

Greg Slater, Executive Director/CEO THEA

Greg Slater is the Executive Director & CEO of the Tampa Hillsborough Expressway Authority (THEA), where he leads one of Florida's most innovative and dynamic transportation agencies. With nearly three decades of experience, including service as Secretary of the Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT), where he oversaw a complex multimodal network spanning 17,000 lane miles of highways, 2,500 bridges, toll facilities, tunnels, BWI Thurgood Marshall Airport, the Port of Baltimore, motor vehicle services, and statewide transit, Slater brings deep expertise to every facet of mobility. He is a leading voice on mobility, transportation technology, and innovative project delivery. At THEA, he oversees an award-winning agency that includes the Selmon Expressway, Meridian Avenue, Brandon Parkway, and Selmon Greenway, serving nearly 4 million customers annually. He is advancing a \$752 million capital program that strengthens regional connectivity, smooths daily travel, and builds system efficiency while also connecting the groundbreaking Connected Vehicle Pilot to today's AI-driven, data-integrated system-of-the-future investments. Widely recognized for his leadership, including the Business Journal's Power 100 and Business Leader of the Year honors, Slater is steering THEA with fiscal discipline, community value, and regional impact, all while advancing the agency's mission of enhancing lives by connecting communities. More at tampa-xway.com. Connect with Greg on [LinkedIn](#)

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Long-Form Bio

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Before joining THEA, Slater served as Secretary of the Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT), where he oversaw a complex multimodal network spanning 17,000 lane miles of highways, more than 2,500 bridge structures, the BWI Thurgood Marshall Airport, the Port of Baltimore, toll facilities including two tollways, two tunnels, four major bridge structures, a local and commuter bus network, a light rail and metro system, motor vehicle services, and paratransit services. His tenure was marked by the successful delivery of complex projects,

strategic investment in infrastructure renewal, and strong collaboration with local, state, and federal partners.

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