

2025 Spring Bulk Liquids AGENDA

Wednesday, March 26, 2025

1350 Port of New Orleans Place, New Orleans, LA 70130

9:00 AM – 9:45 AM	Symposium Registration and Coffee
9:45 AM – 9:50 AM	Introduction Kristi App , Chief Operating Officer, J.W. Allen & Company
9:50 AM – 10:00 AM	Port of New Orleans Update Beth Ann Branch , President and CEO, Port of New Orleans – CEO, New Orleans Public Belt
10:00 AM – 10:45 AM	Enhancing Logistics Through Multimodal Policy & Investment: Strategies for a Connected Future Julia Fisher-Cormier , Commissioner, Office of Multimodal Commerce, Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development
10:45 AM – 11:45 AM	Chassis Collaboration: Aligning Industry Standards with DOT Guidelines Moderator- Jeff Louis , President, Freedom Intermodal Jeff Durham , President & CEO, IsoChem Logistics, LLC David Hurstell , Director of Operations, Transportation Compliance Services, USA Julie Gautreau , Permits Manager, Louisiana Department of Transportation and Development
11:45 AM – 1:00 PM	Lunch Break Sponsored by RTW
1:00 PM – 1:45 PM	From Farm to Fork: Food Transport Insight and Innovation in an Ever Changing Landscape Moderator- Janine Mansour , Director of Trade Development, Port of New Orleans Michael Corbett , Vice President, Sunrise Foods Cesar Ortiz , Sales Director of Chemicals & Plastics, BNSF Railway Lynn Stacy , Managing Director, OEC Group
1:45 PM – 2:15 PM	Trade Wars and Tariffs: How U.S. Trade Policies Affect Global Supply Chains Legal Update- Chris Kane , Partner and Global Trade, Transportation and Logistics Team Leader, Adams & Reese
2:15 PM – 2:45 PM	Break
2:45 PM – 3:15 PM	ITCO: International Tank Container Organization Matt Caldwell , COO at Intermodal Tank Transport
3:15 PM – 4:00 PM	Flexibility in Motion: How Bulk Liquid Shippers are Evolving Amidst Constant Challenges Moderator- James Yarbrough , Global Bulk Logistics Strategy Lead, Bayer Crop Science Levi Hazeley IV , Senior Manager Sales Execution, US Gulf Valerie Ferguson , Logistics Team Lead North America Region, Chevron Oronite Ashley Sutera , General Director Chemical Sales, United Pacific Railroad
5:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Evening Reception , Tchoup Yard Co-sponsored by New Orleans Terminal and Ports America

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