



## ARDA 2013 Executive Forum

### Tuesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

- 8:30-11:30 Board meeting in the Viewing Gallery at the BNSF NOC (Board and Executive Committee only)
- 12:00-1:00 Check-in at the Security Desk in the BNSF Visitor Center  
(escort to NOC Viewing Gallery will be provided)
- 12:00-1:00 Registration in the Viewing Gallery lobby (cookies & beverages provided)
- 1:00-1:10 Welcome and Safety Briefing;
- Leo Thorbecke***, ARDA President
- 1:10-2:00 Forum Program 1 - **Economic Stimulus: Tower 55 and GE Plant;**
- Jay Chapa***, Director, Fort Worth Economic Development
- 2:00-2:45 Forum Program 2 - **Beyond Utility Corridors;**
- David Rankin***, Senior General Attorney, BNSF Railway Co.
- 2:45-3:00 Break (beverages provided)
- 3:00-4:00 Forum Program 3 - **Update on Texas Rail Program: Rail Spur Industrial State Funding State Comparison, HSR and Rail Challenges & Opportunities;**
- Jennifer Moczygemba***, Rail System Section Director, TXDOT
- 4:00-5:00 Forum Program 4 - **Transit in North Central Texas**
- Tom Shelton***, Senior Program Manager, Transportation Department,  
North Central Texas Council of Governments
- 6:00-7:30 Reception and dinner at Boston's – The Gourmet Pizza  
6501 North Freeway  
Fort Worth, TX 76131

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**Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>**

- 7:30-8:15 Check-in at the Security Desk in the BNSF Visitor Center  
(escort to NOC Viewing Gallery will be provided)
- 7:30-8:15 Registration in the Viewing Gallery lobby (pastries & beverages provided)
- 8:15-8:25 Welcome and Safety Briefing;  
  
***Leo Thorbecke***, ARDA President
- 8:25-9:15 Forum Program 5 - **Environmental Challenges in Major Railroad Facility projects**;  
  
***Thomas Schmidt***, Director Engineering Services, BNSF Railway Co.  
  
***David Flick***, Principal, Terra Technologies, Inc.
- 9:15-10:15 Forum Program 6 - **Sustainability Approach at BNSF**;  
  
***John Lovenburg***, VP Environmental, BNSF Railway Co.
- 10:15-10:30 Break (beverages provided)
- 10:30-12:00 Forum Program 7 - **Alliance and Beyond**;  
***Skip Kalb Jr.***, Director Strategic Development, BNSF Railway Co.  
***Darrell Coffey***, Director Economic Development Strategic Programs, BNSF Railway Co.
- 12:00-12:10 Closing Comments; Conclusion of event for those not attending Alliance Tour  
  
***Leo Thorbecke***, ARDA President
- 12:10-12:45 Box lunches and BNSF Company Store Open for shopping
- 12:45-1:00 Load bus in front of BNSF Visitor Center, buses depart
- 1:30-3:30 **Alliance Intermodal Hub Tour**
- 3:30-4:00 Bus returns to BNSF Visitor Center - Conclusion of Event