



Advisory Committee on Supply Chain Competitiveness (ACSCC)

Department of Commerce Research Library, Room 1894

Thursday, June 23, 2016

AGENDA

(Open to the Public)

Coffee available from 8:00 a.m.

9:00 - 9:10 a.m.

Committee Welcome

Bruce Harsh

Director, Office of Supply Chain

U.S. Department of Commerce

Mr. Harsh will introduce new Office Director and provide intercessional updates.

Chair and Co-Chairs – Comments and Committee Business

Committee Chair Rick Blasgen and Vice-Chair Rick Gabrielson will provide brief introductory remarks and the agenda for the day.

Chair Rick Blasgen

President and Chief Executive Officer

Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP)

Vice-Chair Rick Gabrielson

Vice President of Transportation

Lowe's Companies, Inc.

9:10 - 10:10 a.m.

Freight Movement and Freight Policy Developments

Rick Gabrielson, Subcommittee Chair, Freight Policy and Movement

Vice President of Transportation, Lowe's Companies, Inc.

Presentation of subcommittee recommendations for ACSCC consideration

10:10 - 10:40 a.m.

Report on DOT Programs and Legislation

Caitlin Rayman

U.S. Department of Transportation

Status of DOT programs, including North American supply chain, freight fluidity, strong ports, and FAST Act.

10:40 - 11:10 a.m.

Coffee Break

- 11:10 - 11:40 p.m.** **Workforce Developments**
Ms. Anne Strauss-Wieder, Subcommittee Chair, Workforce Development
Director, Freight Planning
North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority
Discuss U.S. workforce development issues and recommendation
- 11:40 - 12:10 p.m.** **Finance and Infrastructure Developments**
Leslie Blakey, Subcommittee Chair, Finance and Infrastructure
President and Executive Director, Coalition for America's Gateways and
Trade Corridors
Subcommittee report
- 12:10 - 1:00 p.m.** **Working Lunch**
- 1:00 - 1:30 p.m.** **Cuba Update**
Tracy L. Patts
Export Policy Analyst, Bureau of Industry and Security
U.S. Department of Commerce
Discuss U.S. export controls for Cuba
- 1:30 - 2:00 p.m.** **Trade and Regulatory Developments**
Shawn Wattles, Subcommittee Chair, Trade and Competitiveness
Director, Supply Chain Logistics, The Boeing Company
- Jevon Jamieson, Subcommittee Chair, Regulatory**
Sr. Mgr. Audit & Corrective Action Exports, Direct Imports, Walmart
Subcommittee report and recommendation
- 2:00 - 2:20 p.m.** **Coffee Break**
- 2:20 - 2:50 p.m.** **Information Technology and Data Developments**
Tiffany Melvin, Subcommittee Chair, IT & Data
President, North American Strategy for Competitiveness
Subcommittee report
- 2:50 - 3:15 p.m.** **Closing and Adjournment**
Chair Rick Blasgen
President and Chief Executive Officer
Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP)
- Bruce Harsh**
Director, Office of Supply Chain
U.S. Department of Commerce
Meeting wrap-up and next steps