



Southwest Association of Rail Shippers

Semi-Annual Meeting

October 2 - 3, 2013

Hyatt Regency Phoenix

Phoenix, Arizona

“Transforming the Future”

Conference Agenda

Wednesday, October 2, 2013

10:00 a.m.	<i>SWARS Scholarship Fund Golf Event</i> Longbow Golf Club 5601 E Longbow Parkway Mesa, Arizona 85215	Glenn Turner Logistica Integral Transportation Golf Chairman
2:30 – 6:30 p.m.	<i>Early Registration</i> Hyatt Regency Phoenix	Jack Dail
3:00 – 5:00 p.m.	<i>RR 101 Course - “Introduction to Railroad Operations”</i> Hyatt Regency Phoenix	John Schmitter KEP, LLC, President
5:30 – 6:00 p.m.	<i>New Member Orientation</i> – Meet the SWARS Officers Hyatt Regency Phoenix	Laurie Stiles SWARS President
6:00 – 7:00 p.m.	<i>Welcome Mixer</i> Hyatt Regency Phoenix	Laurie Stiles SWARS President

Thursday, October 3, 2013

7 a.m.	<i>Continental Breakfast</i> Hyatt Regency Phoenix	<u>Moderator</u> Jack Dail
7 a.m.	<i>Registration</i> Hyatt Regency Phoenix	Jack Dail
8:00 – 8:10 a.m.	<i>Welcome and Announcements</i>	Laurie Stiles SWARS President
8:10 – 8:15 a.m.	<i>Safety Briefing</i>	Jeff Usher AAR
8:15 – 8:20 a.m.	<i>SWARS Mission Statement</i>	Pat Walsh Phillips 66 Co.
8:20 – 9:00 a.m.	Keynote Address <i>“Synergy Success”</i> – Aligning Customers, Class I's and Shortlines • Michael O Miller; Genesee & Wyoming Chief Commercial Officer	Laurie Stiles SWARS President
9:00 – 9:45 a.m.	<i>“Back on Top”</i> - Innovative Uses of Intermodal • Jon Panzer; Union Pacific Railroad AVP - Chemicals	John Radvansky OXEA Corporation

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9:45 – 10:00 a.m.	NETWORKING BREAK	
10:00 – 11:15 a.m.	“Great Expectations” - Rail Innovation and Technology <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jim Kniestedt; Kansas City Southern Security – Advisor• Don Loftis; Olin Corporation Principle Software Engineer - Rail Security Coordinator	Richard Dodd RDC Logistics
11:15 – 12:00 a.m.	“Got Room for One More?” – Rail Shop Capacity Outlook <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bill Benefiel, Progress Rail Services VP, Freight Car Repair	Jennifer Fussell Kansas City Southern
12:00 – 1:30 p.m.	NETWORKING LUNCHEON	Laurie Stiles SWARS President
1:30 – 2:15 p.m.	“No Runs, No Drips, No Errors” - Shipping Hazmat Safety <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tim O’Brien, Union Pacific Railroad Director Environmental Operations - Hazmat	Gail Molek Union Pacific Railroad
2:15 – 3:00 p.m.	“Pipeline on Wheels” – Crude by Rail Update <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Joe Gallagher, Phillips 66 Director of Commercial Truck & Rail• Alan Shaw, Norfolk Southern Group Vice President – Chemicals	Lory Tauber GeoMetrix USA
3:00– 3:15 p.m.	NETWORKING BREAK	
3:15 – 4:00 p.m.	“Yield – Quantitive Easing Ahead” – Economic Update; A Fireside Chat <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Anthony B Hatch; ABH Consulting; Principle	Linda Turner FirstEnergy Solutions
4:00 p.m.	Meeting Wrap-up <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Scholarship Update – Susan Cox• Golf Awards – Glenn Turner• \$500 Gift Card Drawing (Two)• Closing Comments	Laurie Stiles SWARS President
Networking Tables Open Throughout Meeting!		
At end of meeting until 6:00 p.m.	E “Leo” Mountjoy Reception Hyatt Regency Phoenix	Laurie Stiles SWARS President

Friday, October 4, 2013

8:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Board of Directors Meeting Hyatt Regency Phoenix	Laurie Stiles SWARS President
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