

# NARP 2017 Washington Advocacy Summit; Day On The Hill & Meeting - April 23 – 26, 2017

Event Agenda – Revised to April 19, 2017

<u>Sunday, April 23, 2017</u>		
5:00pm – 5:30pm	Registration/Nametag Pick-Up	Sheraton Silver Spring Hotel Cypress Ballroom Foyer
5:30pm - 6:45pm	NARP Board of Directors Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Open To All Attendees</li> </ul>	Cypress Ballroom – 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor
6:45pm - 7:45pm	Welcome Reception <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Included For All Attendees</li> </ul>	Cypress Ballroom – 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:00pm – 10:00pm	Hospitality Suite Open	Room To Be Announced
<u>Monday, April 24, 2017</u>		
6:30am - 5:00pm	Meeting Registration	Cypress Foyer – 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor
7:15am - 8:15am	Breakfast Buffet	Cypress Ballroom – 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:30am	Advocacy Summit Convenes	Cypress Ballroom – 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor
8:35am – 8:45am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chair’s Welcome</li> </ul>	
8:45am – 8:55am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• President/CEO Welcome</li> </ul>	
9:00am – 9:50am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• FRA Rail Corridor Studies &amp; NARP’s Role – Jim Mathews &amp; Will Dyer (FRA)</li> </ul>	
9:50am - 10:20am	Break <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Station Volunteer Displays Open</li> </ul>	
10:20am – 11:45am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taking Ownership - <i>Becoming Effective Volunteers</i> – Jim Mathews</li> <li>• The Role Of Station Volunteers Panel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fran Berk - Amtrak</li> <li>• Jon Cox – Washington State</li> <li>• Simon Berrebi – Atlanta MARTA</li> <li>• Mike Garey - Arizona</li> <li>• Robert Warner – North Carolina</li> <li>• Tom Johnson - California</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
11:45pm - 12:00noon	Break	
12:00noon - 1:30pm	Buffet Lunch <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Presentation – John Cohen - Alstom Transportation</li> </ul>	Cypress Ballroom – 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor
1:30pm - 1:45pm	Break	
1:45pm	Summit Reconvenes	
1:45pm – 2:15pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Latest On The OTP Battle – <i>Presenter To Be Announced</i></li> </ul>	
2:15pm – 2:55pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Amtrak’s View Of 2017 &amp; Beyond – Caroline Decker (Amtrak Government Affairs)</li> </ul>	

<b>Monday, April 24, 2017 (Cont.)</b>		
<b>3:55pm - 3:10pm</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>3:10pm – 3:25pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Preparing For The Ask &amp; Getting Ready For The Hill – Sean Jeans-Gail</b></li> </ul>	
<b>3:25pm – 4:10pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hill Prep Break-Out Sessions By Division Groupings</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>These facilitated group sessions will focus on the messaging attendees will convey on Tuesday when on The Hill.</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<b>4:10pm – 4:20pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Prep Wrap-Up</b></li> </ul>	
<b>4:20pm</b>	<b>Summit Concludes</b>	
<b>4:20pm – 4:30pm</b>	<b>Break</b>	
<b>4:30pm - 5:15pm</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Division Meetings</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Division Meetings should focus on planning for in Division Gatherings; mobilizing volunteer efforts and other matters of specific Division interest.</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><i>NOTE: Committees That Wish To Meet Must Plan To Gather At An Alternate Time &amp; Location. ONLY Divisions Will Meet During This 4:30pm – 5:15pm Time Period</i></p>	<b>Cypress Ballroom – 4<sup>th</sup> Floor</b>
<b>8:45pm – 10:00pm</b>	<b>Hospitality Suite Open</b>	<b>Room To Be Announced</b>
<b><u>Tuesday, April 25, 2017</u></b>		
<b>7:30am - 9:00am</b>	<b>Continental Breakfast</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Hill Day Last Minute Prep And Materials</b></li> </ul>	<b>Cedar Room – 1<sup>st</sup> Floor</b>
<b>Morning &amp; Afternoon</b>	<b>NARP 'Day on The Hill' Congressional Office Visits</b>	<b>Capitol Hill</b>
<b>5:30pm - 7:30pm</b>	<b>NARP 2017 Congressional Reception</b>	<b>Rayburn House Building Room 2060</b>
<b>8:30pm – 10:00pm</b>	<b>Hospitality Suite Open</b>	<b>Room To Be Announced</b>

<b>Wednesday April 26, 2017</b>		
<b>7:15am - 8:15am</b>	<b>Buffet Breakfast</b>	<b>Cypress Ballroom – 4<sup>th</sup> Floor</b>
<b>8:30am</b>	<b>Business Meeting Convenes</b>	<b>Cypress Ballroom – 4<sup>th</sup> Floor</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Chair’s Welcome</b></li> <li>• <b>Attendance Roll-Call</b></li> <li>• <b>Chair’s Report</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jack Martin Award Presentations</b></li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Treasurer’s Report</b></li> <li>• <b>Board Director Elections</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Candidate Presentations</b></li> <li>• <b>Voting</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>	
<b>9:35am – 9:50am</b>	<b>Break</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Luggage may be brought to meeting room for storage</b></li> <li>• <b>President/CEO Report</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Day on The Hill Recap</b></li> <li>• <b>NARP Strategic Plan Review</b></li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>November 2017 Chicago Event Presentation</b></li> </ul>	
<b>11:30am</b>	<b>Business Meeting Concludes</b>	
<b>11:30am - 12:00noon</b>	<b>Break &amp; Hotel Check-Out</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Luggage may be brought to meeting room fir storage</b></li> </ul>	
<b>12:00noon - 2:00pm</b>	<b>Buffet Lunch</b>	<b>Cypress Ballroom – 4<sup>th</sup> Floor</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Presentation – Lauren Gardner – Politico - The Current DC Political Landscape</b></li> </ul>	
<b>All Events Conclude By 2:00pm</b>		