

Iowa Freight Advisory Council Meeting Agenda
August 22, 2013
9:30 am to 2:45 pm
Historic Park Inn
7 West State St, Mason City, IA 50401

- 9:30 AM – Welcome and Member Introduction (Dan Sabin)
(Each member will briefly provide an update on any key freight initiatives they are working on)
- 9:45 AM – Freight Vision Statement and Future Meetings Outline (Tammy Nicholson)
- 10:00 AM – Mississippi River Action Plan (Paul Dierking, HDR)
- 10:30 AM – White Paper Status Report and Discussion of Possible Solutions for Each Issue (Theresa McClure and Laura Heilman, HDR)
--Infrastructure Challenges
--Transloading and Intermodal Terminals
--Operations
--Regulation
--Financial
--Labor and Driver Shortage
--Policy Support and Communication
- 11:30 AM – Selection of Preferred Solution(s) for Each Issue (Theresa McClure and Laura Heilman, HDR)
- 11:45 PM – Working Lunch
-- Legislative updates (Dan Franklin)
- 12:15 PM – Prioritization of the Preferred Solutions (Theresa McClure and Laura Heilman, HDR)
- 12:30 PM – Iowa Freight Plan Outline (Craig O’Riley)
- 1:00 PM – Manly Intermodal Facility Tour (Dan Sabin)
- 2:30 PM – Future meeting Agenda Items (Dan Sabin)
– Next Meeting (date, time and place)