






Texas Freight Advisory Committee



MEETING AGENDA

December 17, 2025 | 8 A.M. – Noon

McAllen Convention Center | Room 102 | 700 Convention Center Blvd. | McAllen, TX 78501

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
8:00 am – 8:30 am	<i>Breakfast</i>	
8:30 am – 8:40 am	Texas Freight Advisory Committee (TxFAC) Welcome, Call to Order, Safety Minute, and New Business	
	 Judge Ed Emmett <i>Fellow in Energy & Transportation Policy, Rice University's Baker Institute for Public Policy, TxFAC Chair</i>	 Commissioner Alvin New <i>Texas Transportation Commission, Acting Chair</i>
	 Commissioner Alejandro "Alex" G. Meade III <i>Texas Transportation Commission</i>	 Caroline Mays, AICP <i>Senior Director of Planning and Modal Programs, Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT)</i>
	 Andrew A. Canon <i>Freight, Trade, and Connectivity Section Director, TxDOT</i>	
8:40 am – 9:20 am	Member Updates Roundtable	Committee
9:20 am – 10:05 am	Freight Plan Update	Kale Driemeier and Farideh Dassi, TxDOT
10:05 am – 10:20 am	<i>Break</i>	

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10:20 am – 10:35 am	Border Transportation Master Plan Update	Sergio Vasquez, <i>TxDOT</i>
10:35 am – 11:05 am	Roundabout and Alternative Intersection Design Update	Amanda Austin, <i>TxDOT Design Division</i>
11:05 am – 11:25 am	Anzalduas Bridge Project Update	Isaac Tawil and Juan Olaguibel, <i>City of McAllen</i>
11:25 am - 11:55 am	Election of Chair and Remarks	Judge Ed Emmett
11:55 am – 12:00 pm	2026 TxFAC Meeting Dates	
12:00 pm	<i>Adjourn</i>	
1:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Anzalduas Bridge Project Tour	

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