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Freight Committee Agenda

September 25, 2008 10 a.m.

Cook County Conference Room
233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 800, Sears Tower
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- 1.0 **Call to Order** **10:00 a.m.**
Tom Zapler, Chairman
- 2.0 **Welcome and Introductions**
- 3.0 **Agenda Changes and Announcements**
- 4.0 **Approval of Minutes**
ACTION REQUESTED: Approval
- 5.0 **Presentation: Bob Costello, Chief Economist of the American Trucking Associations**
Mr. Costello will give a presentation highlighting trucking industry demand (e.g., freight volumes) and supply (e.g., fleet numbers and carrier failures) in the immediate term as well as the long-run. He will also provide an economic and energy outlook. Included in the energy section, Mr. Costello will discuss the numerous methods that motor carriers are employing to conserve fuel.
- 6.0 **Update: *Go To 2040: Scenario Construction and Indicators Project Update***
CMAP staff – Bob Dean, Andrew Williams-Clark
ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion
- 7.0 **Update: *Freight Snapshot***
CMAP staff - Roseann O'Laughlin
ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion

8.0 Project and Issue Updates

8.1 CDOT Freight Efforts, Downtown Freight Study - Joe Alonzo

8.2 EJ&E – CMAP staff

8.3 Other

ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion and recommendations for future project updates

9.0 Other Business

10.0 Next Meeting Dates

September 25

January 29, 2009

April 30, 2009

November 6

February 26, 2009

June 4, 2009

December 4

March 26, 2009

11.0 Adjourn

CMAP - Freight Committee Members:

	Agency	Representative
	CDOT	Joe Alonzo
	IDOT	Larry Wilson
	FHWA	Dean Mentjes
	USDOT, Maritime Administration	Floyd Miras
	US EPA – Region 5	Norm West
	Councils of Government	Steve Lazzara, Patricia Killinger
	Mayors and Managers Association	Reggie Greenwood
	Class I Railroad	Tom Zapler, UPRR **
	Illinois Trucking Association	George Billows **
	CTCO	Earl Wacker, Jeff Harris
	Center for Neighborhood Technology	David Chandler
	Chicago Metropolis 2020	Jim LaBelle
	UIC – UTC	Kazuya Kawamura
	IIT	Lawrence Rohter
	Chicago Workforce Board	Rob Hoffman
	Consultant	Sandra Deardan, Highroad Consulting
	Consultant	Libby Ogard, Prime Focus
	Consultant	Dr. J. Lee Hutchins, Jr.
	Shippers	Gary Perry, Walgreens
	Shippers	Doug Grane, Central States Trucking
	Department of Aviation	unfilled
	Illinois International Port Authority	Unfilled

** committee co-chair