Fostering Mobility at the BC/WA Border: Perimeter Clearance, WHTI, and Real ID
February 15, 2007
9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Viking Union, Room 565

Agenda

9:00 Welcome: Karen Morse, President, Western Washington University
Conference objectives: Don Alper, Director, BPRI

9:15 Session 1: 5th Anniversary Update of the Perimeter Clearance Strategy
Christian Hansen, Manager of Trade & Policy, InterVISTAS

10:10 Session 2: Canadian and U.S. Perspectives on Border Mobility
Hon. Peter Lloyd, Consul General of Canada
Hon. Lewis Lukens, Consul General of the United States

10:45 Break

11:00 Session 3: CBP and CBSA Perspectives
Amanda Bibler, Ass’t. Director Field Operations, CBP, Seattle
Kim Scoville, CBSA

12:00 Lunch: Provided, with opportunity for informal discussion

1:00 Session 4: Assessing the Perimeter Clearance Paradigm
Impediments to Perimeter Clearance and Paths to Success
by Rey Koslowski, (SUNY-Albany)

Cross Border Cooperation in the Pacific Northwest
by Sukumar Periwal, (Canada-US Fulbright Scholar, U. of Washington)

2:15 Session 5: The BC/WA Working Group WHTI Pilot Project
Claudia Fabbri, BC Intergovernmental Relations Secretariat
Antonio Ginatta, Office of Governor Gregoire
Becky Loomis, WA Dept. of Licensing, progress update

3:15 Break

3:30 Session 6: Stakeholder Comments re: the BC/WA Pilot Project
Ontario update, Ernie Bartucci, Ontario Ministry of Transportation
Regional expansion of the project, Matt Morrison, PNWER
IMTC perspective, Gordon Rogers, WCOG
Private sector comments, Ken Oplinger, BESTT Coalition
Private sector comments, Mary Mahon Jones, COTABC

4:30 Session 7: Concluding Remarks, Jim Phillips, Pres., CABTA

5:00 Adjourn