AGENDA

1:00 pm* Meeting Begins

1. Welcome and Safety
   - Co-Chairmen Brad Hildebrand and Frank Mulvey
   - Robert R. Petersen, President - TEGMA
   - Safety Briefing by Vice-Chair Mike Bilovesky

2. Remarks
   - The Honorable Daniel Elliott, STB Chairman
   - The Honorable Ann Begeman, STB Commissioner

3. New Member and Member Introductions
   - Tom Brugman – New Members and Substitutes – how they are selected
   - Current Members – self introductions

4. Adoption of 2011 Minutes

5. Financial Report – Mark Van Cleave, Secretary/Treasurer

6. Rail Carrier Reports and Discussion – 2012 Fall Harvest
   - Market, Service and Issues
   - Velocity
   - Equipment Availability
     - Rail/Shipper issues and problems

7. Shipper Reports and Discussion
   - Market, Service and Issues
   - Demand for grain cars
   - Equipment Availability
     - Rail/Shipper issues and problems

8. Manufacturers/Lessors Report
   - Fleet size
   - Leasing Availability
   - Building estimates
   - Building/supply issues

2:45 – 3:00 pm Break

9. Changes in Rail Market Share of Grain and Oilseed Transportation – Marvin Prater, US Department of Agriculture

10. Rail Time Indicators Update – Dan Keen, Association of American Railroads

11. Update on Railroad Agricultural Contract Filings – Tom Brugman, STB

12. Open Forum
    - Open for Member Topics of Discussion

13. Closing Remarks

5:00 pm Meeting Adjourns

*Start time tentative based on arrival of out-of-town members and guests