



AGENDA

January 7, 2014, 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
201 North 9th Street, Richmond, VA 23219
Senate Room 1 (Capitol)

1. Introductions and Safety Briefing – Thelma Drake, Director, VDRPT and Nick Tennyson, Chief Deputy for Support, NCDOT 10:00 – 10:20 a.m.
2. Opening Remarks from Virginia Chair, Senator John Watkins, Virginia State Senate and the North Carolina Chair, Representative Bill Brawley, NC House of Representatives 10:20 – 10:30 a.m.
3. Procedural Matters – Compact 10:30 – 10:50 a.m.
4. FRA High Speed Intercity Passenger Rail Program Update – Corey Hill, FRA 10:50 – 11:10 a.m.
5. NEC – Importance of Coordination – Drew Galloway, Amtrak 11:10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

WORKING LUNCH BREAK WITH PRESENTATION 11:30 – 1:00 p.m.

Federal funding opportunities for project – David Ewing, States for Passenger Rail Coalition

6. Aligning Virginia and North Carolina's goals and action plan 1:00 – 1:55 p.m.
 - Coordinate efforts to develop an Integrated Service Development Plan
 - Potential Phased approach
7. Closing remarks 1:55 p.m.
8. Meeting adjourned 2:00 p.m.