



TDOT
Department of
Transportation

2025 Freight ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Date: 10/30/2025

Location: 18th Floor Conference Room West / Virtual

Meeting Agenda

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| 8:30-8:40 | Welcome Opening
Dan Pallme, TDOT Assistant Chief of Planning/Director
Passenger Transportation, Rail & Freight Division |
| 8:40-9:10 | Bridge Evaluation / Load Rating
Ted A. Kniazewycz, P.E., F.ASCE State Bridge Engineer
Structures Division |
| 9:10-9:30 | Tennessee Rail Plan Update,
Keith Bucklew, HDR |
| 9:30-9:50 | Tennessee Waterways & Barge
Jeff Trombly Ph.D. Assistant Professor of Practice, Supply Chain Management
University of Tennessee |
| 9:50-10:05 | Break |
| 10:05-10:35 | 2055 Long Range Transportation Plan
Drew Gaskins, Gresham Smith |
| 10:35-11:00 | Rail and Freight
Dan Pallme |
| 11:00-11:15 | Closing Comments and TDOT Wide Updates
Preston Elliott, TDOT Deputy Commissioner/Chief of Planning |