

#### Talking Freight Seminar on Intermodal Freight Connectors – Issues and Needs

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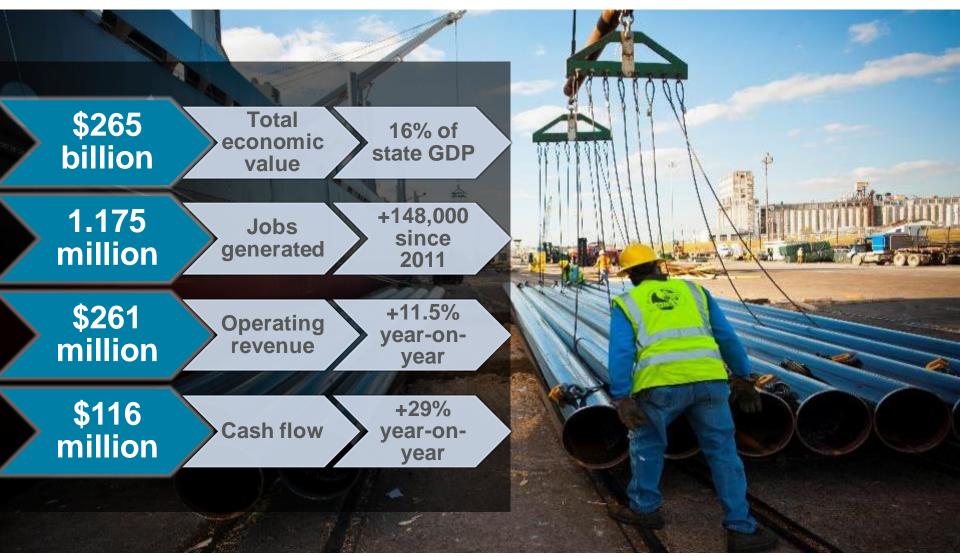
# **Talking Freight Agenda**



- Overview of Port Houston/Port of Houston Authority
- Overview of Director, Freight Mobility role
- Freight mobility process
  - Identifying stakeholders (freight projects)
  - Identifying projects
  - Prioritizing projects
  - Socializing prioritized project list
  - Development and funding of projects
- Questions

### **Port Houston Overview**





## **Port of Houston Authority**





- Governmental subdivision chartered by the State
- Governed by a seven member
   Commission

   (Appointed by
   Harris County, City
   of Houston and
   other neighboring
   cities)
- Owns/operates 8
   public terminals Operating (2) and
   Landlord Port (6)

# **Port Commission**





Janiece M. Longoria Chairman



John D. Kennedy





Dean E. Corgey







**Clyde Fitzgerald** 



Roy D. Mease

### Houston—the Busiest U.S. Channel



8379

Houston

Houston: 22,000 ship moves 220,800 barge moves

Deep Draft Ship Calls

NYNJ

5,508 🔊

66

3,860

LA+LB

### **Role Overview**



#### • Director, Freight Mobility

- New position
- Focused on Port Houston and Port of Houston Authority

## **Freight Mobility Process**



- Identify stakeholders (multi-modal)
  - MPO, TxDOT, EHCMA, Harris County, 11 mayors, among others
- Identify projects
- Prioritize projects
- Socialize projects
- Create a plan for development and funding

## **Prioritized Project List**

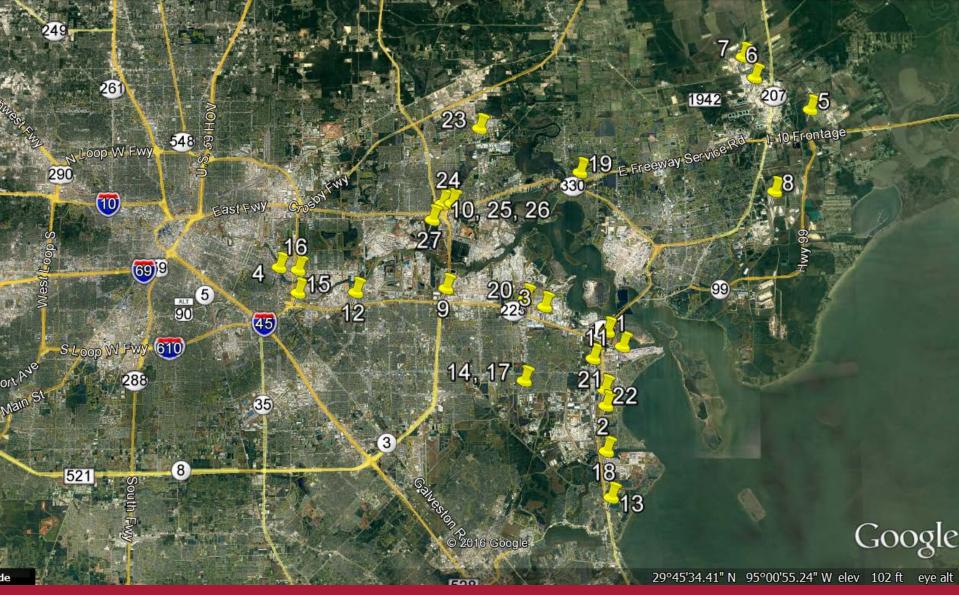


#	Project	Priority
1	Barbours Cut Direct Connectors	H/S
2	SH-146 Widening - Spencer Highway to Port Road	H/S
з	SH-225 expansion/improvement (8-East)	H/S
4	Broadway Double Track Project	H/S
5	Grand Parkway NE Segments	H/S
6	FM-1942 from Hatcherville Road to SH-146 – road improvement	H/S
7	Hatcherville Rd from FM-1942 to Liberty/Chambers Co. Line – road widening	H/S
8	FM 565 from SH-146 to SH-99 – widening and addition of turning lanes	H/S
9	BW-8 Direct Connectors @ SH-225	H/M
	(heading West on 225 to 8 N/S, heading North on 8 to E/W 225)	
10	Penn City Connector	H/M
11	Barbours Cut Blvd expansion to 6 lanes	H/M
12	SH-225 expansion/improvement (8-West)	H/M
13	I-69 Bypass	H/M
14	Fairmont Parkway (Turning improvements)	H/M
15	SH-225 and I-610 Interchange	H/L
16	I-610 bridge at HSC	H/L
17	Fairmont Parkway (Widening)	
18	Port Road Phase 3 & Drainage	M/M
19	SH-330 (improve northbound connectivity to I-10 - 2 lanes or direct connect)	M/M
20	Independence Parkway (improve Northbound connectivity to SH-225)	M/M
21	Spencer Highway Bridge (Bayport Rail Mainline)	M/L
22	Bayport Mainline Rail Track	M/L
23	Sheldon Road expansion	M/L
24	Applet Road (Sheldon to Market)	M/L
25	Jacintoport Road Improvement	L/L
	Jacintoport Direct Connectors	L/L
27	Haden Rd (extension to Penn City Rd)	L/L
	TxDOT Projects shaded	

Column 1	Column 2
H - HIGH Priority	S - SHORT Term 0-5 yrs
M - MEDIUM Priority	M - MID Term 5-10 yrs
L - LOW Priority	L - LONG Term 10+ yrs

### **Project Map**





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# **THANK YOU**

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