

Midwest Interstate Passenger Rail Commission Annual Meeting

June 11 & 12, 2014

Preliminary Attendance List (as of 6/5/14)

Commissioners, By State

ILLINOIS

House Appointment

Rep. Elaine Nekritz

Governor or Designee

Mr. Joseph Shacter, *Illinois DOT (representing Secretary Ann L. Schneider, Illinois DOT)*

Private Sector

Mr. Robert Guy, *SMART-Transportation Division (formerly UTU)*

INDIANA

House Appointment

Rep. Randy Truitt

Governor or Designee

Mr. Robert Zier, *Indiana DOT (representing Commissioner Karl Browning, Governor's Designee)*

Private Sector

Mr. Fred Lanahan, *Northeast Indiana Passenger Rail Association*

KANSAS

Senate Appointment

³ Sen. Carolyn McGinn

Governor or Designee

Mr. Dennis Slimmer, *Kansas DOT (representing Mr. Chris Herrick, Governor's Designee)*

Private Sector

Mr. Peter Meitzner, *Wichita City Council*

MICHIGAN

Governor or Designee

¹ Mr. Tim Hoeffner, *Michigan DOT*

MINNESOTA

House Appointment

Rep. Linda Slocum

Senate Alternate Appointment

Sen. Melissa Franzen

Governor or Designee

Mr. Dan Krom, *Minnesota DOT (representing Commissioner Tom Sorel, Governor's Designee)*

Private Sector Appointment

Mr. John Ongaro, *St. Louis County, MN/Northern Lights Express*

MISSOURI

Senate Appointment

Sen. David Pearce

Governor or Designee

² Ms. Joan Bray

Private Sector Appointment

Ms. Lyndsey Watson, *Emerson Electric Company (representing Mr. Frank Steeves)*

NORTH DAKOTA

Governor or Designee

Rep. Kim Koppelman

WISCONSIN

Senate Appointment

Sen. Mark Miller

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MIPRC Partners

Mr. Chris Barkan, *University of Illinois*

Mr. Scott Braverman, *Corridor Capital LLC*

Ms. Kelley Britt, *Ohio Association of Regional Councils*

Mr. James Coston, *Corridor Capital LLC*

Mr. Eric Curtit, *Missouri DOT*

Mr. Jim Garrett, *Iowa Legislative Board, SMART-Transportation Division (formerly UTU)*

Mr. Derrick James, *Amtrak*

Mr. Brian Kelly, *Missouri BLET; Teamsters Rail Conference, International Brotherhood of Teamsters*

Mr. Ken Menges, *Missouri Legislative Board, SMART-Transportation Division (formerly UTU)*

Sen. Jeremy Nordquist, *Nebraska*

Mr. Paul Piekarski, *Illinois BLET; Teamsters Rail Conference, International Brotherhood of Teamsters*

Mr. Moe Savoy, *Amtrak*

Mr. Stephen Schlickman, *University of Illinois*

Sen. Jim Smith, *Nebraska*

Ms. Michelle Teel, *Missouri DOT*

Mr. George Weber, *Quandel Consultants, LLC*

Allies

Mr. Clyde Anderson, *ProRail Nebraska*

Ms. Barbara Carroll, *City of Warrensburg, MO*

Ms. Kay Chase, *Michigan Association of Railroad Passengers*

Mr. Steven Coxhead, *Indiana Passenger Rail Alliance*

Mr. Jeff Davis, *BNSF*

Mr. William Erdman, *Kansas City Southern*

Ms. Deborah Fischer Stout, *Northern Flyer Alliance*

Mr. Tom Gerend, *Mid-America Regional Council (Kansas City)*

Mr. Kyle Gradinger, *Federal Railroad Administration*

Mr. Richard Harnish, *Midwest High Speed Rail Association*

Mr. Matt Kauffman, *Kansas City Regional Transit Alliance*

Mr. Milo Mumgaard, *Office of the Mayor, Lincoln, Nebraska*

Staff

Mr. David Ewing, *MIPRC Federal Relations Consultant*

Ms. Anne Herschel, *office of Sen. David Pearce*

Ms. Laura Kliewer, *MIPRC Director*

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