

AGENDA

Monday, October 29, 2018

10:30 am **MTI Board Meeting**

12:30 - 1:30 pm **Registration**

1:30 - 1:45 pm **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Presentation of Colors and Pledge of Allegiance

Master of Ceremonies: **Amy Hornback, CPM**
Secretary to Commission, MTI Secretary

Melinda McGrath, P.E., *Executive Director, Mississippi Department of Transportation and Chair, MTI Board of Directors*

Tom King, *Southern District Transportation Commissioner, Mississippi Transportation Commission*

Ray Balentine, P.E., *President, MTI and Vice-President – Office Executive, Michael Baker International*

1:45 – 3:15 pm **Drones – Trends and Applications for Transportation Industry**

Alicia McConnell, *Transportation Engineer, Michael Baker International*

Jennifer A. Urban, *Director of Compliance, CLEAR*

Kris Graham, *Attorney, Taggart, Rimes & Graham*

Mike Hainsey, *Executive Director, Golden Triangle Regional Airport*

3:15 – 3:30 pm **Break**

3:30 – 4:30 pm **Professional Ethics (CEUs and PDHs)**

Donna Hodges, *Attorney, Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality*

6:00 – 8:00 pm **Reception – Trustmark Park, Pearl**

Badge required

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- 7:30 – 8:30 am** **Registration and Breakfast**
- 8:30 – 9:30 am** **Defining the Future of Automated Vehicles**
Suzanne J. Murtha, *Vice President for Connected and Automated Technology, AECOM*
- 9:30 – 10:00 am** **Mississippi's Military Bases – Opportunities**
Mark Prine, *Colonel (retired) and Special Projects Officer, Camp Shelby Joint Forces Training Center*
- 10:00 – 10:30 am** **Break**
- 10:30 – 11:30 am** **The Importance of Collaboration**
Tom Flick, *Owner, Tom Flick Communications*
- 11:30 am – 1:30 pm** **Lunch**
Invocation
Mike Tagert, *Northern District Transportation Commissioner, Mississippi Transportation Commission*
Defining Mississippi's Transportation Network
Bruce Lambert, *Owner, Mentis LLC*
Special MTI Recognition
Ray Balentine
- 1:30 – 1:45 pm** **Break**
- 1:45 – 2:15 pm** **The State of Transportation in Mississippi**
Dick Hall, *Central District Transportation Commissioner and Chairman, Mississippi Transportation Commission*
- 2:15 – 3:15 pm** **Retaining Mississippi's Talent**
Dr. Mark E. Keenum, *President, Mississippi State University*
- 3:15 – 3:30 pm** **Break**
- 3:30 – 4:30 pm** **Normal Is Gone And It Won't Be Back**
Janie Walters, *Founder and CEO, Champion Communications*
- 4:30 – 4:45 pm** **Closing Remarks**
Ray Balentine
Mary Ann Moon, *President Elect, MTI*
Melinda McGrath