

Agenda
Transportation Border Working Group Plenary Meeting
Coeur d' Alene
April 22-23, 2008

DAY ONE, TUESDAY, April 22, 2008

Note: The Subcommittee Sessions for this meeting are open for the general public. However, some of the subcommittees may be conducting business activities, therefore, during the actual conducting of these activities, the non-members of the sub-committee are asked to be respectful of this activity and follow the direction of the co-chairs.

7:30 – 4:30	Registration
8:00 – 10:30	Policy Research Subcommittee Session <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update on and discussion of passenger-rail pre-clearance initiatives• FHWA study of Economic impact of border delay; project status and feedback on the approach• Discussion of recent policy and research publication and findings• Emerging policy issues <i>Co-Chair Hugh Conroy ,IMTC</i> <i>Co-Chair Ted Mackay, Canadian Embassy</i>
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45 – 12:00	Border Infrastructure Coordination Subcommittee (BICSC) Session Update on the Compendium Update on Western Regional Workshop <i>Co-Chair Alicia Nolan, Federal Highway Administration</i> <i>Co-Chair Allan Wilson, Transport Canada</i>
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch (on your own)

1:00 – 2:45	<p align="center">Data Subcommittee Session</p> <p><i>Discussion will highlight upcoming Data workshop, training session and fall North American conference</i></p> <p><i>Chairwoman – Alicia Nolan, Federal Highway Administration</i></p> <p><i>Passenger Origin Destination Results</i> <i>Hugh Conroy, IMTC</i> <i>David Davidson, Western Washington University, Border Policy Research Institute</i></p>
2:45 -3:00	Break
3:00 – 5:30	<p>Border Information Flow Architecture (BIFA) Subcommittee Session</p> <p><i>Update and highlights on the workshops</i></p> <p><i>Co-Chair Jonathan Sabeau, Transport Canada</i> <i>Co-Chair Crystal Jones, Federal Highway Administration</i></p>

DAY TWO, WEDNESDAY, April 23, 2008

08:00 – 08:15	Registration
08:15 – 08:25	<p align="center">Call to Order, Welcome</p> <p><i>Isabelle Trepanier, TBWG Co-Chair, Transport Canada</i> <i>Jill Hochman, TBWG Co-Chair, Federal Highway Administration</i></p>
08:25 – 09:30	<p align="center">Washington/Ottawa Updates:</p> <p><i>Isabelle Trepanier, TBWG Co-Chair, Transport Canada</i> <i>Jill Hochman, TBWG Co-Chair, Federal Highway Administration</i> <i>Customs and Border Protection – Chad Gilchrist</i> <i>Canada Border Services Agency – Allan Hubley and Mr. Hal Parker</i> <i>General Services Administration – Ralph Scalise</i> <i>FMCSA – Milt Schmidt</i></p>
09:30 – 10:30	<p align="center">Idaho/Washington Cross-Border Activities</p> <p><i>Ron Kerr, Don Davis, Idaho Transportation Department</i> <i>Todd Carlson, Washington Department of Transportation</i></p>

10:15 – 10:30	Coffee Break
10:30 – 11:00	Border Delay Impacts on Regional Supply Chains Findings from the research report <i>Dr. Anne Goodchild, University of Washington</i>
11:00 – 12:00	Asia-Pacific Gateway and Corridor Initiative - Status Update Lessons learned from the Asia-Pacific Gateway Experience <i>Chris Hoff - Transport Canada</i>
12:00 – 1:00	Plated Lunch
1:00 – 2:00	State border region strategies and perspectives <i>Keith Metcalf, WSDOT Eastern Region</i> <i>Damon Allen, ITD Region I</i>
2:00 – 3:00	Panel discussion on WHTI , Enhanced drivers licenses and Presidential Permit Process <i>US State Department, Eleanore Fox</i> <i>CBP – Jay Brandt</i> <i>Becky Loomis, Washington State DOL</i>
3:00 – 3:15	Coffee Break
3:15 – 3:45	Customs and Border Protection Border Wait Times <i>Paul Morris – CBP</i>
3:45-4:15	Texas DOT Perspective on Southern Border and Interest in Northern Border <i>Esther Hitzelder, TXDOT International Relations</i>
4:15-4:45	Emerging Issues <i>Moderated by Gordon Rogers, Whatcom Council of Governments</i>
4:45 – 5:15	Action Plan: Update

5:15 – 5:30	<p data-bbox="646 134 1187 170">Next Plenary Meeting and Closing Remarks</p> <p data-bbox="480 201 1218 275"><i>Isabelle Trepanier, TBWG Co-Chair, Transport Canada</i> <i>Jill Hochman, TBWG Co-Chair, Federal Highway Administration</i></p>
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