



## LMOA Tentative Technical Program Schedule

Railway Interchange 2011

Minneapolis Minnesota

September 19-20, 2011

### Sunday September 18, 2011

11:00am – 5:00pm: On-Site Conference Registration Open

11:00am - 5:00pm: Outdoor Exhibits Open

The outdoor exhibits will be held 20 minutes northwest of the Convention Center at Canadian Pacific's Humboldt Yard located at 2625 49th Ave N. Minneapolis, MN 55430. Bus transportation will be provided to and from the Minneapolis Convention Center and Humboldt

12:00pm – 5:00pm: Indoor Exhibits Open

The indoor tradeshow exhibits will be located at the [Minneapolis Convention Center](#) in Minneapolis, Minnesota, located at 1301 2nd Avenue South, Minneapolis, MN 55403-2710.

### Monday September 19, 2011

7:30am - 5:00pm On-Site Conference Registration Open

11:00am - 6:00pm Outdoor Exhibits Open

11:00am - 6:00pm Indoor Exhibits Open

7:30am Opening General Session & Presentation of Colors

7:35am Safety Briefing

7:40am AREMA President's Welcome

7:45am RSI/CMA President's Welcome

7:50am Railway Industry Update  
Speaker: Raymond B. LaHood, Secretary, DOT

8:20am Break

9:00am Diesel Mechanical Maintenance Committee Chairman, Jeff Cutright-Norfolk Southern

1. Locomotive Storage-Follow up on presentation made in Montreal in 2010-Tom Kennedy, Union Pacific RR

2. Generator Installation and Maintenance-Rich Aranda, Belt Railway
3. Design for Reliability-A System Perspective-Tom Kennedy, Union Pacific RR and Ian Bradbury, Peaker Services

10:15am Break - View Exhibits

10:45am Fuel, Lubricants and Environmental Committee-Chairman Dwight Beebe-Temple Engr

1. Locomotive Biodiesel Fuel Update-Steve Fritz, Southwest Research Institute
2. Diesel Exhaust Fluid (DEF) – Properties and Technical Information-J. J. Hiznay, Colonial Chemical Company

12:00pm Dismiss for Lunch

1:30pm State of the Union Address-President Jack Kuhns, Graham White Corporation

1:45pm Diesel Electrical Maintenance Committee-Chairman Mike Drylie, CSX Transportation

1. The Change from Mechanical Unit Injection to Electronic Unit Injection-Keith Mellin, Peaker Services
2. Modernizing an Aging Heavy Haul Fleet-Tom Nudds, ZTR Control Systems
3. Three Stage Battery Charging for EMD Locomotives-Bud Wilds, BNSF
4. Efficiency and Mechanical Aspects of the New Amtrak Electric Locomotive, ACS64-Bill Durham, Amtrak and Dave Ward, Siemens

3:15pm Break-View Exhibits

3:45pm Diesel Material Control Committee-Chairman Ron Sulewski, Rail Products Int'l

1. Green Theme-Storage, Handling and Recycling of Locomotive Batteries-Paul Foster, Power Rail and Eric Fonville, Norfolk Southern
2. EMD Locomotive Starter-Small Component Ergonomics

5:00pm Adjourn for the Evening

## **Tuesday, September 20, 2011**

7:30am - 12:00pm Conference Registration

8:00am - 3:00pm Outdoor Exhibits Open

8:00am - 6:00pm Indoor Exhibits Open

9:00am President's Acceptance Speech

9:15am Shop Safety, Processes and Equipment Committee-Chairman Bill Peterman, Peterman Rwy Tech.

1. Advancements in Locomotive Fuelling Equipment and other Services
2. Advancements in Fuel Management from Delivery to Locomotive
3. Safety in the Facility

10:15am Break-View Exhibits

- 10:45am New Technologies Committee-Chairman Jim Christoff, Morgan AM&T/National
1. Positive Train Control-Derald Sweatt, CSX Transportation
  2. Overview of Progress by OEM Suppliers Toward Tier 4 Compliance- Randy Nelson, Cummins and Jeff Clapper, Wheeling & Lake Erie RR
- 12:00pm Adjourn until 2012

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