HARBORS & NAVIGATION COMMITTEE AND QPI MEETING  
September 27-28, 2018  
MARriott COURTYARD, 2899 Jeff Davis Highway, Arlington, VA

AGENDA

Thursday, September 27

8:00 a.m.  Networking and Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m.  Chairman’s Welcome and Introductions  Ryan McFarland, NWSA

9:00 a.m.  ASA(CW) and Corps Updates

   ASA(CW) Office Remarks  Dave Leach
   Corps HQ Planning Remarks  Amy Frantz
   DDNPCX Update  Eric Bush
   AAPA’s Congressional Perspectives  Jim Walker
   WRDA, Appropriations, Infrastructure

10:15 a.m.  Break

10:30 a.m.  Session 1. Agency Navigation Issues and Initiatives

   NOAA  Rich Edwing
   Coast Guard  Mike Emerson
   MARAD  Lauren Brand

12:00 Noon  Lunch – Sponsor: Great Lakes Dredge and Dock

   Speaker: Corps Operations & Regulatory Perspectives  Tom Smith

1:00 p.m.  Dept of Army Perspectives  Ryan Fisher, PD, ASA(CW)

   QPI Overview  Bob Musser

2:00 p.m.  Session 2. Coastal Dredging – Navigation and More

   Supplemental Work and Navigation Dredging  Tom Smith and Rick Granados
   Dredging Contractor Investment Plans  Bill Doyle
   AAPA Views and Recommendations  Group Discussion

3:00 p.m.  Break

3:15 p.m.  Session 2. continued

4:00 p.m.  Session 3. Harbor Maintenance Tax

   AAPA Agreement  Susan Monteverde
   Legislative Proposal  Jeff Markey

5:00 p.m.  Adjourn for the day – Dinner on your own
Friday, September 28

8:00 a.m.  Networking and Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m.  Session 4. Port Environmental Issues
           Port Opportunities under E.O. 13807, Establishing Discipline and Accountability in the Environmental Review Process
           Environmental Overview
           Federal Standard – Pros, Cons and AAPA position
           Issues Identification
           Jim Walker

10:00 a.m. Break

10:15 a.m. Session 5. Navigation R&D Update
           Dredging Contract Issues
           Issues Identification
           Jeff Lillycrop

11:45 a.m. Concluding Remarks
           Ryan McFarland

12:00 Noon Committee Meeting Adjourns