



**Canada-United States Transportation Border Working Group
2016 Spring Plenary– Alexandria Bay, New York
May 17 – 18, 2016
AGENDA**

DAY ONE

8:00 – 8:30	Registration and Continental Breakfast
8:30 – 8:50	Call to Order/Housekeeping/Welcoming Remarks <i>TBWG Co-Chairs:</i> <i>David Kim, Federal Highway Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i>
8:50 – 9:10	Local Welcome from New York State <i>Matthew J. Driscoll, Commissioner, New York State Department of Transportation</i> <i>Mike Canavan, Chief Operating Officer, New York</i>
9:10 – 9:40	Administrator’s Address <i>Greg Nadeau, Federal Highway Administration Administrator</i>
9:40 – 10:10	The Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Seaway System and Intermodal Freight Connectors <i>Thomas Lavigne, Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation</i>
10:10 – 10:20	Networking Break
10:20 – 11:10	Policy Session <i>Hugh Conroy, Whatcom Council of Government & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i> Canada – U.S. Land, Rail, Marine and Air Preclearance Agreement <i>Giovanni Matrisciano, Public Safety Canada & Deborah Meyers Department of Homeland Security</i>
11:10 – 11:40	Energy Intelligence <i>Ron Rienas, Buffalo & Fort Erie Public Bridge Authority & Daniel Shani, Energy Intelligence</i>
11:40 – 12:00	Bus and Boat Tour of Thousand Island Bridge, Alexandria Bay and Lansdowne Ports of Entry and Boldt Castle Reception <i>Robert Horr, Thousand Island Bridge Authority</i>
12:00 – 1:15	Lunch
1:15 - 1:30	Load Bus for Tour
1:30 – 5:00	Bus and Boat Tour
5:00 – 6:30	Evening Reception at Boldt Castle
6:30	Load on Boat/Transfer to Bus and Return to Hotel

AGENDA – DAY TWO

8:00 - 8:30	Registration and Continental Breakfast (Provided)
8:30 – 8:40	<p>Call to Order TBWG Co-Chairs: <i>David Kim, Federal Highway Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i></p>
8:40 – 9:10	<p>Border Crossing Infrastructure Prioritization Council <i>Matt Stack, Customs and Border Protection</i></p>
9:10 – 9:30	<p>Recap of Spring 2016 US-Mexico Joint Working Committee Meeting <i>David Kim & Tricia Harr, Federal Highway Administration</i></p>
9:30 – 10:00	<p>Technology Session <i>Julie Irvine, Transport Canada & Tiffany Julien, Federal Highway Administration</i></p> <p>Update on CBSA Mobile Wait Time App <i>Mathieu Pouliotte, Canada Border Services Agency</i></p> <p>BluFaxWeb - New Capability: License Plate Reader Support <i>Scott Melby, Fast Lane Software</i></p>
10:00 – 10:20	Networking Break
10:20 – 11:00	<p>Infrastructure Session <i>David Franklin, Federal Highway Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i></p> <p>Border Project Update <i>Donald Melcher, General Services Administration</i> <i>TBD, Canada Border Services Agency</i> <i>TBD, Public Bridge Operators Association</i></p>
11:00 – 11:30	<p>Trade and Traffic Data Session <i>Rob Tardif, Ministry of Transportation of Ontario & David Franklin, Federal Highway Administration</i></p>
11:30 – 12:00	<p>U.S. – Mexico Border Master Plan Presentation <i>Eduardo Hagert, Texas Department of Transportation</i></p>
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch
1:30 – 2:00	<p>TBWG Action Plan Discussion <i>Tricia Harr, Federal Highway Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i></p>
2:00 – 2:45	<p>TBWG Dialogue Session <i>Chris Dingman, Federal Highway Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i></p>
2:45 – 3:00	Coffee Break
3:00 – 3:30	<p>Updates from Regional Border Organizations <i>Cathy DeCoste-Whitlock, Eastern Border Transportation Coalition</i> <i>David Lettner, Inland Border Working Group</i> <i>Hugh Conroy, International Mobility and Trade Corrido</i></p>
3:30 – 4:00	<p>Rail Session <i>Barbara Barr, Federal Rail Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i></p> <p>International Border Rail Study <i>Barbara Barr</i></p> <p>Amtrak Update <i>Ed Courtemanch, Amtrak</i></p>
4:00 – 4:15	<p>Summary/Closing Remarks/Adjournment <i>David Kim, Federal Highway Administration & Tom Oommen, Transport Canada</i></p>