



AgTC/USDA Ag Shipper Workshop – Sacramento

Thursday, February 22, 2018

9 AM -- Registration, Coffee and Danish, Workshop: 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM

Location: The Dante Club 2330 Fair Oaks Blvd 95825

[Register Here](#)

Ag Shipper Workshops are a great opportunity for off the record, informal, round table style discussion of the most pressing current challenges facing exporters and importers.

No press, ocean carriers or ports -- with the exception of invited high level carrier and rail guests and port sponsor.

*Discussion continues over **lunch**, which will be served mid-day.*

AgTC Member Fee: \$45 Non-Member Fee: \$145

We discuss the most pressing concerns facing exporters in ocean, port, rail and trucking. Following are some topics, if you have others, let us know and/or bring them with you!

- **Introduction to General Discussion**, forum for all attendees to raise issues. Discussion facilitated by:
Peter Friedmann, Executive Director, AgTC
- **Ocean carrier service to California shippers** – Alliances, mergers, new routes – What we need from ocean carriers. Forecast on the year ahead.
Juergen Pump, Senior Vice President, Hamburg Sud
- **Port Update:** On-Dock Rail, automation, new clean air mandates.
 - *Ron Brown, Port of Oakland*
 - *SSA Terminals*
- **ELDs and Trucking:** Electronic Logging Devices are coming, are you ready? Plus truck weights, hours of service
- **On-going labor issues at West Coast terminals.** Disputed ILWU jurisdiction – short term and longer term impacts
- **Federal Maritime Commission.** Petition to prevent unfair congestion/per diem charges, etc.

YOUR concerns and questions –encouraged throughout the Workshop. This is a Discussion, not speeches!

Questions? Call Abigail or Stephen at 202 783 3333 or info@agtrans.org



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