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United States Senate Confirms Nominee Raymond Martinez as Administrator for the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration

On February 13, 2018, the United States Senate confirmed President Trump’s Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration Administrator nominee, Raymond Martinez. The National School Transportation Association would like to congratulate Administrator Martinez on his confirmation, as well as extend a warm welcome as he enters his new role.

Prior to his confirmation, Administrator Martinez was, most recently, the Chief Administrator of the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission. Martinez also served as the New York State Commissioner of Motor Vehicles from December 2000 to December 2005. Administrator Martinez succeeds acting Deputy Administrator, Cathy Gautreaux, in his new role.

“NSTA congratulates Administrator Martinez on his appointment and appreciates the experience he brings to the position,” states Executive Director Tiffany Boykin. “We are looking forward to working collaboratively with Administrator Martinez and the FMCSA to continue pursuing the goals of providing safe, secure, environmentally-responsible, and cost-effective school transportation services.”

In the past, the NSTA has maintained a positive relationship with the FMCSA by providing insights into school bus operations, and the difference between private school bus operators and other FMCSA regulated entities.