



Long Island Rail Road

Financial and Ridership Reports – October 2023

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Financial Report Highlights

October Budget Performance Summary

- Total revenue of \$834.9 million was \$25.3 million higher than the forecast. This was primarily due to higher farebox revenue and the timing of reimbursement for capital activity.
- Through October 2023, ridership was 53.5 million, 24.4% above 2022 and (29.6)% below 2019 pre-COVID levels (adjusted for the same number of workdays), and 2.2% above the forecast. Commutation ridership of 21.5 million was 25.0% above 2022 and 3.2% above the forecast. Non-Commutation ridership of 32.0 million was 24.0% above 2022 and 1.5% above the forecast. Consequently, the farebox revenue of \$466.1 million was \$8.0 million higher than the forecast.
- Total expenses before non-cash liability adjustments of \$1,827.0 million were \$98.8 million or 5.1% favorable to the forecast. The primary drivers of this favorable variance are vacant positions and associated fringe costs, OPEB Current, electric power expenses, the timing of pension payments, material usage, maintenance and other operating contracts, and professional services contracts, partially offset by higher overtime, fuel expenses, the timing of claims, FELA, and other business expenses.
- October end-of-month total headcount was 7,748 which was 120 positions lower than the forecast. Non-reimbursable was 8 positions higher than the forecast and reimbursable was 128 positions lower than the forecast.
- October YTD non-reimbursable operating results were favorable to the forecast by \$114.0 million or 7.3%. Non-reimbursable revenues through October were \$11.4 million favorable to the forecast primarily due to higher farebox and other operating revenue. Total non-reimbursable expenses were \$102.7 million favorable primarily due to vacant positions and associated fringe costs, lower OPEB Current, electric power expenses, the timing of pension payments, maintenance & other operating contracts, professional service contracts, material usage, and GASB 87, partially offset by higher overtime, depreciation, environmental remediation, and the timing of claims and FELA.

2023 Operating Revenue & Expenses, October Year-to-Date

In \$ Millions	Long Island Rail Road		
	Forecast	Actual	Variance
Total Revenues	\$482.6	\$494.0	\$11.4
Farebox Revenue	\$458.1	\$466.1	\$8.0
Other Revenue	\$24.5	\$27.9	\$3.4
Total Expenses	\$1,598.8	\$1,486.1	\$112.7
Labor Expenses	\$1,169.9	\$1,120.1	\$49.8
Non Labor Expenses	\$428.9	\$366.0	\$62.9
Non Cash Liabilities	\$442.4	\$452.5	(\$10.1)
Net Surplus/(Deficit) - Accrued	(\$1,558.6)	(\$1,444.5)	\$114.0

Staffing Levels

In Full-Time Equivalents	Long Island Rail Road		
	Forecast	Actual	Variance
Non-Reimbursable	6,763	6,771	(8)
Reimbursable	1,105	977	128
Total Positions	7,868	7,748	120

Revenues

- **Farebox Revenues** were \$8.0 million favorable to the forecast due to higher ridership, partially offset by lower yield per passenger. Ridership through October was 53.5 million. This was 24.4% higher than in 2022 (adjusted for the same number of calendar workdays) and 2.2% higher than the forecast.
- **Other Operating Revenues** were \$3.4 million favorable to the forecast primarily due to higher rental and advertising revenue, partially offset by miscellaneous revenue.

Expenses

Labor Expenses: \$49.8 million favorable.

- **Payroll** expenses were \$15.9 million favorable (primarily due to vacant positions).
- **Overtime** expenses were \$(2.5) million unfavorable (primarily higher programmatic/routine maintenance, vacancy/absentee coverage, and unscheduled maintenance, partially offset by scheduled service and unscheduled service).
- **Health & Welfare** expenses were \$8.7 million favorable (vacant positions).
- **OPEB Current Payments** were \$10.9 million favorable (fewer retirees/beneficiaries than projected).
- **Pension** expenses were \$3.9 million favorable (primarily due to timing).
- **Other Fringe** expenses were \$5.4 million favorable (primarily due to lower Railroad Retirement Taxes due to vacant positions, partially offset by the timing of FELA indemnity reserves).
- **Reimbursable Overhead** expenses were \$7.5 million favorable (primarily the timing of capital project activity).

Non-Labor Expenses: \$62.9 million favorable.

- **Electric Power** expenses were \$22.1 million favorable (primarily due to lower rates and consumption).
- **Fuel** expenses were \$(0.8) million unfavorable (primarily due to higher rates, partially offset by lower consumption).
- **Insurance** expenses were \$1.1 million favorable (lower property and liability insurance).
- **Claims** expenses were \$(2.4) million unfavorable (primarily due to an increase in reserves).
- **Maintenance and Other Operating Contracts** were \$10.0 million favorable (primarily due to project reimbursement for vehicles and work train usage, the timing of JCC maintenance & repairs, station cleaning costs, various maintenance & repair contracts, weed control & clearing, and real estate rental costs, partially offset by the timing of HVAC, non-revenue vehicle repairs, and equipment/vehicles rental).

- **Professional Services** were \$7.1 million favorable (primarily due to the timing of fiber optic network expenses, sperry rail testing, decommissioning, and lower MTA chargebacks, partially offset by higher legal fees).
- **Materials and Supplies** were \$26.1 million favorable (primarily due to the timing of modifications and RCM activity for revenue fleet, partially offset by the timing of right-of-way material, miscellaneous inventory reserve adjustment, and the reclass of expenses resulting from the retirement and disposal of rail cars).
- **Other Business Expenses** were \$(0.3) million unfavorable (primarily due to an increase in bad debt reserves and higher credit card processing fees, partially offset by lower payroll mobility tax payments, travel meetings & conventions, employee expense-tuition reimbursement, and office supplies and higher restitution on property damage).

Depreciation and Other were \$(10.1) million unfavorable (primarily due to depreciation).

Overtime

- Total overtime was \$(4.1) million unfavorable. Non-reimbursable was \$(2.5) million unfavorable and reimbursable was \$(1.6) million unfavorable.
- Unfavorable non-reimbursable overtime was primarily driven by higher programmatic/routine maintenance, vacancy/absentee coverage, and unscheduled maintenance, partially offset by scheduled service and unscheduled service.

Staffing Levels

- Total headcount at the end of October was 7,748, 120 positions lower than the forecast.
- The vacancies were primarily in Transportation, Program Management, and various administrative departments.

Financial Metrics

- The year-to-date October Adjusted Farebox Operating Ratio was 34.2% which is above the forecast due to higher farebox revenue and lower expenses.
- The year-to-date October Adjusted Cost per Passenger was \$27.04, which is lower than the forecast due to higher ridership and lower expenses.
- The year-to-date October Revenue per Passenger was \$8.71, which was below the forecast due to a lower yield per passenger.

TABLE 1

MTA LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD
JULY FINANCIAL PLAN - 2023 MID-YEAR FORECAST
ACCRUAL STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS by CATEGORY
OCTOBER 2023

(\$ in millions)

	Nonreimbursable						Reimbursable						Total		
	Favorable			(Unfavorable)			Favorable			(Unfavorable)			Favorable		(Unfavorable)
	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	(Unfavorable)		
Revenue															
Farebox Revenue	\$52,604	\$51,717	(\$0,887)	(-1.7)	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$52,604	\$51,717	(\$0,887)	(-1.7)			
Vehicle Toll Revenue	0.000	2,569	(0,410)	(-13.8)	0.000	0.000	0.000	-	0.000	0.000	0.000	-			
Other Operating Revenue	2,978	0.000	0.000	-	34,646	34,665	0.020	0.1	2,978	2,569	(0,410)	(-13.8)			
Capital & Other Reimbursements	0.000	0.000	-	-	\$34,646	\$34,665	\$0,020	0.1	34,646	34,665	\$0.020	(1.4)	(\$1,277)	\$86,951	(\$1,277)
Total Revenue	\$55,582	\$54,286	(\$1,297)	(2.3)											
Expenses															
Labor:															
Payroll	\$52,758	\$53,231	(\$0,473)	(0.9)	\$12,302	\$10,791	\$1,512	12.3	\$65,060	\$64,022	\$1,038	1.6			
Overtime	16,587	18,354	(1,767)	(10.7)	3,616	4,537	0,921	(25.5)	20,203	22,891	(2,689)	(13.3)			
Health and Welfare	13,468	12,261	1,208	9.0	2,704	2,587	0,116	4.3	16,172	14,848	1,324	8.2			
OPEB Current Payment	7,680	5,852	1,828	23.8	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	7,680	5,852	1,828	23.8			
Pensions	15,283	14,778	0,505	3.3	4,393	4,272	0,121	2.8	19,050	18,245	0,958	3.2			
Other Fringe Benefits	15,480	14,464	1,017	6.6	2,765	2,824	(0,059)	(2.1)	17,287	0,958	5.2				
Reimbursable Overtime	15,480	14,464	(1,417)	(13.06)	46.0	2,841	4,147	(1,306)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
Total Labor Expenses	\$118,415	\$114,793	\$3,622	3.1	\$28,621	\$29,158	(\$0,537)	(1.9)	\$147,036	\$143,951	\$3,085	2.1			
Non-Labor:															
Electric Power	\$9,283	\$6,580	(\$2,703)	29.1	\$0,030	\$0,036	(\$0,006)	(18.4)	\$9,313	\$6,615	\$2,687	29.0			
Fuel	2,343	2,869	(0,527)	(22.5)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	2,343	2,869	(0,527)	(22.5)			
Insurance	2,150	2,053	0,098	4.6	0,713	0,528	0,185	25.9	2,863	2,581	0,283	9.9			
Claims	0,216	0,282	(0,066)	(30.8)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,216	0,282	(0,066)	(30.8)			
Paratransit Service Contracts	0,000	0,000	-	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
Maintenance and Other Operating Contracts	10,106	8,438	1,668	16.5	2,220	2,009	(0,789)	(64.7)	13,326	10,447	0,879	7.8			
Professional Service Contracts	3,728	3,132	0,597	16.0	0,063	(0,043)	0,106	*	3,792	3,089	0,703	18.5			
Materials & Supplies	14,778	5,862	8,916	60.3	3,962	2,923	1,039	26.2	18,739	8,784	9,985	53.1			
Other Business Expenses	1,707	1,489	0,218	12.8	0,037	0,055	(0,018)	(47.6)	1,744	1,544	0,201	11.5			
Total Non-Labor Expenses	\$44,310	\$30,703	\$13,607	30.7	\$6,025	\$5,508	\$0,517	8.6	\$50,335	\$36,211	\$14,124	28.1			
Other Expense Adjustments:															
Other	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-			
Total Other Expense Adjustments	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-			
Total Expenses before Depreciation & Other Post Employment Benefits	\$162,726	\$145,496	\$17,229	10.6	\$34,646	\$34,665	(\$0,020)	(0.1)	\$197,371	\$180,162	\$17,210	8.7			
Depreciation	\$47,131	\$44,147	\$2,984	6.3	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$47,131	\$44,147	\$2,984	6.3			
GASB 75 OPEB Expense Adjustment	0.000	0.000	0.000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
GASB 65 Pension Expense Adjustment	0.000	(0,055)	(3,030)	2,975	*	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
GASB 87 Lease Compliance	0,150	0,167	(0,017)	(11.3)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	(0,055)	(3,030)	2,975	*			
Environmental Remediation											0,150	0,167	(0,017)	(11.3)	
Total Expenses	\$209,952	\$186,780	\$23,171	11.0	\$34,646	\$34,665	(\$0,020)	(0.1)	\$244,597	\$221,446	\$23,152	9.5			
Net Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$154,369)	(\$132,495)	\$21,875	14.2	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	(\$154,369)	(\$132,495)	\$21,875	14.2			
Cash Conversion Adjustments															
Depreciation	\$47,131	\$44,147	(\$2,984)	(6.3)	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$47,131	\$44,147	(\$2,984)	(6.3)			
Operating/(Capital)	(1,904)	(0,176)	1,728	90.7	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	(1,904)	1,728	(1,904)	90.7			
Other Cash Adjustments	20,102	18,129	(1,973)	(9.8)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	20,102	18,129	(1,973)	(9.8)			
Total Cash Conversion Adjustments	\$65,329	\$62,100	(\$3,229)	(4.9)	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	65,329	\$62,100	(\$3,229)	(4.9)			
Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$89,040)	(\$70,395)	\$18,646	20.9	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	0.0	(\$89,040)	(\$70,395)	\$18,646	20.9			

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OCTOBER Year-To-Date
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	Nonreimbursable						Reimbursable						Total		
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	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Favorable (Unfavorable)	Favorable (Unfavorable)	
Revenue															
Farebox Revenue	\$458,112	\$466,116	\$8,004	1.7	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$458,112	\$466,116	\$8,004	1.7			
Vehicle Toll Revenue	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
Other Operating Revenue	24,535	27,894	3,360	13.7	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	24,535	27,894	3,360	13.7			
Capital & Other Reimbursements	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	327,005	340,905	13,900	4.3	327,005	340,905	13,900	4.3			
Total Revenue	\$482,647	\$494,010	\$11,364	2.4	\$327,005	\$340,905	\$13,900	4.3	\$809,652	\$834,915	\$25,264	3.1			
Expenses															
Labor															
Payroll	\$543,881	\$527,936	\$15,944	2.9	\$110,263	\$105,125	\$5,138	4.7	\$654,144	\$633,062	\$21,082	3.2			
Overtime	137,548	140,047	(2,499)	(1.8)	39,998	41,565	(1,567)	(3.9)	177,546	181,611	(4,065)	(2.3)			
Health and Welfare	132,076	123,407	8,669	6.6	25,578	25,899	(0,120)	(0.5)	157,654	149,106	8,548	5.4			
OPEB Current Payment	70,328	59,459	10,868	15.5	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	70,328	59,459	10,868	15.5			
Pensions	152,892	148,977	3,915	2.6	41,365	41,487	(0,123)	(0.3)	194,257	190,464	3,793	2.0			
Other Fringe Benefits	164,714	159,287	5,427	3.3	26,643	27,612	(0,969)	(3.6)	191,357	186,899	4,457	2.3			
Rainimbursable Overhead	(31,532)	(39,056)	7,524	23.9	31,531	39,056	(7,525)	(23.9)	(0,001)	0,000	(0,001)	(100.0)			
Total Labor Expenses	\$1,169,906	\$1,120,057	\$49,849	4.3	\$275,378	\$280,345	(\$5,167)	(1.9)	\$1,445,284	\$1,400,601	\$44,682	3.1			
Non-Labor															
Electric Power	\$100,748	\$78,596	\$22,152	22.0	\$0,259	\$0,262	(\$0,002)	(1.0)	\$101,007	\$78,857	\$22,150	21.9			
Fuel	24,260	25,033	(0,773)	(3.2)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	24,260	25,033	(0,773)	(3.2)			
Insurance	21,230	20,169	1,060	5.0	6,077	5,997	0,980	16.1	27,306	25,266	2,040	7.5			
Claims	3,323	5,761	(2,438)	(73.3)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	3,323	5,761	(2,438)	(73.3)			
Paratransit Service Contracts	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
Maintenance and Other Operating Contracts	80,633	70,616	10,018	12.4	21,447	21,729	(8,718)	(68.5)	93,362	92,062	1,300	1.4			
Professional Service Contracts	39,758	32,643	7,116	17.9	1,282	3,607	(2,325)	*	41,040	36,249	4,791	11.7			
Materials & Supplies	142,409	116,348	26,061	18.3	30,910	29,532	1,377	4.5	173,319	145,880	27,438	15.8			
Other Business Expenses	16,534	16,845	(0,310)	(1.9)	0,416	0,416	(0,045)	(12.2)	16,905	17,260	(0,356)	(2.1)			
Total Non-Labor Expenses	\$428,896	\$366,010	\$62,885	14.7	\$51,627	\$60,360	(\$8,733)	(16.9)	\$480,523	\$426,371	\$54,152	11.3			
Other Expense Adjustments															
Other	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000			
Total Other Expense Adjustments	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000			
Total Expenses before Depreciation & Other Post Employment Benefits	\$1,598,801	\$1,486,067	\$112,734	7.1	\$327,005	\$340,905	(\$13,900)	(4.3)	\$1,925,806	\$1,826,972	\$98,834	5.1			
Depreciation	\$441,114	\$450,929	(\$9,815)	(2.2)	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$441,114	\$450,929	(\$9,815)	(2.2)			
GASB 75 OPEB Expense Adjustment	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	-			
GASB 68 Pension Expense Adjustment	0,000	0,000	0,000	*	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000	0,000	*			
GASB 87 Lease Compliance	(0,404)	(1,294)	0,890	(1.150)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	(0,404)	(1,294)	0,890	(1.150)			
Environmental Remediation	1,701	2,850	\$102,659	5.0	\$327,005	\$340,905	(\$13,900)	(4.3)	\$2,368,217	\$2,279,458	\$88,759	3.7			
Total Expenses	\$2,041,212	\$1,938,553	\$114,023	7.3	\$0,000	\$0,000	(\$0,000)	-	(\$1,558,565)	(\$1,444,542)	\$114,023	7.3			
Cash Conversion Adjustments															
Depreciation	\$441,114	\$450,929	(\$9,815)	(2.2)	\$0,000	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	\$441,114	\$450,929	(\$9,815)	(2.2)			
Operating/Capital	(13,688)	(5,517)	8,171	(10.6)	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	(13,688)	(5,517)	8,171	2.2			
Other Cash Adjustments	158,088	141,390	(16,698)	1,288	0.2	\$0,000	\$0,000	-	158,088	141,390	(16,698)	(10.6)			
Total Cash Conversion Adjustments	\$58,514	\$58,803	(\$1,288)	0.2	\$0,000	\$0,000	(\$0,000)	-	\$58,514	\$58,803	\$1,288	0.2			
Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$973,051)	(\$887,740)	\$115,311	11.9	\$0,000	\$0,000	(\$0,000)	0.0	(\$973,051)	(\$887,740)	\$115,311	11.9			

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Table 4

MTA LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD JULY FINANCIAL PLAN - 2023 MID-YEAR FORECAST October 2023 (\$ in millions)						
	Month	Favorable (Unfavorable)			Year-to-Date	
		Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast
						Actual
Receipts						
Farebox Revenue	\$53,660	\$52,993	(\$0,667)	(1.2)		\$464,179
Vehicle Toll Revenue	0.000	0.000	0.000	-		0.000
Other Operating Revenue	1,596	1,494	(0,102)	(6.4)		470,451
Capital & Other Reimbursements	30,518	26,861	(3,656)	(12.0)		317,127
Total Receipts	\$85,773	\$81,348	(\$4,425)	(5.2)		\$1,251,757
Expenditures						
<i>Labor:</i>						
Payroll	\$62,669	\$62,865	(\$0,197)	(0.3)		\$682,040
Overtime	16,165	17,487	(1,323)	(8.2)		186,189
Health and Welfare	16,172	14,447	1,726	10.7		154,455
OPEB Current Payment	7,680	5,855	1,825	23.8		69,468
Pensions	0,782	(0,027)	0,810	*		454,472
Other Fringe Benefits	17,160	12,892	4,268	24.9		192,694
Contribution to GASB Fund	0,000	0,000	0,000	-		180,901
Reimbursable Overhead	0,000	0,000	0,000	-		0,000
Total Labor Expenditures	\$120,629	\$113,519	\$7,110	5.9		\$1,739,318
<i>Non-Labor:</i>						
Electric Power	\$9,313	\$9,272	\$0,041	0.4		\$95,328
Fuel	2,343	3,322	(0,979)	(41.8)		24,017
Insurance	7,476	0,002	7,474	100.0		24,397
Claims	0,241	0,010	0,231	95.7		2,707
Paratransit Service Contracts	0,000	0,000	0,000	-		0,000
Maintenance and Other Operating Contracts	11,598	10,264	1,334	11.5		100,855
Professional Service Contracts	1,959	1,433	0,526	26.9		32,900
Materials & Supplies	18,267	11,473	6,794	37.2		178,965
Other Business Expenses	1,980	2,156	(0,176)	(8.9)		19,031
Total Non-Labor Expenditures	\$53,177	\$37,932	\$15,245	28.7		\$478,200
<i>Other Expenditure Adjustments:</i>						
Other	\$1,009	\$0,292	\$0,716	71.0		\$7,289
Total Other Expenditure Adjustments	\$1,009	\$0,292	\$0,716	71.0		\$7,289
Total Expenditures	\$174,814	\$151,743	\$23,071	13.2		\$2,224,807
Net Cash Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$89,040)	(\$70,395)	\$18,646	20.9		(\$973,051)
MTA Subsidy	89,040	95,909	6,869	7.7		\$857,740
Cash Timing and Availability Adjustment	(0,439)	(0,653)	(0,214)	(48.7)		0,878
						(1,576)
						(2,454)
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Table 6

MTA LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD JULY FINANCIAL PLAN - 2023 MID-YEAR FORECAST CASH CONVERSION (CASH FLOW ADJUSTMENTS)						
	Month			Year-to-Date		
	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Favorable (Unfavorable)	Forecast	Actual
Receipts						
Farebox Revenue	\$1,056	\$1,276	\$0,220	20.8	\$6,067	\$7,749
Vehicle Toll Revenue	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000
Other Operating Revenue	(1,383)	(1,075)	0,307	22.2	445,917	442,052
Capital & Other Reimbursements	(4,128)	(7,804)	(3,676)	(89.1)	(9,878)	(43,316)
Total Receipts	(\$4,455)	(\$7,603)	(\$3,149)	(70.7)	\$442,105	\$406,485
Expenditures						
<i>Labor:</i>						
Payroll	\$2,392	\$1,157	(\$1,235)	(51.6)	(\$27,896)	(\$21,575)
Overtime	4,038	5,404	1,366	33.8	(8,643)	(0,056)
Health and Welfare	0,000	0,402	0,402	-	3,199	3,098
OPEB Current Payment	0,000	(0,003)	(0,003)	-	0,860	0,370
Pensions	18,893	19,077	0,184	1.0	(260,216)	(258,032)
Other Fringe Benefits	1,085	4,396	3,311	*	(1,338)	5,989
Contribution to GASB Fund	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000
Reimbursable Overhead	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	(0,001)	0,000
Total Labor Expenditures	\$26,408	\$30,432	\$4,024	15.2	(\$294,035)	(\$270,197)
<i>Non-Labor:</i>						
Electric Power	\$0,000	(\$2,657)	(\$2,657)	-	\$5,679	\$5,542
Fuel	0,000	(0,452)	(0,452)	-	0,242	(1,139)
Insurance	(4,613)	2,579	7,191	*	2,909	(2,549)
Claims	(0,026)	0,272	0,297	*	0,617	3,342
Paratransit Service Contracts	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000
Maintenance and Other Operating Contracts	(0,272)	0,183	0,455	*	(7,493)	(6,480)
Professional Service Contracts	1,832	1,656	(0,176)	(9.6)	8,141	11,200
Materials & Supplies	0,473	(2,688)	(3,161)	*	(5,646)	(4,349)
Other Business Expenses	(0,236)	(0,612)	(0,377)	*	(2,127)	(0,683)
Total Non-Labor Expenditures	(\$2,842)	(\$1,721)	\$1,121	39.4	\$2,322	\$4,884
<i>Other Expenditure Adjustments:</i>						
Other	(\$1,009)	(\$0,292)	\$0,716	71.0	(\$7,289)	(\$6,854)
Total Other Expenditure Adjustments	(\$1,009)	(\$0,292)	\$0,716	71.0	(\$7,289)	(\$6,854)
Total Expenditures	\$22,558	\$28,419	\$5,862	26.0	(\$299,001)	(\$272,167)
Depreciation Adjustment	\$47,131	\$44,147	(\$2,984)	(6.3)	\$441,114	\$450,929
GASB 75 OPEB Expense Adjustment	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000
GASB 68 Pension Expense Adjustment	0,000	0,000	0,000	-	0,000	0,000
GASB 87 Lease Compliance	(0,055)	(3,030)	(2,975)	*	(0,404)	(1,294)
Environmental Remediation	0,150	0,167	0,017	11.3	1,701	2,850
Total Expenditures After Non-Cash Liabilities	\$69,784	\$69,703	(\$0,081)	(0.1)	\$143,409	\$180,318
Total Cash Conversion Adjustments	\$65,329	\$62,100	(\$3,229)	(4.9)	\$585,514	\$586,803
Cash Timing and Availability Adjustment	(0,439)	(0,655)	(0,214)	(48.7)	0,878	(1,576)

Cash Timing and Availability Adjustment

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MTA LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD
JULY FINANCIAL PLAN - 2023 MID-YEAR FORECAST
TOTAL POSITIONS BY FUNCTION AND DEPARTMENT
NON-REIMBURSABLE/REIMBURSABLE AND FULL-TIME/FULL-TIME EQUIVALENTS
END-of-MONTH OCTOBER 2023

	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Administration				
Enterprise Asset Management	9	9	0	0
Labor Relations	15	12	-3	3
Procurement & Logistics (excl. Stores)	44	40	-4	4
Human Resources	37	26	-11	11
Sr VP Administration	2	2	0	0
Strategic Investments	25	14	-11	11
President	10	4	-6	6
VP & CFO	1	-	1	1
Controller	40	42	(2)	(2)
Management & Budget	13	10	-3	3
BPM, Controls & Compliance	4	3	-1	1
Market Dev. & Public Affairs	71	72	(1)	(1)
Gen. Counsel & Secretary	28	22	-6	6
Diversity Management	3	1	-2	2
Security	17	12	-5	5
System Safety	52	44	-8	8
Training	77	71	-6	6
Service Planning	31	31	0	0
Rolling Stock Programs	17	10	-7	7
Sr Vice President - Operations	3	3	0	0
Total Administration	499	428	-71	71
Operations				
Transportation Services - Train Operations	2,264	2,243	-21	21
Customer Services	548	541	-7	7
Total Operations	2,812	2,784	-28	28
Maintenance				
Engineering	2,111	2,149	(38)	(38)
Equipment	2,137	2,139	(2)	(2)
Procurement (Stores)	101	96	-5	5
Total Maintenance	4,349	4,384	(35)	(35)
Engineering/Capital				
Department of Program Management	111	71	-40	40
Special Projects	47	38	-9	9
Operational Support Group	50	43	-7	7
Total Engineering/Capital	208	152	56	56
Baseline Total Positions	7,868	7,748	120	120
Non-Reimbursable	6,763	6,771	(8)	(8)
Reimbursable	1,105	977	128	128
Total Full-Time	7,868	7,748	120	120
Total Full-Time-Equivalents				

Note: Totals may not add due to rounding

MTA LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD
JULY FINANCIAL PLAN - 2023 MID-YEAR FORECAST
TOTAL FULL-TIME POSITIONS and FULL-TIME EQUIVALENTS by FUNCTION and OCCUPATION
END-of-MONTH OCTOBER 2023

		Forecast	Actual	Favorable/ (Unfavorable) Variance
Administration				
Managers/Supervisors	272	249	23	
Professional, Technical, Clerical	205	155	50	
Operational Hourlies	22	24	(2)	
Total Administration	499	428	71	
Operations				
Managers/Supervisors	372	337	35	
Professional, Technical, Clerical	132	136	(4)	
Operational Hourlies	2,308	2,311	(3)	
Total Operations	2,812	2,784	28	
Maintenance				
Managers/Supervisors	965	886	79	
Professional, Technical, Clerical	297	250	47	
Operational Hourlies	3,088	3,248	(160)	
Total Maintenance	4,349	4,384	(35)	
Engineering/Capital				
Managers/Supervisors	141	131	10	
Professional, Technical, Clerical	67	21	46	
Operational Hourlies	0	0	0	
Total Engineering/Capital	208	152	56	
Total Positions				
Managers/Supervisors	1,750	1,603	147	
Professional, Technical, Clerical	700	562	138	
Operational Hourlies	5,418	5,583	(166)	
Total Positions	7,868	7,748	120	

Note: Totals may not add due to rounding

MTA LONG ISLAND RAIL ROAD
JULY FINANCIAL PLAN - 2023 MID-YEAR FORECAST
MONTHLY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS
OCTOBER 2023

	MONTH			VARIANCE	
	Actual 2023	Forecast 2023	Actual 2022	Forecast	vs. 2022
Farebox Operating Ratio					
Standard ⁽¹⁾	34.3%	30.4%	28.0%	\$4.85	6.3%
Adjusted ⁽²⁾	38.2%	34.6%	32.2%	\$4.43	6.0%
Cost Per Passenger					
Standard ⁽¹⁾	\$24.98	\$29.83	\$30.67	\$5.69	
Adjusted ⁽²⁾	\$23.20	\$27.63	\$28.60	\$4.43	\$5.40
Passenger Revenue/Passenger ⁽³⁾	\$8.57	\$9.06	\$8.60	(\$0.49)	(\$0.03)
	YEAR-TO-DATE			VARIANCE	
	Actual 2023	Forecast 2023	Actual 2022	Forecast	vs. 2022
Farebox Operating Ratio					
Standard ⁽¹⁾	29.9%	27.1%	27.8%	2.8%	2.1%
Adjusted ⁽²⁾	34.2%	30.7%	32.0%	3.5%	2.2%
Cost Per Passenger					
Standard ⁽¹⁾	\$29.08	\$32.32	\$31.41	\$3.24	
Adjusted ⁽²⁾	\$27.04	\$30.01	\$29.09	\$2.97	\$2.05
Passenger Revenue/Passenger ⁽³⁾	\$8.71	\$8.75	\$8.72	(\$0.04)	(\$0.01)

(1) The Standard Farebox Operating Ratio and Cost Per Passenger indicators reflect MTA-wide adopted calculations that exclude non-cash liability adjustments: Depreciation, Other Post Employment Benefits and Environmental Remediation (GASB-49).

(2) Adjusted Fare Box Operating Ratio and Cost Per Passenger indicators have been adjusted for comparability between the Long Island Rail Road and Metro-North Railroad and are being presented only at the railroad operating committees. These adjustments are not being used MTA-wide. Adjustments have been made to reflect all operating revenue and significant financial impacts that are outside management's control. These adjustments include: Inclusion of Other Operating Revenue, Removal of OFEB Current Payment expenses for retirees, and Removal of the UAAL associated with the LIRR's closed pension plan.

(3) Passenger Revenue/Passenger includes Hampton Seat Reservations.

Note: Expenses for Grand Central Madison Concourse Operating Company (GCMCOC) are included in LIRR performance indicator calculations.

Farebox Revenue Report Highlights

Month of October

LIRR revenue totaled \$51.7 million in October 2023, \$(0.9) million or (1.7)% lower than the forecast.

- Commutation revenue of \$16.5 million was \$1.2 million or 7.6% higher than the forecast.
- Non-commutation revenue of \$35.2 million was \$(2.1) million or (5.5)% lower than the forecast.

Year-to-Date

LIRR revenue totaled \$466.1 million through October 2023, \$8.0 million or 1.7% higher than the forecast.

- Commutation revenue of \$158.7 million was \$8.1 million or 5.4% higher than the forecast.
- Non-commutation revenue of \$307.4 million was \$(0.1) million or 0.0% lower than the forecast.

October 2023 Ridership vs. Forecast - (In Millions)								
	October				October Year-to-Date			
	More/(Less)				More/(Less)			
	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent
Commutation	2.183	2.416	0.233	10.7%	20.840	21.513	0.673	3.2%
Non-Commutation	3.622	3.617	(0.005)	-0.1%	31.533	32.020	0.488	1.5%
Total	5.805	6.033	0.228	3.9%	52.373	53.533	1.161	2.2%

October 2023 Farebox Revenue vs. Forecast - (In \$ Millions)								
	October				October Year-to-Date			
	Fav/(Unfav)				Fav/(Unfav)			
	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent	Forecast	Actual	Variance	Percent
Commutation	\$15.3	\$16.5	\$1.2	7.6%	\$150.6	\$158.7	\$8.1	5.4%
Non-Commutation	\$37.3	\$35.2	(\$2.1)	-5.5%	\$307.5	\$307.4	(\$0.1)	0.0%
Total	\$52.6	\$51.7	(\$0.9)	-1.7%	\$458.1	\$466.1	\$8.0	1.7%