Different Pathways to a Common Goal
PIPA, Damage Prevention, & Greater Public Awareness and Involvement

Hotel Monteleone, New Orleans, Louisiana
November 4th & 5th, 2010

DAY ONE – Thursday, November 4th

9:00 – 9:10 Welcoming Comments – La Nouvelle Orleans

9:10 – 9:30 Opening Address – La Nouvelle Orleans
Pipeline Safety – Getting There From Many Directions
Cynthia Quarterman, Administrator, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (Invited)

9:30 – 10:45 General Session - La Nouvelle Orleans
Congressional Reauthorization of the Pipeline Safety Program: What are the main pipeline safety issues this time around?
• Jeff Wiese, Associate Administrator for Pipeline Safety, PHMSA
• Committee Staff, US House or Senate
• INGAA/AOPL/API
• Pipeline Safety Trust

10:45 – 11:00 Break

11:00 – 12:15 Main Session - La Nouvelle Orleans
What have we gone and done? An Overview of the Pipelines and Informed Planning Alliance (PIPA) Report
• What it is and what it isn’t – Sam Hall, PHMSA
• Consultation zones to ensure communication – Planner or Local Government Rep.
• Damage prevention activities to protect pipelines – CGA or Industry Rep.
• Planning zones to protect people near pipelines – NLC or NACo Rep.

Detailed Breakout Session – Iberville Room
Want to know about Congressional Reauthorization? – Here’s your chance to find out why your pet peeve didn’t get addressed, or find out more about the specifics in a conversation with the speakers from the 9:30 AM general session. Expanding High Consequence Areas, greater transparency, industry writing the regulations, unregulated pipelines, secret spill response plans, leak detection, excess flow valves, etc...

11:15 – 1:30 Lunch – Queen Anne Ballroom

1:30 – 2:30 Main Session - La Nouvelle Orleans
PHMSA’s push for better state damage prevention programs
• PHMSA’s Damage Prevention initiative – Annmarie Robertson, PHMSA
• Barriers to states implementing stronger damage prevention programs – NAPSR Rep.
• What does the data on excavation damage tell us? – Pipeline Safety Trust

Detailed Breakout Session – Iberville Room
Want to know more about how the PIPA report could work in your community? Join the PIPA experts from the 11:00 session and others in a conversation about the specifics of PIPA, and share ideas on how to promote and implement it effectively nationwide.
General Session - La Nouvelle Orleans

Public Awareness – How do we get people to go beyond awareness to behavioral change?
- Current public awareness efforts, and what they lack –Pipeline Safety Trust
- PHMSA’s push for effective public awareness – Christie Murray, PHMSA
- Industry’s lessons learned from 5 years of Public Awareness programs – API/INGAA

Detailed Breakout Session – Iberville Room

Excavation damage is one of the leading causes of pipeline incidents and is the leading cause of injuries and deaths. Want to know more about what industry, regulators and others are doing to reduce this damage? Join the speakers from the 1:30 PM session and others for a conversation about the specific programs geared at reducing this damage.

Breakout Session - La Nouvelle Orleans

Early Success Stories and Challenges of the Pipelines and Informed Planning Alliance
- Assoc. of Washington Cities’ State-wide Educational Efforts – Jim Doherty, MRSC (Invited)
- Whatcom County, WA, Pipeline Safety Ordinance – Carl Weimer, Whatcom County Council
- Montgomery County, Virginia – Steve Sandy, Planning Director (Invited)

Breakout Session – Iberville Room

Tools to compare pipeline operator performance - Demonstration of PHMSA’s new Pipeline Operators and Inspection website - Christie Murray, PHMSA / Gary Zimmerman, Cycla

Pipeline Safety Trust Board of Directors’ Reception for Attendees - The Royal Ballroom (Snacks and Drinks)

DAY TWO – Friday, November 5th

Continental Breakfast Provided - La Nouvelle Orleans

Day 2 Keynote – La Nouvelle Orleans

The National Transportation Safety Board: Improving Pipeline Safety One Investigation At A Time
NTSB Chair Deborah A.P. Hersman (Invited)

General Session – La Nouvelle Orleans

One Year Later – Where’s the Community Technical Assistant Grant program been, where’s it going?
Sam Hall, PHMSA

Breakout Session – La Nouvelle Orleans

A million gallons of oil in the Kalamazoo River – What did government officials and the community learn?
- Spill response and cleanup – EPA Representative
- Getting the news out – local media representative
- Emergency responders – did you have enough information? – local responder
- Plans for change? – state or local representative

Breakout Session – Iberville Room

Just Completed PHMSA Technical Assistance Grants: Educating Communities about Pipelines and Pipeline Safety
• Libby Willis, President, Fort Worth League of Neighborhood Associations, Texas (Invited)
• Eileen Juico, Project Consultant, West Vincent Township, Pennsylvania (Invited)
• Anthony Moscarelli, Project Coordinator, Healthy Community Research, Suisun City, California (Invited)

11:30 - 1:00 – LUNCH – On Your Own

1:00 – 2:00 Breakout Session – La Nouvelle Orleans
TransCanada’s Keystone Pipelines – What’s all the Buzz?
• Overview of the pipelines purpose, need, and safety features – TransCanada Rep.
• Concerns of those living near the pipeline – Midwest Landowners Group Rep.
• Overarching concerns with the development of the tar sands – National Env. Group Rep.

Breakout Session - Iberville Room
Just Starting PHMSA Technical Assistance Grants: What Communities Want To Know
• To be determined once PHMSA announces grant awards in September

2:00 – 3:00 Breakout Sessions – La Nouvelle Orleans
Spill Response Plans – why are they a secret?
• Requirements for the development and review of response plans – Alan Mayberry, PHMSA
• Security Concerns? – TSA Rep
• More transparent systems of response planning – EPA or state rep

Breakout Session - Iberville Room
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3:00 – 3:15 General Session—La Nouvelle Orleans - Closing
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