VRE 3-D Train Tour Highlights Health and Safety Protections

Wondering what a safe and healthy commute looks like? The Virginia Railway Express (VRE) has developed a 3-D train tour that lets viewers see the precautions the commuter rail system has put in place, including an abundance of hand sanitizer and socially distanced decals on platforms and rail cars.

A masked conductor meets viewers on the platform. Viewers then step from the platform into one of VRE’s rail cars, which has been cleaned using acidic electrolyzed water, a potent yet nonirritating disinfectant. Signs in the vestibule, indicating that facial coverings are required on the train, instantly greet viewers. Moving through the lower level of the rail car, viewers will note that only window seats in every other row are available for passengers. On the upper level, where seating is primarily in a single row, every other seat is open.

VRE recognizes that not everyone is ready to return to their physical place of employment but, as the commuter rail service notes in its social media posts, #WereReadyWhenYoureReady. Take the 3-D train tour by visiting www.vre.org/tour/Enhanced%20tour.