



AGENDA
Canada-United States Transportation Border Working Group (TBWG) Plenary Meeting
Inn at the Forks Hotel
75 Forks Market Road, Winnipeg, Manitoba
October 27-28, 2009

DAY ONE – Tuesday, October 27th, 2009

7:30 – 4:30	Registration
7:30 – 8:15	Continental Breakfast
8:15 – 8:30	TBWG Call to Order / Welcoming Remarks <i>Jill Hochman – Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) – TBWG Co-Chair</i> <i>Ted Mackay – Transport Canada (TC) – TBWG Co-Chair</i>
8:30 – 9:00	Policy Subcommittee Meeting <i>Hugh Conroy (Whatcom Council of Governments) – Co-Chair</i> <i>Tony Shallow (TC) – Co-chair</i>
9:00 – 9:30	Technology Subcommittee Meeting <i>Jonathan Sabeau (TC) – Co-Chair</i>
9:30 – 10:15	Trade and Traffic Data Subcommittee Meeting <i>Roger Petzold (FHWA) on behalf of Alicia Nolan (FHWA) – Co-Chair</i> IMTC Cascade Gateway 2009 Commercial Vehicle Operations Survey <i>Hugh Conroy – Whatcom Council of Governments</i> <i>David Davidson – Western Washington University</i>
10:15 – 10:30	Coffee Break
10:30 – 11:30	Panel Discussion – “Greening the Border” <i>Jill Hochman – FHWA</i> <i>Bill Wells – GSA</i> <i>Todd Carlson – Washington DOT</i> <i>Claude Béland – CBSA</i>
11:30 – 12:00	Border Infrastructure Coordination Subcommittee Meeting <i>Daniel McGregor (TC) – Co-Chair</i> <i>Roger Petzold (FHWA) on behalf of Alicia Nolan (FHWA) – Co-Chair</i>
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch (individual arrangements)



1:00 – 2:00	National Border Infrastructure Updates <i>Dan Lagacé – Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA)</i> <i>Bill Wells – General Services Administration (GSA)</i>
2:00 – 2:30	Emerson/Pembina Border Presentation <i>David Lettner – Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation</i>
2:30 – 2:45	Coffee Break / Assemble for Border Tour
2:45– 4:00	Bus Trip to Emerson/Pembina Port of Entry
4:00 –5:00	Guided Border Visit <i>Tour: CBSA / CBP</i>
5:00– 6:15	Return Bus Trip to Winnipeg

Adjournment – Day One



DAY TWO - Wednesday, October 28th, 2009

7:30 – 8:15	Continental Breakfast
8:15 – 8:20	Call to Order & Welcome <i>Jill Hochman (FHWA) – TBWG Co-Chair</i> <i>Ted Mackay (TC) – TBWG Co-Chair</i>
8:20 – 9:30	Ottawa & Washington Updates <i>Ted Mackay – TBWG Co-Chair, TC</i> <i>Jill Hochman – TBWG Co-Chair, FHWA</i> <i>Julia Moore – U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP)</i> <i>Claude Béland – Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA) (TBD)</i>
9:30 – 9:45	Coffee Break
9:45 – 10:30	Canada – U.S. Border Security Partnership <i>Chris Gregory – Public Safety Canada</i> <i>Deborah Meyers – Department of Homeland Security</i>
10:30 – 11:30	Panel Discussion: Border Operators and Users <i>Ron Rienas & Stan Korosec – Public Border Operators Association</i> <i>Murray Ross – CP Rail</i> <i>Bob Dolyniuk – Manitoba Trucking Association</i>
11:30 – 12:45	Buffet Lunch (provided) Manitoba Transportation and Border Issues <i>Doug McNeil – Deputy Minister, Manitoba Infrastructure and Transportation</i>
12:45 – 2:00	Panel Discussion – “Small Ports of Entry: Challenges and Opportunities” <i>Ted Mackay – Transport Canada</i> <i>Jack Olson – North Dakota</i> <i>Julia Moore – CBP</i> <i>Mike Styre and Claude Béland – CBSA</i>
2:00 – 2:15	Coffee Break



2:15 – 3:30	Cross-Border Passenger Services and Tourism <i>Ed Courtemanch – Amtrak</i> <i>Brian Crow – Motor Coach Canada</i> <i>Chris Jones – Tourism Industry Association of Canada</i>
3:30 – 4:00	Closing Remarks / Action Plan <i>Jill Hochman (FHWA) - TBWG Co-Chair</i> <i>Ted Mackay (TC) - TBWG Co-Chair</i>

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