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The Carmichael Conference On The Future of American Transportation For North American Transportation Advocates and Leaders Hyatt Regency Hotel St. Louis, MO January 28-29, 2008

[Sunday January 27, 2008-arrivals]

6-7 p.m. Informal welcoming reception (light hors d'oeuvres, bar)
Dinner On Your Own

Day One

Monday January 28, 2008

7:45-8:30a.m. Name Tags/Registration/Continental Breakfast
8:30 a.m. Greeting/Housekeeping Announcements/Opening Remarks:
Jim RePass, President & CEO, NCI (confirmed) and Gilbert E. Carmichael, Senior
Chairman, Intermodal Transportation Institute, The University of Denver (confirmed)
8:35 a.m. Introduction of Keynote Speaker: TBD
8:40 a.m. Keynote Address: United States Secretary of Transportation Mary Peters (invited)
(Joseph Boardman also possible for this slot)
9:00 a.m. Introduction Session I: How Did We Get Here? (Transportation History)-
Session Leader I: TBD
9:15 a.m. Session I Panel Discussion: panel members TBD
10:40 a.m. Break
10:45 a.m. Introduction Session II: Where Are We Now? (Things as They Are)—
Session Leader II: David Gunn (Invited)
11:00 a.m. Session II Panel Discussion: panel members TBD
12:25 p.m. Break
12:30 p.m. Luncheon
Luncheon Speaker: Robert Nardelli, President/CEO, Chrysler Corporation (invited)
1:45 p.m. Break
2:00 p.m. Introduction Session III: Where Do We Want to Go? (Transportation Future) –
Session Leader III: TBD
2:15 p.m. Session III Panel Discussion: panel members TBD
3:40 p.m. Break
3:45 p.m. Closing Address Day 1: Michael Dukakis (confirmed)
4:00 p.m. Questions/Press and Public

4:30 p.m. Adjournment of Day 1 Business
4:45-6:00p.m. Reception (Cash Bar, Hors D'Oeuvres)
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Day Two

Tuesday January 29, 2008

8:30 a.m. Greeting/Housekeeping Announcements/Opening Remarks: Jim RePass, NCI
8:35 a.m. Introduction of Day 2 Keynote Speaker: TBD
8:40 a.m. Day 2 Keynote Address: TBD
9:00 a.m. Introduction Session IV: How Do We Get Where We Want to Go? (Tools/policies)- Session
Leader IV: TBD
9:15 a.m. Session IV Panel Discussion: panel members TBD (note longer session here)
11:00 a.m. Break
11:15 a.m. Circulation of Conference Draft Resolution/Discussion: TBD
12:00 p.m. Break
12:15 p.m. Luncheon
Luncheon Speaker: Robert Crandall, former Chairman/President, American Airlines
(confirmed)
1:30 p.m. Break
1:45 p.m. Distribution of Conference Resolution/Press Conference:
Gil Carmichael, Jim RePass (confirmed), others
2:15 p.m. Closing Address: TBD
2:30 p.m. Adjourn

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will be applied for the conference*

*The purpose of this conference is to develop a unified
Transportation Advocates' Statement*

*on the Future of American Transportation
for presentation to all of the Candidates for the Presidency of the United States*



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