



2007

MISSOURI CONFERENCE ON TRANSPORTATION

**February 15, 2007
Capitol Plaza Hotel
Jefferson City**

**Hosted by: Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Missouri Department of Transportation
Missouri Farm Bureau**



THE FUTURE OF TRANSPORTATION 2007 MISSOURI CONFERENCE ON TRANSPORTATION

FEBRUARY 15, 2007
CAPITOL PLAZA HOTEL, JEFFERSON CITY

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- 8:00 a.m. - Registration**
- 8:45 a.m. - Welcome**
Daniel P. Mehan, President/CEO, Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Charlie Kruse, President, Missouri Farm Bureau Federation
Governor Matt Blunt
- 9:00 a.m. - Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission Report**
Bill McKenna, Chair, Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission
- 9:15 a.m. - Regional Transportation Outlook: St. Louis, Kansas City, Springfield, Rural Out-State Missouri**
Jerry Blair, Director of Transportation, East-West Gateway Coordinating Council
David Warm, Executive Director, Mid-America Regional Council (MARC)
Greg Williams, Senior Vice President of Economic Development, Springfield Area Chamber of Commerce
Randy Railsback, President, Missouri Association of Councils of Government
- 10:15 a.m. - Break**
- 10:30 a.m. - MODOT Moving Forward**
Pete K. Rahn, Director, Missouri Department of Transportation
- 11:00 a.m. - Rail Transportation in the 21st Century**
Charles Shewmake, Assistant Vice President State Government Affairs, BNSF Railway Company
- Noon Lunch**
- 12:30 p.m. - Keynote Speaker**
Mary E. Peters, U.S. Secretary of Transportation
- 1:15 p.m. - The Mississippi River: Passageway to a World Economy**
Paul Bingham, Global Trade and Transportation
- 1:45 p.m. - How Investing In Transportation is Good For Our Economy**
Mike Mills, Deputy Director, Missouri Department of Economic Development
- 2:00 p.m. - Bold Innovative Transportation Solutions**
"Vehicle Information Integration" -
Ralph Robinson, Ford Motor Company (invited)
"Show Me The Road To Hydrogen" -
Dr. K. Krishnamurthy, Vice Provost for Research, University of Missouri-Rolla
- 2:45 p.m. - Senate and House Transportation Committee Reports**
Sen. Bill Stouffer, Chair, Senate Transportation Committee, Missouri Senate
Rep. Neal St. Onge, Chair, House Transportation Committee, Missouri House
- 3:00 p.m. - Wrap Up/Legislative Updates**
Trey Davis, Dir. Of Governmental Affairs, Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry
Estil Fretwell, Missouri Farm Bureau
- 3:15 p.m. - Adjourn**

Missouri's Most Timely Conference on Transportation

Where Are We? What Do We Know Now? Where Do We Go From Here?

On February 15, 2007, Missourians will have the opportunity to be a part of the state's most thorough discussion of transportation issues at the 2007 Conference on Transportation. The Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, and the Missouri Department of Transportation have assembled a most informative and balanced program to discuss the future of

transportation in Missouri. In the process, we will attempt to answer the questions: Where are we? What do we know now? And, where do we go from here?

The 2007 Conference on Transportation brings together a variety of viewpoints to consider these questions and address how Missouri can best meet its transportation challenges.

Who should attend

- Anyone interested in any facet of transportation
- Public and private transportation providers
- Chambers of commerce
- Private companies
- State and local government officials
- Construction firms
- Trucking companies
- Economic developers
- Tourism groups
- Civic organizations
- Citizen groups

Registration Information

Registration fee includes handouts, refreshment breaks and lunch.

Hotel Accommodations

Capitol Plaza Hotel has blocked a limited number of rooms at a discounted rate of \$89. You must call the hotel directly at 800-338-8088 by January 14, 2007, to take advantage of the discount. Be sure to mention you're with the Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry group.

Special Notes

- We work hard to make our programs accessible to everyone. If you need special accommodations, contact Jennifer Berhorst at (573) 634-3511 or email jberhorst@mochamber.com.
- Please notify us of any special dietary requirements.

- Recording of any portion of the conference on audio or video is prohibited.
- Many educational services are tax-deductible. Consult your tax adviser.

Cancellation Policy

Substitutions may be made at any time. If possible, the name of the person(s) substituting for a confirmed registrant should be submitted prior to the program date.

Registration fees will not be refunded or waived.

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- Sponsoring Organization - \$105
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