



READYCOMMUNITIES PARTNERSHIP

Military Base & Port Community Resiliency
Round-Table & Pilot Planning Session

Mapping Local Critical Infrastructure Supporting Port & Military Base Services, Deliveries,
Communications and Logistics during the First 72 Hours of a Large-Scale or National Crisis

Port Directors, Base Commanders, Responders &
Private Sector Leaders are invited to participate and must pre-register to attend

Wednesday, March 24, 2010

(Complete and return registration form by 3/23)

**Senate Dirksen Office Building
Room SD-G50 (1st and C Streets, NE)**

Washington, DC

*Sen. Mary L. Landrieu, Initiative Hon. Chairman,
Senate Subcommittee on State, Local and Private Sector Preparedness and Integration*

Hon. Asa Hutchinson, former US Congressman & DHS Under Secretary, Initiative Hon. Co-Chair

Agenda

9-11 am Resiliency Best Practices Round-Table

Senator Mary Landrieu, Chair

Hon. George Foresman, former DHS Under Secretary, Co-Chair & Moderator

To be named, Initiative Citizen Co-Chair

Call to Order: Rosalie J. Wyatt, National Director, ReadyCommunities Partnership

Welcome: Hon. George Foresman, former DHS Under Secretary

Opening Remarks: Senator Mary L. Landrieu

Remarks - Private Sector Integration: Representing General Victor E. Renuart, Jr., USAF
Commander N-NC - Bernd "Bear" McConnell, Director, Interagency Coordinate NORAD, USNORTHCOM

1030 - 1130 am: Round-Table Best Practices Presentations (3-5 minutes each) - Port Directors,
Base Commanders, Mayors, Responders, Private Sector

Confirmed and more:

Don Allee, Executive Director and CEO, Mississippi State Port Authority

Omar Benjamin, Executive Director, Port of Oakland

Stephanie Bowman, Federal Government Affairs, Port of Tacoma

Capt. John Cameron, USCG (ret.), Charleston Branch Pilot's Association

Michael Dees, General Counsel & Acting Port Director, Port of Lake Charles

Curtis Foltz, Executive Director, Port of Savannah

Jean C. Godwin, Executive Vice President, American Association of Port Authorities

Gary LaGrange, President and CEO, Port of New Orleans

Cory Pharr, Maritime Association of South Carolina

Maynard Sandy Sanders, Deputy Port Director of Ops & Business Dev, Port of Corpus Christi

Bill Sheffield, Port Director, Port of Anchorage

Charles D. Wurster, President/CEO, Port of San Diego

Q&A

11:30 - 11:45 am: Break

11:45 am - 1:15 pm: Round Table Discussion

1:15 - 2:15 pm: Networking Lunch (\$25 Fee, Public Sector)

1:15 - 1:30 pm Press Availability

2:15-3:45 pm ReadyCommunities Partnership Pilot Planning

Vice Admiral James D. Hull (USCG, ret., former Atlantic Area Commander), Co-Chair & Moderator
Mr. Jeb Carney, Community Institute for Preparedness, Response & Recovery, Co-Chair & Moderator

- To identify, credential and train Military Base & Port Community
local critical infrastructure Crisis Response Officers
- a. Contract service providers to the base
 - b. Community institution service providers
 - c. Larger community infrastructure suppliers

3:45 pm Closing Remarks

4 pm Adjourn

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