

**IDOT Fall Planning Conference At-A-Glance Agenda
October 2-4, 2024 Radisson Fairview Heights-St. Louis**

Time/Location	Wednesday, October 2, 2024 Illinois Ballroom		
12:00 - 4:30	Registration (Hallway outside Illinois Ballroom)		
1:00 - 4:30	1 - IDOT Available Data Tools and Asset Management Bill Morgan - IDOT Bureau of Programing 2 - FHWA Performance Measures in Metropolitan Planning Products Brandon Geber - IDOT Bureau of Planning		
Time/Location	Thursday, October 3, 2024 Illinois Ballroom		
7:00 - 12:00	Registration (Hallway outside Illinois Ballroom)		
8:30 - 8:45	Welcome Mike Vanderhoof, IDOT Bureau Chief of Planning		
	Welcome to Fairview Heights Mark Kupsy, Mayor of Fairview Heights		
8:45 - 9:15	IDOT Updates Omer Osman, Secretary of Transportation		
	FHWA Updates Vershun Tolliver, FHWA-Illinois Division Administrator		
	FTA Updates Kelley Brookins, Regional Administrator for the Region V Office of the Federal Transit Administration		
9:15 - 9:30	East West Gateway Welcome Jim Wild, EWG Executive Director		
9:30 - 10:30	Plenary 1		
	Equitable Climate Action in Illinois Elizabeth Irvin, IDOT Deputy Director of Sustainability and guests		
10:30 - 10:45	Break		
10:45 - 11:45	Illinois Ballroom	Conference Room	Salon F&G
	Breakout 1: Reducing Transportation Greenhouse Gas Emissions Moderator: Chris Schmidt	Breakout 2: Navigating the Future: Enhancing Ports and Aviation Infrastructure Moderator: BJ Murray	Breakout 3: Fostering Inclusive Dialogue: Strategies for Equitable Public Engagement Moderator: Janel Veile
	EV Activities in Illinois Chris Schmidt, IDOT Taking Stock of Transportation Emissions: An IDOT Emissions Inventory Sophie Blumenstein, IDOT Clean Transportation Advancement in Illinois Timothy J. Milburn, Green Ways 2Go (GW2G)	Analysis of Public and Private Ferry Transportation in Illinois Libby Ogard, Prime Focus, LLC Planes, Trains and Automobiles! (Metrolink Extension Project to MidAmerica STL Airport) Dan Trapp, MidAmerica and Mark Harrison, St. Clair County Transit District Representative	IDOT Move Illinois: 2024 Long-Range Transportation Plan - Leveraging Data for More Equitable Community Transportation Outcomes Janel Veile, IDOT, Jason Carbee, HDR and Mike Washington, HDR Active Transit Plan Lee Ann Prather, IDOT and Sarah Kovachich, Alta Making a Lasting Impression: Public Engagement and the Next Move Illinois 2026 Statewide Public Transportation Plan Hannah Martin, IDOT, Matthew Orenchuk, Sam Schwartz and Caitlin Bettisworth, RM Chin
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch - Illinois Ballroom Keynote Speaker National University Rail Center of Excellence (NURail CoE) Dr. Christopher P.L Barkan, PhD, National University Rail Center of Excellence (NURail CoE) Moderator: Michael Vanderhoof		

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Thursday, October 3rd, 2024 Continued			
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	Breakout 4: Data-Driven Insights: Modeling and Enhancing Transportation Systems in Illinois Moderator: Sheng Chen	Breakout 5: Advancing Regional Mobility: MPO Planning Strategies and Innovations Moderator: Brandon Geber	Breakout 6: Transforming Mobility: Best Practices in Active Transportation Planning Moderator: Lee Ann Prather
1:15 - 2:15	Assessment of IDOT Statewide Travel Demand Model (ILSTDm) and 3rd Party Probe Data Sheng Chen, IDOT, Johnny Han, Corradino Group Integrating Emissions and Travel Demand Modeling to Understand Emissions Impacts of Network Changes Sophie Blumenstein, IDOT, Dan Tempesta, Cambridge Systematics Impact Assessment of IL-29 Road Closure Case: A Statewide Modeling Approach Michael Bruner, Tri-County Regional Planning Commission, Dan Tempesta, Cambridge Systematics	Reimagining Parking in the Rockford Region Lauren Kleve, R1PC Lincoln Avenue Corridor Study J.D. McCanahan, CCRPC Great Streets Planning in O'Fallon & Fairview Heights Paul Hubbman, EWGCOG	IDOT Bicycle Facility Inventory System Update Wendy Sheppard, IDOT Communities Discovering Who They Are Through Planning John Paris, IDOT Beyond the Pavement: Investing in Social Infrastructure through Education and Engagement Romina Castillo Guerrero, CDOT
2:15 - 2:30	Break		
	Breakout 7: Enhancing Safety Through Smart Transportation Moderator: Janel Veile	Breakout 8: Freight in Focus - The Intersection of Autonomy, Local Logistics and Truck Parking Moderator: Adam Gabany	Breakout 9: Building Better Transit: Strategies for Effective Planning Moderator: Hannah Martin
2:30 - 3:30	Vulnerable Road User Assessment Tools Juan Pava, IDOT Gateway to Safer Roadways, St. Louis Regional Action Plan Anna Musial, EWG I-57 Freight Mobility and Safety Project Carrie Nelsen, IDOT District 9	IDOT Truck Parking Data and Progress for TPIMS Kevin Price, IDOT Autonomous Vehicles P.S. Sriraj, UIC Freight Planning for Northern Illinois Sydney Turner, R1PC	Peoria-Chicago Passenger Rail Project Kevin Lindeman, North Central Illinois Council of Governments, Lucinda Loos, Vice President & Senior Project Manager at Hanson Professional Services Inc. Transit Accessibility Analysis with GIS Bryan Schmid, Bi-State Regional Commission City of Decatur Comprehensive Operations Analysis Lacie Elzy, City of Decatur
3:30 - 3:45	Break		
	Mobile Tour		
3:45 - 5:45	MetroLink Extension Project to MidAmerica St. Louis Airport (40 People Max) Dan Trapp, MidAmerica and Mark Harrison, Gonzalez Companies, LLC. Great Streets Initiative O'Fallon and Fairview Heights Paul Hubbman, EWG		
Time/Location	Friday, October 4, 2024 Conference Room		
8:00 - 9:15	Illinois MPO Meeting Brandon Geber, IDOT		
9:30 - 10:30	Breakfast: Illinois Ballroom		
	Plenary: 1		
	Environmental Justice in Project Development: Beyond the Checked Box Cathy LaFata, HDR and Carolyn Nelson, PHMSA		
10:30 - 10:45	Break		
	Illinois Ballroom		
10:45 - 11:45	Plenary 2		
	Mitigating Flooding and Enhancing Water Systems: The Cahokia Heights Metro East Project Jason Reddy, IDNR		
11:45 - 12:15	Plenary 3		
	Planner of the Year Award Ceremony Holly Bieneman, Director of the Office of Planning and Programming, IDOT		
12:15 - 12:30	Closing Remarks - 2024 Fall Planning Conference Mike Vanderhoof, Bureau Chief of Planning, IDOT		