

<u>AGENDA</u>

Wednesday, November 10 1:00 – 2:40 P.M. State Transportation Building, Conference Room 4

- **1.** Introductions and Chair's Report Walter Bonin, Co-Chair (5 minutes)
- 2. Announcements (10 minutes)
- **3. Approval of the Meeting Minutes of October 13** *Walter Bonin, Co-Chair (5 minutes)*
- **4. How Advocates Can Help Advance State Freight Planning** *Astrid Glynn, Former Transportation Commission of New York State (20 minutes)*
- 5. Views on the Draft Massachusetts Rail Plan; Highlights, Implications, and Next Steps – Dick Flynn, Eastern Massachusetts Freight Rail Coalition (15 minutes)
- 6. Introduction to MassEcon *Rob Anderson, MassEcon (15 minutes)*
- 7. The Future of Boxcar Freight Daniel Bigda, Boxcar Services LLC, (15 minutes)
- 8. U.S. EPA SmartWay Transport Partnership Update *Abby Swaine*, U.S. EPA (10 *minutes*)
- **9. Adjourn** (2:40 *PM*)

Attachments: Draft October 13, 2010 Meeting Minutes

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