Supporting information

	Concentration (#/mL)	Diameter, mean (µm)	Diameter, median (µm)
Initial	2.42 × 10 ¹⁰	2.56 ± 1.72	1.98
s-TMB	1.57 × 10 ¹⁰	1.27 ± 0.89	1.29
I-TMB	8.91 × 10 ⁹	4.23 ± 2.27	3.58





Figure S1. Schematic illustration of the custom-made experimental system for A) *in vitro* study of plasmid delivery, B) *in vitro* study of gene delivery, and C) *in vivo* study.



Figure S2. Confocal laser microscopy images of cellular distribution of Cy5-pLuc after sonoporation with I-TMBs and s-TMBs, and fluorescence intensities for each channel were quantified based on the dashed line in the microscopic images. Scale bars: 25 µm.



Figure S3. Ultrasound imaging of tumors in B mode and contrast mode. Following i.t. injection, the images showed wide tumor distribution of TMBs at 5 min.



Figure S4. A) Ex vivo imaging of the dissected tumors after pGFP transfection and B) quantification of the fluorescence signals in tumors after 24 h. **P < 0.01 and ##P < 0.01 vs. NTC. All data are plotted as mean ± SD.







Figure S6. IHC staining of CD8 in treated and distant tumors (Scale bar: 100 µm).



Figure S7. IHC staining of F4/80 in treated and distant tumors showing the macrophage infiltration (Scale bar: 100 μm).



Figure S8. A) Body weight of mice during treatment. D) Comparison of the body weight on Day 25.



Figure S9. H&E staining of treated and distant tumors (Scale bar: 100 µm).



Figure S10. IHC staining of Ki67 in treated and distant tumors (Scale bar: 100 µm).