



Agenda

Day 1:

Monday, June 19, 2023

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Registration & Check-in

1:00 pm to 1:15 pm

Welcoming Remarks

Scott Marler, Iowa DOT Director

Brainstorming Session

Open forum:

Issues, concerns, challenges and successes participants would like to share with the group.

1:15 pm to 2:15 pm

2:15 pm to 2:30 pm

CPKC Merger Update

Larry Lloyd, CPKS

2:30 pm to 3:00 pm

Railroad Crossing Preemption

Jason Field, Moffett & Nichol

3:00 pm to 3:15 pm

Break

3:15 pm to 3:45 pm

AREMA Update

Jennifer Crumbliss, HDR

3:45 pm to 4:15 pm

National Legislation & Industry Update

Nicole Brewin Railway Supply Institute

State DOT Updates

Amanda Martin, Iowa DOT (15 minutes)

4:15 pm to 5:15 pm

Shawn Hennes, Kansas DOT (15 minutes)

Greg Leary, Missouri DOT (15 minutes)

Travis Haberman, Nebraska DOT (15 minutes)

5:15 pm

Adjourn for the day

6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

Reception & Networking

Refreshments & Hors d'oeuvres



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Day 2: Tuesday, June 20, 2023

7:00 am to 8:00 am	Continental Breakfast
8:00 am to 8:30 am	FRA Update <i>Tom Domres, Federal Railroad Administration</i>
8:30 am to 9:00 am	FHWA Update <i>Tyler Wilson, Federal Highway Administration</i>
9:00 am to 10:15 am	Operation Lifesaver Updates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>National Update: Rachel Maleh, Executive Director, OLI</i> • <i>Francis Edeker, Iowa Operation Lifesaver</i> • <i>Matt Vogt: Kansas Operation Lifesaver</i> • <i>Tim Hull, Missouri Operation Lifesaver</i> • <i>Deb Ashworth: Nebraska Operation Lifesaver</i>
10:15 am to 10:30 am	Break
10:30 to 11:00	Union Pacific Railroad Update <i>Chris Keckeisen, Mgr. 1 Industry & Public Projects / Special Projects / Commuter / Passenger- UP</i>
11:00 am to 11:30 am	BNSF Railroad Update <i>Megan Shea, Assistant Director Public Infrastructure & Investments- BNSF</i>
11:30 am to 12:30 pm	Railroad Crossing Safety Projects Coordination Roundtable <i>(Moderator: Iowa DOT)</i> <i>Panel of representatives from UP, BNSF, and other railroads.</i> <i>Discuss ways to best coordinate railroad crossing safety projects with State DOT representatives</i>
12:30 pm to 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm to 2:00 pm	American Short Line & Regional Railroad Update <i>Mike Ogborn, American Short Line and Regional Railroad Association (ASLRRA)</i>
2:00 pm to 2:15 pm	AASHTO Update <i>Shayne Gill, Program Manager for Freight American Association of State Highway & Transportation Officials (AASHTO)</i>
2:15 pm to 2:30 pm	Break

Q & A Panel Discussion

Representatives from FRA, FHWA, Class I RRs, ASLRRRA, AASHTO

2:30 pm to 3:45 pm

Open discussion pertaining to policy, grant opportunities, projects, issues, and concerns

DHS / TSA Railroad Security Awareness

3:45 pm to 4:15 pm

Mike Hawrelok, Department of Homeland Security; Transportation Security Administration

4:15 pm to 4:30 pm

Conference Wrap-Up

4:30 pm

Conference Adjourn