

## **Gabriel Kleinfeld, AICP**

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Mr. Kleinfeld is a planner with experience in transportation planning, urban policy, public outreach, data management, communications, and program management and compliance. He has worked as a private consultant and in the public sector in various New York agencies. He has extensive experience as a seconded and field employee, showing the ability to adapt and thrive in various high-pressure and public-facing work environments. These posts give Mr. Kleinfeld the range of working at large, multi-national corporations as well as more intimate boutique firms and client sites.

### **AECOM/URS Corporation: Selected Project Experience (2013-Present)**

#### ***Transportation Planning***

#### **MTA New York City Transit, Staten Island West Shore Alternatives Analysis and Staten Island North Shore Bus Rapid Transit Environmental Impact Statement (2019-2020)**

- Directed operations planning and analysis of new transit routes, corridor planning, and travel demand forecasting.
- Liaised with scheduling and road operations departments to determine optimal routing and budgeting.
- Prepared technical memos on existing land use and travel patterns and proposed transit corridors and modes.
- Investigated and proposed sites for bus rapid transit facilities and terminals.
- Engaged with elected officials, local stakeholders, and the public and collaborated with various agencies.

#### **New York City Department of Transportation, Lower Montauk Rail Study (2017-2018)**

- Oversaw planning process in the development of a conceptual transit plan for reactivation of passenger service on a freight line in Queens.
- Developed operations plans for rail service, including frequencies and service hours.
- Prepared technical memos on the corridor background and land use and technical specifications, and generated maps, illustrated plans, and conceptual station profiles.

#### **Visakhapatnam Bus Rapid Transit Study, India (2018)**

- Established station and street concepts for bus rapid transit in congested corridor in large Indian city.
- Developed operating and service plans for bus service, along with conditions for off-board fare collection, passenger information, and dedicated bus lanes.
- Prepared technical memos on the corridor background and technical specifications and illustrated aerial street plans and cross-sections.

#### **MTA Metro-North Railroad, Port Jervis Line Capacity Improvements (2016-2019)**

- Provided outreach materials and public-facing documents for train service improvements on a commuter line in the New York area.
- Supported planning efforts and coordination with client by preparing briefs and graphics for new passing sidings and train yards and public meeting documents.
- Prepared briefing memos for the client, elected officials, and the public.

#### ***Communications and Public Outreach***

#### **MTA Capital Construction, East Side Access Project (2018)**

- Liaised with construction managers and local stakeholders.
- Responded to complaints and inquiries on behalf of program managers.
- Distributed construction updates and status reports to community members and elected officials.

#### **New York State Department of Transportation, Hunts Point Access Improvement Project and Sheridan Expressway Enhancement Project (2017-2018)**

- Prepared informational materials for scoping and public information meetings on major access improvement projects in the Bronx.
- Directed meeting plans and staffing training and arrangements and staffed public meetings.
- Managed comment tracking and cataloging process.

### ***Program Management and Technical Compliance***

#### **New York State Department of Transportation, I-95 / Hutchinson River Parkway Access Improvement Study (2016-2019)**

- Provided support in the development of the draft Design Approval Document (DAD), which analyzed potential impacts within the Project Study area from revisions to ramps, and pedestrian and bicycle access within adjacent parklands.
- Incorporated various technical memos according to specific agency guidelines within the draft DAD. Prepared appendices and formatted the entire chapter for consistency.
- Supported preparation of Individual Section 4(f) Evaluation concerning impacted cultural resources.
- Prepared Environmental Assessment as a result of Adverse Impact finding, incorporating Section 4(f) Assessment.
- Assisted in the preparation of a Memorandum of Agreement amongst consulting agencies.

#### **New York City Office of Housing Recovery Operations, Build It Back Program Site Supervision (2013-2015)**

- Managed daily operations of center as Site Supervisor, processing client applications for hurricane recovery aid funded through Community Development Block Grant, moving 12,000 homeowners through the recovery process.
- Answered staff policy questions on program's focus on resiliency in building and development. Supervised staff of 15 and performed quality control checks on each application.
- Addressed customer concerns, recorded data for city use, ensured proper implementation of program policies and procedures and outlined program processes and general resiliency initiatives in the area.

#### **New York City Department of Transportation, Division of Traffic and Planning Data Management Coordination (2013)**

- Oversaw the division's data and information system, Traffic Information Management System (TIMS), as Data Management Coordinator.
- Analyzed and processed data for NYCDOT programs.
- Served as liaison with Metropolitan Planning Organization.

### **Education**

**New York University**, New York, NY

Master of Urban Planning, 2013

**University of Maryland**, College Park, MD

Bachelor of Science, Geography and Geographic Information Sciences, 2011

### **Skills**

Microsoft Office Suite, ArcGIS, Adobe Creative Suite

### **Certification**

Certified Planner, American Institute of Certified Planners (2016-present)