

# WHAT'S THE MTA'S ANSWER TO TRAGEDIES ON THE TRACKS? “SLOW DOWN? **OVER YOUR DEAD BODY!**”



## **THE MTA DOESN'T CARE IF YOU DIE.**

OK, a slight exaggeration. But the fact is they want trains to keep up a breakneck pace, **even if it in means dead passengers.** The Transport Workers Union has launched a campaign to prevent avoidable tragedies in our subways — tragedies like the two recent pushing incidents, and the horrifying New Year's Day suicide of a young woman.

Riders who fall, jump or get pushed onto the tracks die on the average of one each week (**54 dead in 2012**). Double that number are hit, but don't die. These deaths could be reduced **RIGHT NOW**. All it would take would be for trains to slow down a bit coming into stations. Then “**too late**” becomes “**just in time.**”

Until the MTA comes up with a better solution, our campaign is the only sure way to cut down on these incidents. Do you agree? We would like to know. Please visit us at [www.twulocal100.org](http://www.twulocal100.org) and **sign our petition to urge the MTA to take action.** Send an email with your comments to [communications@twulocal100.org](mailto:communications@twulocal100.org)

**We want you to get where you are going — without sacrificing lives to do it.**

