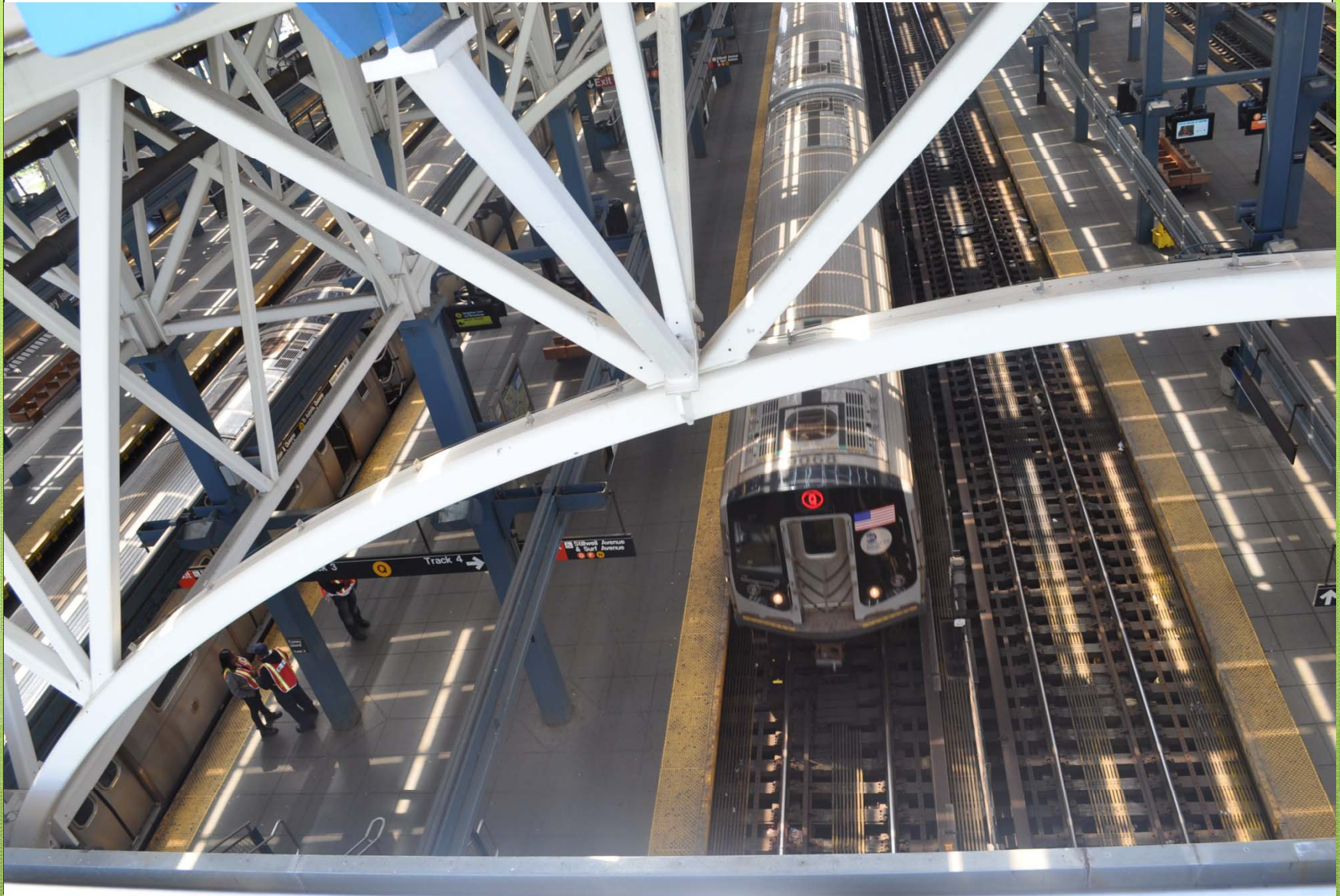




Training Opportunities In Transit

Preparing Our Communities
for Transit Careers





MTA NEWS

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Capital Investments

- Second Ave Line
- New Transit Hubs
- Bus Lanes
- LEED Buildings
- New Technology
- Rolling Stock
- New Buses
- Communications to Customer
- Rider Safety

Who will do the work?

- Workforce needs Training
- Aging workforce
- Expansion of technical skills
- Keeping pace with the evolution
- High School and Vocational Students not considering Transportation as a profession
- Community unprepared

Becoming Workforce Ready!

Preparing our Communities

- Incumbent Workforce Training Programs
- Community Outreach Education
- Apprenticeship Program

Opportunity Lies Ahead

- Future Growth Industry



- Areas in need of Economic Development



- Training Partnerships



- Employment Opportunities

Metric's of Success

- Investments in Training leads to savings
 - Equipment Serviced properly
 - Accountability
 - 1. Determining the specific skills needed to do the various jobs in the transit system;
 - 2. Assessing the actual job skills of maintenance personnel against the standards of those skill requirements and developing surveys and focus groups to determine workers' and supervisors' attitudes toward training;
 - 3. Creating a detailed skill gap analysis by comparing the skill requirements analysis with the assessed skills;
 - 4. Developing curriculum to progressively close the gaps between needed skills and current skills;
 - 5. Delivering training based on that curriculum on a pilot basis prior to further training delivery down the road.

Opportunities

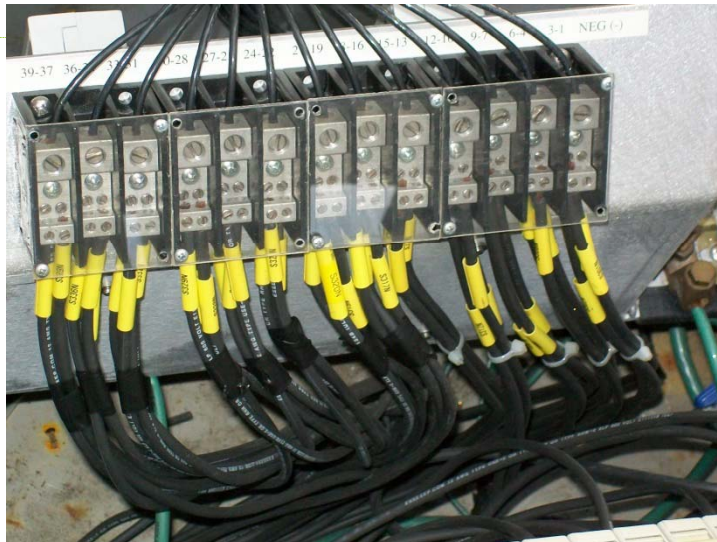
Incumbent Workforce

- Makes sense
- Passenger Safety
- Advancement
- Evolve with Investments
- Creates Jobs

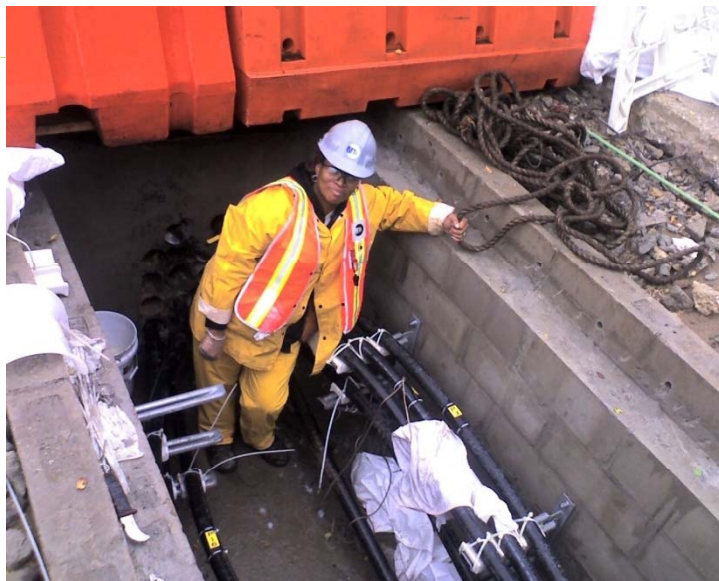
Community Recruitment

- Economic Development
- Future Growth of Transit System
- Provides Target to students
- Creates Jobs

Solar Photovoltaics



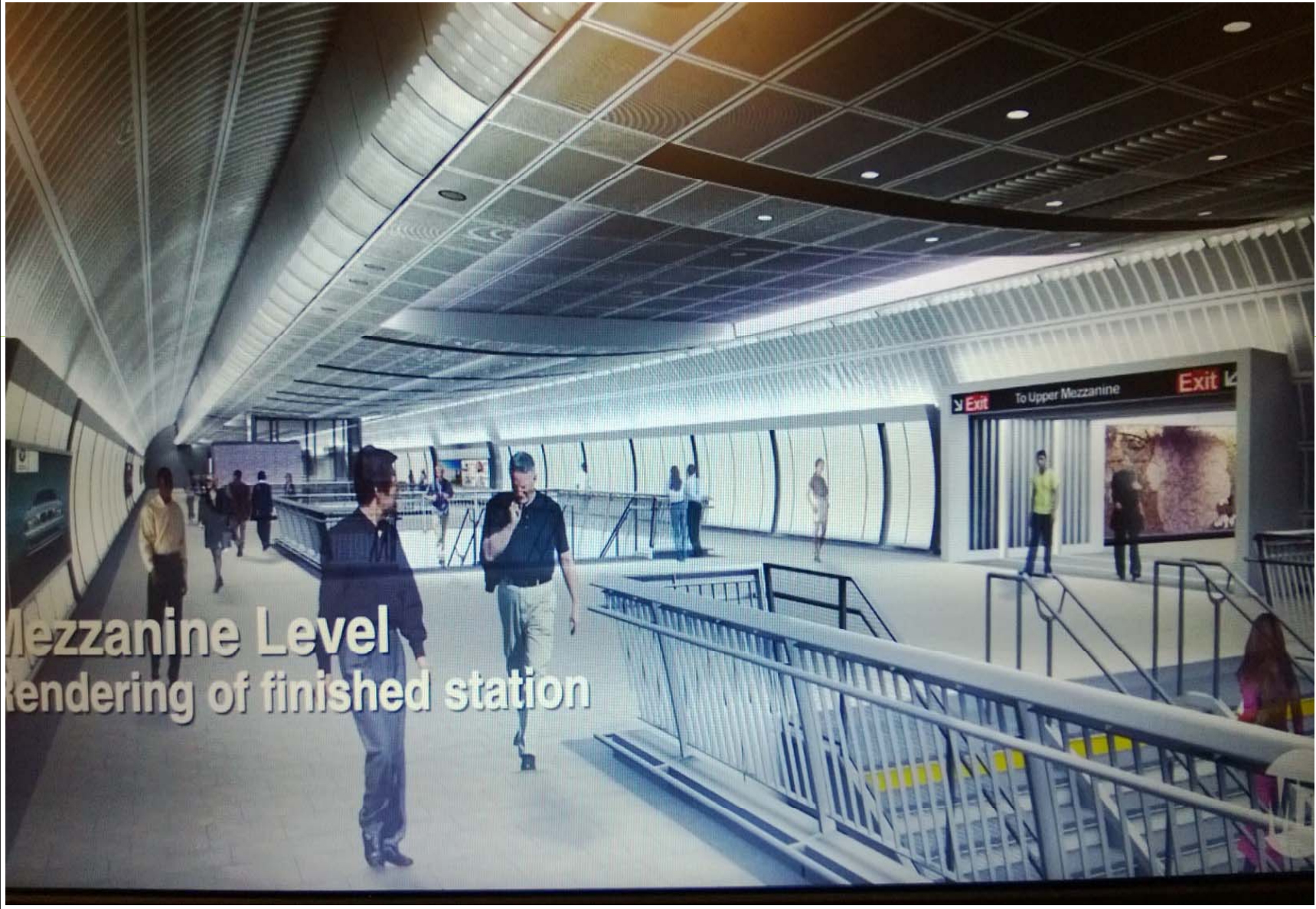
Non Traditional Labor



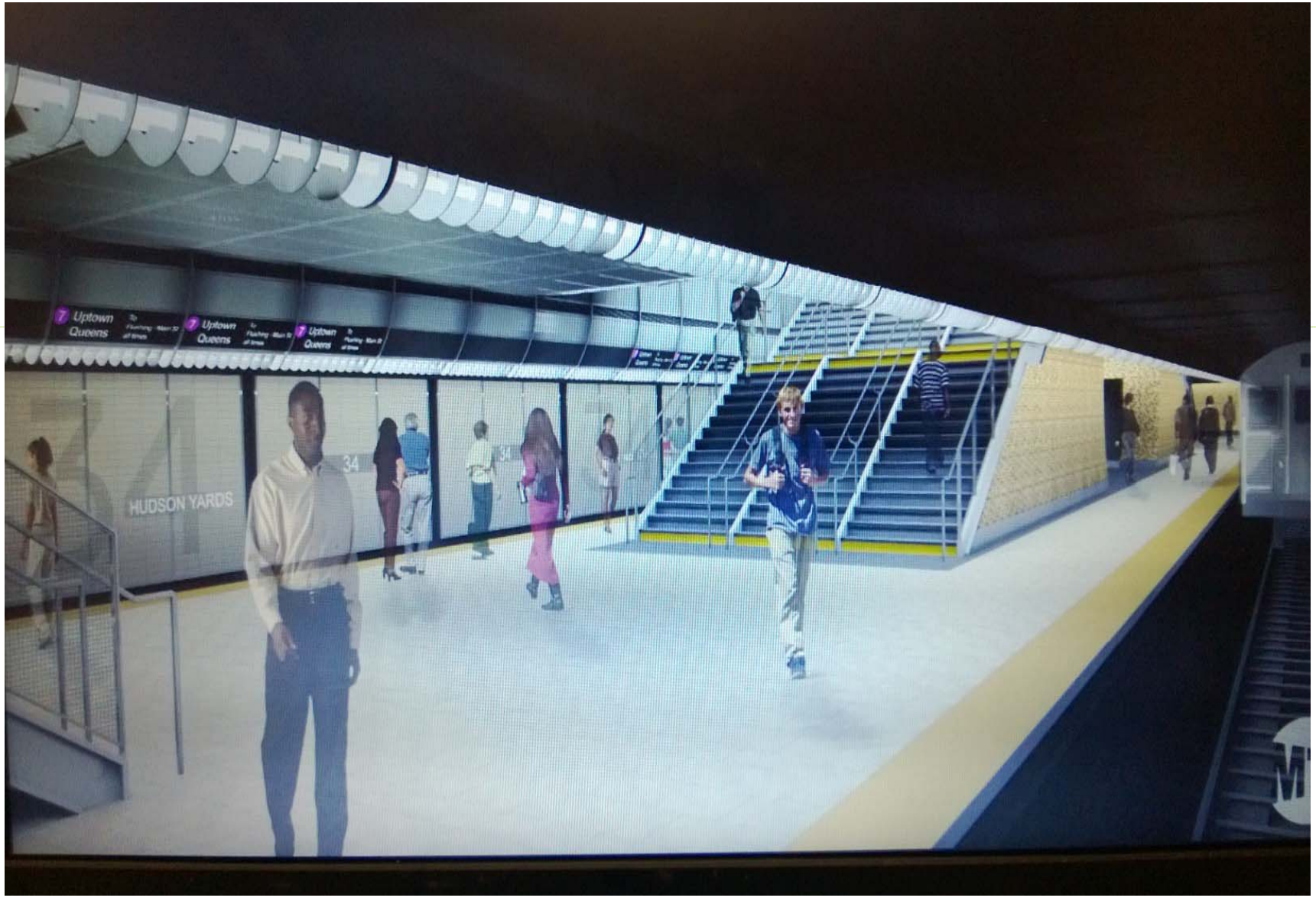




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Mezzanine Level
Rendering of finished station



TWU Workers are Ready to
Train and Mentor the Future!



We Agree!!

- Mass transit is the lifeblood of New York, and a 21st century city must protect and improve its mass transit infrastructure. Subways and tunnels are clearly vulnerable to major flooding that can bring us to a standstill. We must diversify transit options so that if one system is temporarily disabled, commuters are not stranded at work or stuck at home

- Gov. Andrew Cuomo

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<http://www.nydailynews.com/opinion/lead-climate-change-article-1.1202221#ixzz2O1850R2u>