



# JOINT TRADE & TRANSPORTATION & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE AGENDA

**Skamania Lodge, Stevenson**

**Room TBD**

8:45 - 11:30 am

Thursday, May 16, 2024

## **AGENDA**

- 8:45 – 8:55 am      **Introductions**  
Randy Hayden, *Port of Pasco*
- 8:55 – 10:00 am      **Grant Programs Critical for Ports**  
Jason Biggs, *Washington State Department of Transportation*  
Kjristine Lund, *Freight Mobility Strategic Investment Board - invited*  
Xochitl Castaneda, *Federal Maritime Administration*  
Joshua Grandbouche, *Washington State Department of Ecology - invited*
- 10:00 – 10:40 am      **Port Perspectives 2034: Shaping the Next Decade of Grant Funding**  
Stacy Frost, *Maul, Foster & Alongi*  
Seth Otto, *Maul, Foster & Alongi*  
Phil Wiescher, *Maul, Foster & Alongi*
- 10:40 – 11:00 am      **Update on Trade with Asia: Three Things I Learned While Living Abroad**  
Erik Adair, *Trade Horizons Limited*
- 11:00 – 11:15 am      **Setting Sail: WPPA's Marine Cargo Forecast**  
Chris Herman, *Washington Public Ports Association*
- 11:15 – 11:30 am      **Economic Development Committee Updates**  
Diahann Howard, *Port of Benton*  
Mike Bomar, *Port of Vancouver*  
**Trade & Transportation Committee Updates**  
John Wolfe, *Northwest Seaport Alliance*  
Randy Hayden, *Port of Pasco*