



TRB Urban Freight Transportation Committee (AT025) Meeting

Monday, January 11, 2021

2:00 pm – 4:30 pm (Eastern Time)

Zoom Link: To be provided within 48 hours of the meeting

Presiding: Bill Eisele, Texas A&M Transportation Institute, AT025 Chair

Welcome, Member Roll call, Committee Overview and Agenda Review (Bill Eisele) (2:00-2:10 pm)

TRB Staff Report (Scott Babcock) (2:10-2:20 pm)

TRB Freight Group Update (Rick Bornhorst) (2:20-2:30 pm)

TRB Annual Meeting – AT025 Sessions/Activities (Bill Eisele) (2:30-2:40 pm)

- 2021 Theme: *Launching a New Century of Mobility and Quality of Life*
- See our session line-up (page 3)
- Other sessions of note (drop into the chat box)

(Old) Business – Summary of Dec 4, 2020 Business Meeting & Other Highlights (Bill Eisele) (2:40-2:45 pm)

- See meeting minutes available on website (<http://urbanfreight.tti.tamu.edu>)
- Problem statements submitted (see page 3)
- Partner conferences
 - FHWA Urban Freight Roundtable, 11 March 2021 noon-2:00 pm ET
 - VREF Conference on Urban Freight, 23-25 March 2021, Gothenburg, Sweden
 - 9th International Urban Freight Conference (I-NUF), 4-8 October 2021, Long Beach, California
- Any other old business of note?

Recognitions and Membership Highlights (2:45-3:00 pm)

- Best paper awards (Ivan Sanchez-Diaz)
- Member rotation – recognition of service
- New member roles in April 2021

AASHTO Freight Program Update (3:00-3:20 pm)

Ms. Caroline KIELTYKA, Program Manager for Freight, AASHTO

Urban Freight Movement Challenges, Solutions and the “New Normal” (presentation/Q&A) (3:20-4:00 pm)

Mr. Tom Madrecki, Vice President of Supply Chain, Consumer Brands Association

Announcements & Discussion (adjourn by 4:30 pm) (4:00-4:30 pm)

- Any new business of note?
- Announcements, innovations and networking
- And a “virtual zoom photo”

Questions? Want to get more involved? Contact us!

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AT025 Co-sponsored Activities

Online Program here: <http://www.trb.org/AnnualMeeting/AnnualMeeting.aspx>

- (Workshop 1024) “Food Deliveries in Times of Uncertainty,” Thurs, Jan 21, 200pm-500pm ET (DJ Mason & Tamiko Burnell), with AT015, AT030, AT045
- (Workshop 1038) “Freight Planning & Operational Logistics for the ‘New Normal,’” Fri, Jan 22, 1000am-100pm ET, with AT015
- (Workshop 1033) “Breaking Down Silos to Embrace Life in a Multimodal Performance Based Solution,” Fri, Jan 22, 1000am-100pm ET, with AKD10, ACH10, ACH20, ACP40, ACP60, ACS20, AJE40, AJL70
- (Session 1057) “Drone Delivery May be Useful, but Annoying: What Can be Done to Mitigate Noise Impacts to Ensure the Success of Drone Use?” Mon, Jan 25, 1000am-1130am ET (Erica Wygonik)
- (Session 1096), Freight Day, Part 1: “Atypical Disruptions in Supply Chains,” Mon, Jan 25, 100pm-230pm ET
- (Session 1200), Freight Day, Part 2: “Atypical Disruptions Reshaping Marine Transportation,” Tues, Jan 26, 100pm-230pm ET
- (Session 1292), Freight Day, Part 3: “Transformative Technologies: Challenges and Opportunities,” Wed, Jan 27, 100pm-230pm ET
- (Poster 1335) “Policy and Planning Applications Impacting Urban Freight Transportation,” Wed, Jan 27, 400-pm-530pm ET (Ivan Sanchez-Diaz)
- (Session 1389), Freight Day, Part 4: “Atypical Disruptions Reshaping Freight Systems,” Thurs, Jan 28, 100pm-230pm ET
- (Poster 1423) “Tools and Techniques to Improve Home Deliveries and the Last Mile,” Fri, Jan 29, 1000am-1130am ET (Ivan Sanchez-Diaz)

Statements Submitted for NCHRP FY 22 Program (Team Members)

- “A Best Practices Handbook for Overcoming Just-in-Time Delivery Challenges,” (Lead: Alireza Ermagun; with Robyn Bancroft, Carole Delion, Heather Monteiro, Sushant Sharma)
- “Communicating the Value, Interactions, and Impacts of Freight to Stakeholders),” (Lead: Laura Gilmore; with John Tompkins, Casey Wells, Verena Ehler, Alissa Torres, Sushant Sharma, Brian Hunter)
- “COVID-19’s Influence in Shaping E-commerce and It’s Last-Mile Impact,” (Lead: Vijay Sivaraman)