

**The Council of State Governments
Midwestern Radioactive Materials Transportation Committee**

**Fall 2016 Committee Meeting and
Rail/Routing Ad Hoc Working Group Meeting**

November 29-December 1, 2016
Embassy Suites by Hilton St. Louis Downtown
610 North 7th Street
St. Louis, Missouri 63101

Final Agenda

*All sessions will take place in the **Laurel Ballroom AB***

November 29

9 am – 5 pm **Rail/Routing Ad Hoc Working Group Meeting**

Members of the Ad Hoc Working Group will meet to work on tasks related to rail routing and shipment inspections.

November 30

8 – 2 pm **Rail Field Trip (optional)**

2 – 2:30 pm **Break**

2:30 – 3:50 pm **Committee Business Session**

Welcome and Introductions	<i>Kelly Horn (Illinois)</i>
Report from the co-chairs	<i>Kelly Horn & Teri Engelhart (Wisconsin)</i>
Project update	<i>Lisa Janairo (CSG Midwest)</i>
Report on DOE-NE Transportation	<i>Kelly Horn & Teri Engelhart</i>
Core Group meeting	
NTSF-related reports	
Planning Committee	<i>Laura Dresen (Indiana)</i>
Information and Communications Ad Hoc Working Group	<i>Katelyn Tye (CSG Midwest)</i>
Rail/Routing Ad Hoc Working Group	<i>Mike Stead (Illinois)</i>
Section 180(c) Implementation Ad Hoc Working Group	<i>Kaci Studer (Indiana)</i>
Other Ad Hoc Working Groups	<i>Lisa Janairo</i>

	FEMA Rad Training Focus Group	Kelly Horn
3:50 – 4:05 pm	Break	
4:05 – 5:30 pm	Committee Business Session continues	
	State and Regional Roundtable	<i>All Committee Members and Other Guests</i>
	Committee Discussion	
	Consent-based Siting Meetings and Comments	<i>Kelly Horn & Teri Engelhart</i>
	Cities and Dates for the NTSF 2018 Annual Meeting	<i>Katelyn Tye</i>
	Spring 2017 Committee Meeting	<i>Kelly Horn</i>
	Announcements	<i>Lisa Janairo</i>
6 – 8 pm	Group Dinner (optional)	
	<i>Committee members and other attendees will dine at Alumni Saint Louis, which celebrates "the people, places, and food that make Saint Louis great."</i>	

December 1

8:30 – 8:35 am	Welcome and Introductions	<i>Kelly Horn</i>
8:30 – 8:35 am	Welcome to Missouri	<i>Mary Lamie, St. Louis Regional Freightway</i>
8:35 – 10:20 am	U.S. Department of Energy Program Updates	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>Office of Packaging and Transportation</i> <i>Joanne Lorence & Mike Wangler</i> ▪ <i>Nuclear Fuels Storage & Transportation Planning Project</i> <i>Erica Bickford</i> ▪ <i>Carlsbad Field Office</i> <i>Tim Runyon</i> 	
	<i>Each speaker will address recent activities within their specific programs, including completed or planned shipments that potentially impact the Midwestern region and other significant developments regarding transportation. Speakers will also address their programs' engagement opportunities for states, including public meetings, open comment periods, activities of the National Transportation Stakeholders Forum, and the CSG Midwest cooperative agreement. Following each 30-minute presentation, time will be available for questions and discussion.</i>	
10:20 – 10:35 am	Break	

10:35 – 11:35 am Case Study of a Multi-Modal Shipment: Point Beach Steam Generator Shipment Edward J. Posivak, WMG, Inc.
Gene LeClair, NextEra Energy Point Beach

In this session, two speakers will discuss the 2014 shipment of four steam generators from Point Beach Nuclear Plant in northeastern Wisconsin to the Waste Control Specialists disposal facility in Texas. The shipment is a case study of planning, operations, and communications involving the multi-modal transport of large components using heavy-haul truck, barge, and train.

11:35 – 11:55 am U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Update David Pstrak, NRC

11:55 am – 12 pm Announcements

12 – 4 pm Working Lunch: What to Expect When You’re Expecting a Rail Shipment of Spent Nuclear Fuel

This session will replicate the highly acclaimed breakout session that took place during the NTSF 2016 Annual Meeting. Led by facilitator Tim Runyon, participants will walk through the detailed steps necessary to prepare for rail shipments of spent nuclear fuel. During lunch, attendees will hear a short introduction to the session and instructions for the exercise. The facilitator will lead a discussion among select state and tribal participants regarding the actions each one would need or want to take in preparation for one or more spent fuel shipments traveling through their jurisdiction by rail. Audience participation will be strongly encouraged so that the session will be dynamic and engaging for all attending. One outcome of the session will be a written compilation of best practices identified during the discussion.

4 – 5 pm Closing Committee Business Session

Election of Co-Chair to Serve in 2017-2018	Teri Engelhart
Committee Discussion	
Transportation Recommendations from the National Academies and the Blue Ribbon Commission	Lisa Janairo
Progress on Priority Issues	Lisa Janairo
Review and Update Committee Work Group Assignments	Lisa Janairo
Other Topics	
Action Items Review	Katelyn Tye
Closing Remarks	Kelly Horn

5 pm Meeting Adjourned