PE, PTP, PTOE Deputy Chief Engineer – PA NY&NJ**
- 4. Paul G. Schwartz, PE Deputy Commissioner, Bridges - NYCDOT**
- 5. Kris Kolluri Chief Executive Officer Gateway Development Commission**

**2021**

- 1. Sidney Camille, PE, Area Construction Manager, NYSDOT, Region-11**
- 2. Tanvi Pandya, PE, BQE, Design Build & Emergency Contracts, NYCDOT**
- 3. Luis Sanchez, PE, Associate Commissioner, Infrastructure Division, NYCDDC**
- 4. Martha Bogle, PE, Chief of Design NYC Metro Area, PANYNJ**
- 5. Magalie Austin, Senior Advisor and Director Mayor's Office of MWBE**

**2020 – NO FUNCTION**

**2019**

- 1. Shehal Shah, Project Director, NYSDOT Region 11**
- 2. Robert Yueh, Assistant Commissioner, NYCDDC**
- 3. Mike Wallace, Chief of Construction, PANYNJ**
- 4. Romolo DeSantis, Deputy Chief Engineer, MTA Bridges and Tunnels**
- 5. Elan Abneri, Director Studio 1, NYCSCA**
- 6. Jonnel Doris, Sr. Advisor and Director of Mayor's MWBEs**

**2018**

- 1. Nancy Carolan, ACCO NYCDOT**
- 2. Michael McCotter, Construction Area Supervisor, NYSDOT Region-11**
- 3. Lambert Monah, Bronx Borough Director, NYCDDC**

**2017 – Honored Industry Leaders:**

1. **Lorraine Grillo** - President, NYCSCA
2. **Polly Trottenberg** - Commissioner, NYCDOT
3. **Brettt Garvar** - NYSDOT – Region 10
4. **Rodneyse Bichotte** - Assembly Member and State Committee Woman / District Leader for New York State's 42nd Assembly District.

**2016 – Honored Industry Leaders:**

1. **Christine Flaherty** Associate Commissioner NYCDDC
2. **James Starace, P.E.** Chief Engineer The Port Authority of NY & NJ
3. **Gordon Tung, P.E.** Vice President, Construction Management NYCSCA
4. **Rakhal Maitra** Deputy Commissioner Nassau County Department of Public Works
5. **Christopher J. Alvarez, P.E.** Assistant to Director of Construction & Regional Construction Engineer NYSDOT

**2015 - Honored Industry Leaders:**

1. **Robin L. Wilcox**, Director of Operations, Mentor Program and Construction Management Administrator NYCSCA
2. **Joe Keane P.E.**, Vice President and Chief Engineer MTA Bridges & Tunnels
3. **David Dunn, P.E.** Deputy Chief Engineer NYCDOT
4. **Shahram Jaromi, P.E.** Assistant Commissioner NYCDDC
5. **Craig Ruyle, P.E.** Area Supervisor NYSDOT

**2014 - Anil Parikh, P.E.**, Senior Vice President & Program Executive

Second Avenue Subway Project, MTA Capital Construction

**Bruce Ogurek, P.E.** Director of Construction, NYSDOT

**Thomas Foley, P.E.**, Assistant Commissioner – Infrastructure, NYCDDC

**Robert Collyer, P.E.**, Acting Chief Engineer, NYCDOT

**Wallace Caban, P.E.**, Assistant Chief Engineer, PANYNJ

**2013 – Sonia Pichardo, P.E. (NYSDOT)**

**Sonia Jaising, R.A. (MTA, NYC Transit)**

**Harold Fink, P.E. (NYSDOT)**

**Farhand M. Syed, P.E. (NYCHA)**

**John M. Keller, P.E. (NJ Turnpike Authority)**

**Krishan Lal Baweja, P.E. (NYCDOT)**

**2012 – Ms. Kathryn Mallon, P.E. (NYCDEP)**

**Mr. Raymond Ribeiro, P.E. (NYCHA)**

**Mr. Joseph Brown, P.E. (NYSDOT)**

**Mr. Mohsen Zargarelahi (NYCDDC)**

**Mr. Muhammad Afzal (NYCDOT)**

**2011 - Mr. Dilipkumar I. Patel (NYCT)**

**Mr. Gurdip Saini (NYCDDC)**

**Mr. Russell Holcomb (NYCDOT)**  
**Mr. George Toma (NYC SCA)**

**2010 - Ms. Shila Shah-Gavnoudias (Nassau County Exec)**  
**Mr. Vinod Devgan (NYCDDC)**  
**Mr. Anil Vyas (NYCDOT)**  
**Mr. Kiran B. Patel (NJDOT)**  
**Mr. Seymour Portes MTA (NYCT)**

**2009 – Mr. Eric C. MacFarlane (NYCDDC)**  
**Mr. Henry D. Perahia (NYCDOT)**  
**Mr. Peter J. Zipf (PANYNJ)**  
**Mr. Uday R. Durg MTA (NYCT)**

**2008 – Ms. Cosema E. Crawford (NYCT)**  
**Mr. Dino Y. P. Ng (NYCDDC)**  
**Mr. Andy Lalchandani (NYCDOT)**  
**Mr. John Kwok (NYSDOT)**

**2007 – Mr. Balram Chandiramani (NYCDOT)**  
**Mr. Ali A Mallick (NYCDDC)**  
**Mr. Ashok Patel, P.E., Program MTA (NYCT)**

**2006 - Mr. Kris Kolluri (Did not Accept)**  
**Mr. Francis J. Lombardi (PANYNJ)**  
**Mr. Chester Yee (NYC SCA)**  
**Mr. Kamal Kishore (NYCDOT)**

**2005 - Mr. Phillip Eng, P.E. – (NYSDOT)**  
**Mr. Jayantilal Patel, P.E. (NYCDOT)**  
**Mr. Madan Naik, P.E. (NYCT)**

**2004 - Mr. Doug Currey (NYSDOT)**  
**Mr. Subimal Chakraborti (NYSDOT)**  
**Mr. Ramesh Mehta, P.E. (Thruway Authority)**

**2003 - Mysore L. Nagaraja (MTA CC)**