### BRIDGING GLOBAL TRADE



PREPARING FOR FUTURE GROWTH AND CHANGE

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### **Georgia's Deepwater Ports**



### PORT OF SAVANNAH



### Garden City Terminal



**Ocean Terminal** 

### **Georgia's Deepwater Ports**



#### PORT OF BRUNSWICK



Colonel's Island Terminal Mayor's Point Terminal East River Terminal & Lanier Docks

# Today's Presentation will Highlight...



- 1. Infrastructure and Investment Needs
- 2. Impact of Panama Canal Expansion on Trade
- 3. Growth of Suez
- 4. Outlook for Rail
- 5. Savannah Preparing for Growth



### Infrastructure and Investment Needs



# Infrastructure Investment Challenges at the National Level

- Aging infrastructure
- Lack of capacity growth
- No national strategy

#### Today's Reality

• Foreign Trade Partners Trade Expanding Faster than the U.S.

Georgia Ports Authority

Foreign Trade Partners Modernizing Infrastructure

#### **U.S. Needs**

- U.S. Ports: Rail-Road-Capacity
- 50 ft Harbor Depths-Grow Bridge Clearance
- National Gateway Priority



### Impact of Panama Canal Expansion on Trade



### **GROWTH POTENTIAL.**

Southeastern ports move only **25%** of US cargo to a region that contains more than **35%** of the population.

The Panama Canal expansion has the potential to add value to Southeastern ports and increase their ability to serve the region.



### **REALISTIC GROWTH POTENTIAL.**

# We do not expect an enormous market share shift immediately after Panama Canal expansion.

- BCOs may move more cargo via all water but that will be driven by their increasing reliance on more DCs near population centers
- Main impact is for efficiency gains for carriers and their customers
- Most shippers do not rely solely on one coast

### What Canal Expansion Will Mean for USEC Ports



- Bigger ships (at the 8,000-TEU level) will become the new workhorses on the USEC
- Cost per slot on an 8,000-TEU vessel for the carrier will be 20-40% lower than the cost per slot on a current 4,500-TEU vessel calling the USEC
- Larger, more efficient ships equate to USEC port growth even if the number of ships to USEC doesn't grow



Those USEC ports that have continually invested to boost capacity and infrastructure will be in the strongest position to benefit from the Panama Canal expansion



### Growth of Suez

# The Growth of Suez – USEC Services





- Growth of sourcing in South and SE Asia makes Suez route more attractive
- Suez–USEC services grew 43% from 7 services in 2008 to 10 services today
- Over the same period, Suez <u>Savannah</u> services grew 80% from 5 to 9
- Suez business is the fastest growing segment of our volume

# The Growth of Suez – USEC Services





- Larger vessels via Suez services are calling the USEC now
- Savannah is handling 9,200-TEU ships today
- Savannah's harbor deepening will enable more efficient handling of these vessels



### **Outlook for Rail**

### Rail Connectivity Is Creating New Market Opportunities



Today, roughly 20% of Savannah's Volume is Moved via Rail



### **Intermodal Rail Volume**



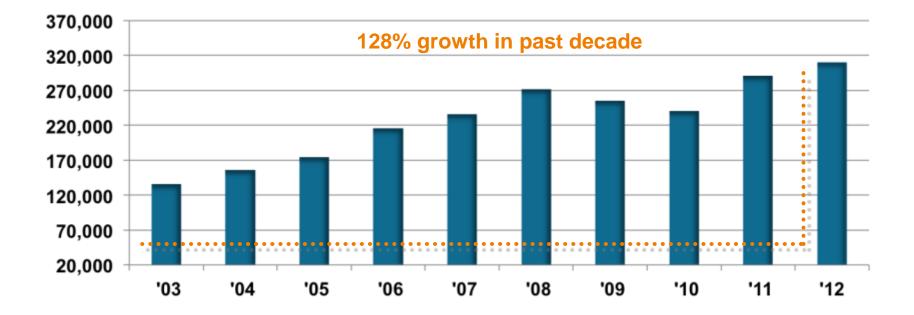
**10-Year History of Containers Moved (Fiscal Year)** 

- FY2012 Total Rail Moves
- = 309,977
- = 8 weekly trains

**Norfolk Southern** 

CSX

= 10 weekly trains





### GPA Rail Strategy – Position as Gateway for Eastern Half of US

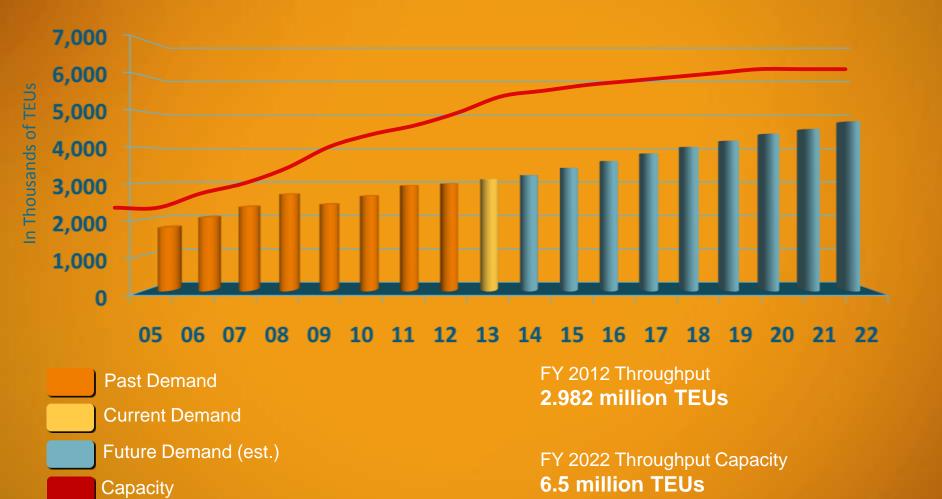
- Improving our rail connectivity facilitates greater rail usage
- Last mile projects complete connectivity
- Greater rail usage also promotes our sustainability goals
- USEC rail to SE US becomes increasingly viable after Panama Canal expansion due to lower all water costs



### Savannah Preparing for Growth

### We Strive to Keep Capacity 20% Ahead of Demand through Long-term Planning





Source: In fiscal years : GPA marketing.

### Capital Investments



Technology Projects GCT Berth Upgrades GCT Container Storage/Support GCT Equipment GCT Intermodal & Gate Projects GCT Facility Projects Ocean Terminal Brunswick Terminals Infrastructure Reserve Annual Reserve/Future Projects Total GPA Projects

Savannah Harbor Expansion Project (SHEP) Grand Total \$67,950,000 \$62,219,000 \$78,617,000 \$366,050,000 \$109,063,000 \$38,370,000 \$116,895,000 \$68,842,000 \$167,500,000 \$330,969,000

\$1,406,475,000

<u>\$652,000,000</u> **\$ 2,058,475,000** 

### Garden City Terminal: Equipment Now and Into the Future



| Equipment Type        | Current | Build Out |
|-----------------------|---------|-----------|
| Ship to Shore Cranes  | 23      | 33        |
| Rubber Tired Gantries | 116     | 169       |

4 NEW Super Post Panamax Cranes 16 NEW RTG's 4 Electric RTG's

Increasing speed of ship-to-shore cranes Using recently purchased state-of- the-ar crane simulator

#### **GARDEN CITY TERMINAL: 'Tomorrow'**

#### Mason ICTF served by - Norfolk Southern Railroad

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# MARKER ARTICLES

33 Container Cranes 169 Rubber-Tired Gantries Terminal area: 1,200 acres (485.6 ha)

Chatham ICTF served by CSX Transportation PORT OF SAVANNAH: Connectivity .... 'The Garden City Terminal Beltway'

Savannah River Int'l Trade Park

95

DeLoach Pkwy Connector

#### 21) Grange Rd Upgrade

Crossroads Business Center

> Savannah International Airport

Mason ICTF / Hwy 307 Overpass

Garden City

Terminal

Brampton Rd. Connector

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Savannah Mega-site The Port of Savannah



### The Room to Build and Grow with the Future





## **Thank You**

