

Focus on Freight–Winter 2011

A Freight Newsletter for the National Capital Region



TPB Freight Subcommittee

Mark your calendars! Our next TPB Freight Subcommittee will be on January 12, 2011. We will salute our outgoing Chairman Victor Weissberg. Agenda details are forthcoming.

Please review the [November 10, 2011 TPB Freight Subcommittee summary](#) of the *Green Goods Movement of the Future* meeting. Thank you to Jesse Shoyer and Tim Weaver of [Smith Electric Vehicles](#) and Allen Schaeffer of the [Diesel Technology Forum](#) for their interesting presentations!

EPA Freight Sustainability Summit

November 17-18, 2011, the EPA hosted the Freight Sustainability Summit. Featured speakers included Gina McCarthy, Assistant Administrator for the Office of Air and Radiation at EPA, Fred Krupp, President of the Environmental Defense Fund, David Matsuda, Administrator of the Maritime Administration, and Bill Graves, President and CEO of the American Trucking Administration. A summary of the conference and copies of all conference presentations can be found on the [Summit Website](#).

Freight Academy

The I-95 Corridor Coalition will be conducting its third offering of the highly acclaimed Freight Academy from April 15-20, 2012. The Freight Academy is an immersion program for public sector transportation professionals. The Freight Academy classroom program will be conducted at the Center for Advanced Infrastructure Training (CAIT) at Rutgers University in New Brunswick, NJ. The program is open to public sector personnel from throughout North America.

To learn more about the program and submit an application visit www.freightacademy.org

TRB 2012 Annual Meeting Note that Tuesday, January 24th is Freight Day with a freight-filled agenda. See you there!



Happy Holidays



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