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Maine Transportation Conference | December 1-3, 2020

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1ST

3:00 PM

WELCOME

Maine Governor Janet T. Mills
MaineDOT Commissioner Bruce Van Note
Dr. Dana Humphrey, University of Maine

4:00 PM

KEYNOTE

Carol Martsof, Vice President, Chief Learning Officer, Urban Engineers

5:00 PM

NETWORKING HAPPY HOUR

Hosted by HNTB Corporation

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2ND

9:00 AM

TECHNICAL SESSION 1: NEVER LET A GOOD CRISIS GO TO WASTE

A Look at Traffic Volumes Throughout the Pandemic

Ariel Greenlaw, Traffic Engineer, HNTB

Project Cost Savings

Wayne Frankhauser, Bridge Program Manager, MaineDOT

POLICY SESSION 1: FAST ACT REAUTHORIZATION

Jim Tymon, AASHTO

10:00 AM

TECHNICAL SESSION 2: HAVE YOU HUGGED YOUR CLIMATOLOGIST TODAY?

Peter Slovinsky, Maine Geological Survey

Joyce Taylor, Chief Engineer, MaineDOT

POLICY SESSION 2: ADA AFTER 30 YEARS

Hon. John Sununu, Former White House Chief of Staff

Kim Moody, Disability Rights Maine

11:00 AM

SPECIAL SESSION: ASCE REPORT CARD RELEASE: SIX TRANSPORTATION AREAS

Dan Bouchard, Maine Section ASCE

A Look at Freight Traffic in Northern Maine

Gordon Edington, VHB

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2 – CONTINUED

- 1:00 PM** **TECHNICAL SESSION 3: STUDENT PAPERS**
Presenters and topics to be announced
- 2:00 PM** **TECHNICAL SESSION 4: DASHBOARDS, MAPS AND OTHER COOL STUFF**
Tora Johnson, UMaine Machias – Online Maps for Rural Communities
Nate Kane, MaineDOT
Thea Youngs, City of Portland
- 3:00 PM** **POLICY SESSION 3: MANAGING THROUGH A PANDEMIC - CONSULTANT'S VIEW**
Executing Work During Covid-19: Thinking Differently About How We Perform Work
Gregory Goyette, Principal - Transportation, Stantec
Managing the Workplace During COVID-19: Changing Trends in Work Culture
Tonya Spry, Director Human Resources, WSP USA
- 4:00 PM** **POLICY SESSION 4: A CONVERSATION WITH THE COMMISSIONER**
Bruce Van Note, MaineDOT Commissioner
- 5 - 6 PM** **NETWORKING HAPPY HOUR**

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3RD

- 1:30 PM** **AWARDS PRESENTATION**
Student Paper Awards – presented by MBTA
Paul L. Lariviere Awards -presented by Todd Jorgensen,
FHWA Division Administrator
AASHTO 25-Year Pins & David H. Stevens Award – presented by
Bruce Van Note, MaineDOT Commissioner
- 2:00 PM** **LIVE Q & A – ALL CONFERENCE SPEAKERS INVITED**
- 3:00 PM** **BRIDGE BREAKING CONTEST AT UMAINE**
- 4:00 PM** **CLOSING REMARKS**
Bruce Van Note, MaineDOT Commissioner

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