

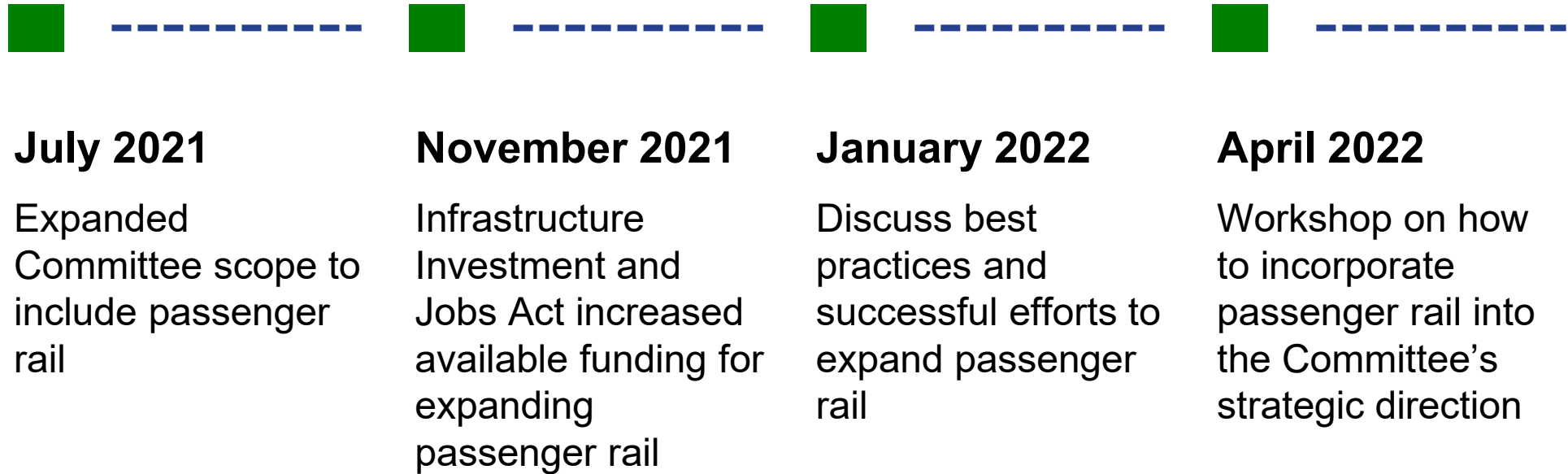
A photograph of a SunRail train, number 108, stopped at a station platform. The train is white with yellow and blue accents. The platform has a large, arched, green-roofed structure. The background shows a clear sky and some trees.

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Passenger Rail Initiative Production Schedule and Upcoming Action Items

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Current Progress





Example Committees

Collaborative efforts/alliances that promote passenger rail interests:

1. State-Amtrak Intercity Passenger Rail Committee (SAIPRC)
2. Southern Rail Commission (SRC)
3. States for Passenger Rail Coalition (SPRC)
4. San Joaquin Regional Rail Commission (SJRRRC)



Best Practice – Shared-Use Agreements

- Capital
 - Understanding
 - Capacity
 - Maintenance
 - Modeling
 - Expectations
- **Capital Corridor – California**
 - San Jose to Sacramento
 - Amtrak runs service for Caltrans on Union Pacific tracks
 - **Seattle Sounder – Washington**
 - BNSF owns the track and operates service for Sound Transit
 - **Metra – Illinois**
 - Contracts with BNSF and Union Pacific to operate service

Align efforts with USDOT and FDOT

- **FRA** – Federal-State Partnership for Intercity Passenger Rail
- **FRA** – Corridor Identification and Development Program
- **FDOT** – Updates State Rail Plan every 5 years
- **FDOT** – Funds and finances identified rail projects through the Work Program
- **MPOAC** – Provide input on FDOT rail freight and passenger planning activities
- **MPOAC** – Provide input on potential passenger and intercity rail expansion projects in Florida