

**Transportation Border Working Group**  
**June 1-2, 2005**  
**Hyatt Regency Dearborn**  
**Dearborn, Michigan**

**Day One**

- 08:30      **Welcome and Introduction:**  
Jill Hochman, FHWA  
Isabelle Trepanier, TC
- 08:45      **Washington/Ottawa Updates:**  
Jeff Shane, Under Secretary for Policy, U.S. DOT  
Kristine Burr, Assistant Deputy Minister for Policy, TC
- 09:15      **Status of TBWG:**  
Jill Hochman, FHWA  
Isabelle Trepanier, TC
- 09:30      **TBWG Future Directions: Dialogue**  
Benoit Cayouette, Quebec MoT  
Discussion
- 11:30      **Lunch**  
Luncheon Speaker: Gloria Jeff, Director, MDOT
- 13:00      **Canadian National Security Policy**  
Serge Lavoie, Senior Policy Analyst, TC
- 13:30      **U.S. Trade Act**  
James Swanson, Inspector/Program Officer, CBP
- 14:00      **Intelligence Reform Act**  
Evelyn Wheeler, U.S. State Department
- 14:30      **25% Challenge**  
Janey Ruud, DHS  
Wayne Sauer, CBSA
- 15:15      **Break**
- 15:30      **US Presidential Permit Process and Equivalent Canadian Processes:**  
Evelyn Wheeler, U.S. State Department  
Brian Hicks, TC
- 16:30      **Border Technology Exchange Program (BTEP) Update:**  
Henry Nevaes, Director of International Programs, FHWA
- 17:00      **End of Day One**

## **Day Two**

- 08:15      **Call to Order, Summary of Day One:**  
Roger Petzold, FHWA  
Paul Arvanitidis, TC
- 08:30      **Working Groups**  
  
Border Information Flow Architecture (BIFA)  
Trade and Traffic Data  
Border Needs Assessment Compendium
- 10:00      **Break**
- 10:15      **Working Groups**
- 11:45      **Action Plan Status Updates**  
  
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Trade and Traffic Data  
Border Needs Assessment Compendium
- 12:30      **Group Lunch: Networking Session**
- 13:30      **Post 9-11 Policy Impacts on Trucking Industry**  
Jacques Rochon, TC
- 14:15      **Break**
- 14:30      **WWU Border Institute**  
Dr. Paul Storer, WWU Border Institute, U.S.
- 15:00      **Updates: Shared Border Accord, Security and Prosperity  
Partnership**  
Steve Tzikas, CBP  
Jill Hochman, FHWA  
Isabelle Trepanier, TC
- 15:15      **Roundtable of issues**
- 15:45      **Next Meeting/Adjourn**
- 16:00      **Optional Detroit crossing NEPA update and Border Tour**  
Kris Wisnewski, Michigan Department of Transportation