

A Collaborative Effort for a Collective Change

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### **Difficult Times**

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NY-NJ Container Terminals Hit By Chassis Shortages
July 17, 2012



Sandy's Tidal Surge Causes Major Damage to NY-NJ Terminals

October 29, 2012

Navis implementation at NY terminal plagues Maher Friday, June 28, 2013



Long lines of trucks at Ports of Newark and Elizabeth causing financial strain, traffic jams
February 20, 2014

Brutal Winter, Labor Shortages Make For Mess At New Jersey Po February 26, 2014





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## Gears of an Efficient and Reliable Port

Information

**Sharing** 

Larger Vessels / **Cargo Surges** 

Labor

**Chassis** 

**Supply &** 

Management

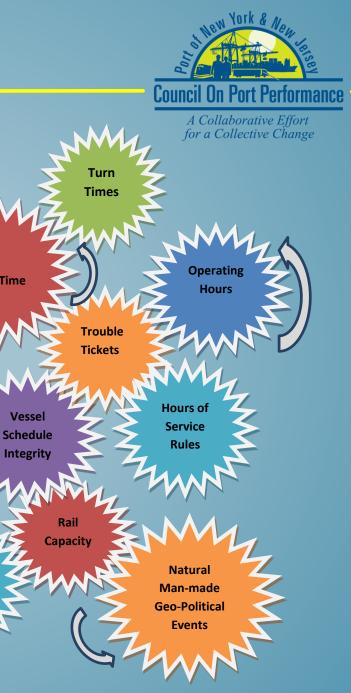
**Free Time** 

**Peak** 

Season

**Volumes** 

Vessel



NOTE: Size of "gear" has no relevance

Safety

Security

**Environ** 

**Rqmts** 

Import/ **Export** 

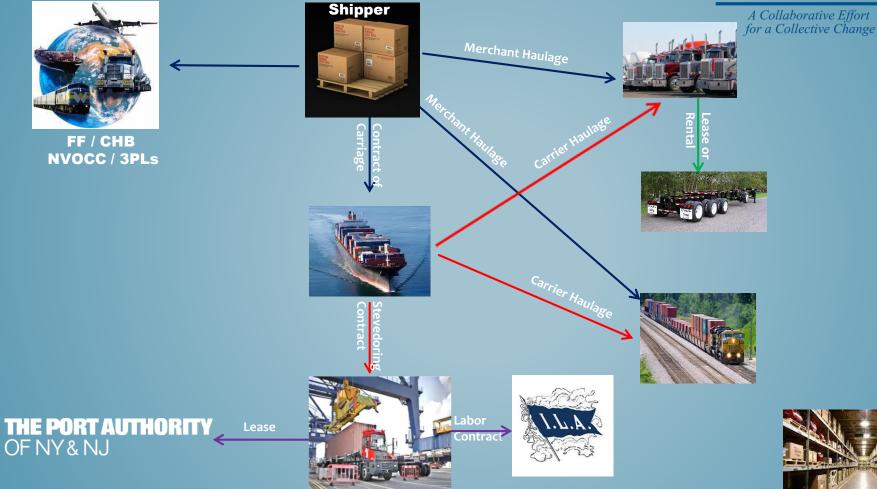
**Imbalance** 

Vessel

Alliances

## Business Relationships (Landlord Port Authority)







GOAL: Final Destination

Only through collaboration can we reach the goal.

### **Port Performance Task Force**



Port Performance

TASK FORCE

- ✓ In late 2013, the Port Authority formed the Port Performance Task Force (PPTF) comprised of industry executives to:
  - ➤ Provide a framework for constituents in the Port of NY and NJ to discuss areas of common interest
  - ➤ Identify challenges to port efficiency and service reliability
  - Recommend potential solutions and Key Performance Indicators in order to maintain the Port's position as a preeminent port of the United States
- ✓ 23 recommendations to improve performance in the Port
  - Divided in three tiers based on impact, scale and ease of implementation.

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## 23 Recommendations



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#### Tier 1

- Chassis Management System
- Truck Management System
- Port Community System
- Align gate hours
- Measure truck movements

#### Tier 2

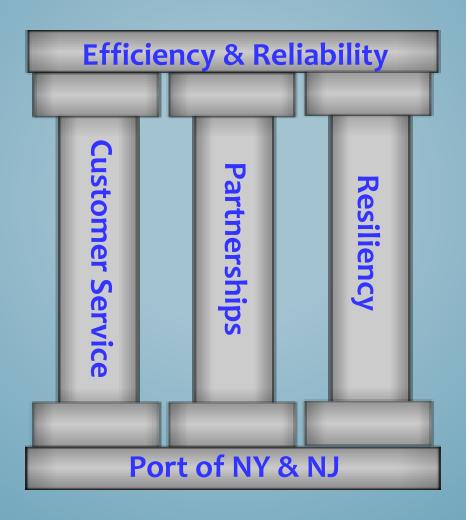
- Customer service availability
- Guidelines for free time
- ExpressRail support track
- Street turn system
- Daily bulletin board of conditions
- Key Performance Indicators

#### Tier 3

- Continuity of the PPTF mission
- "Guide Book"
- Daily "Planning Guide"
- Establish inland ports
- Container Transfer Fee
- Labor metrics
- Develop a unified customer service/411 center
- Performance standards for empty and chassis depots
- Block stowage
- Touch pads at gate pedestals
- Weekend rail cargo
- Crisis communications plan

# Balancing the Three Pillars of Port Performance





## **Council on Port Performance (CPP)**

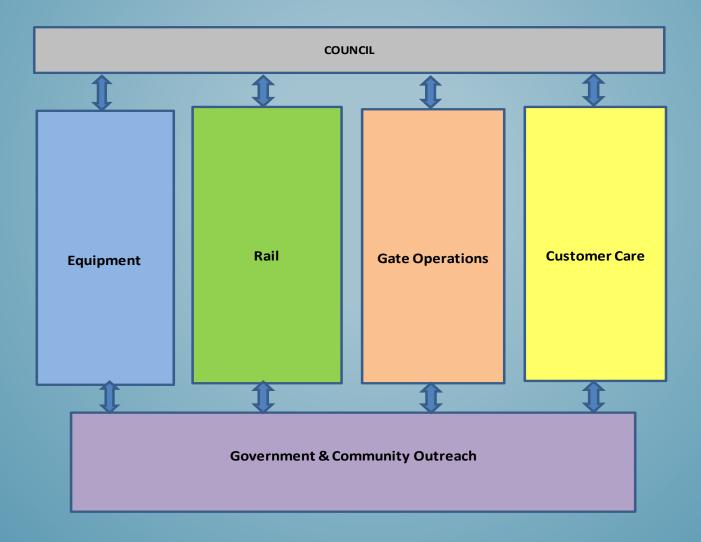


#### The Council shall:

- 1. Work to implement the recommendations contained in the Port Performance Task Force (PPTF) Final Report dated June 2014.
- 2. Work to protect and advance the common interests of the diverse stakeholders in the Port.
- 3. Advocate for changes in policies, programs and procedures that will improve the Port's preeminent position.
- 4. Promote information sharing and relationship building for the benefit of all port stakeholders and work to ensure an understanding of the Port's importance to the regional and national economy.
- 5. Identify and address any emerging issues that impact the competitiveness and efficiency of the Port.
- 6. Provide oversight on matters that impact day-to-day operations.

## **CPP Structure**





# Accomplishments – PPTF Report Card



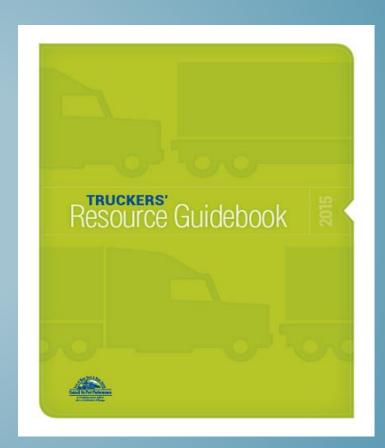
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Tier	Initiative	Status	Stakeholder Benefit
3	Continuity of PPTF mission		Clear, consistent information sharing and continued collaboration amongst numerous stakeholder communities.
1	Integrated Port Community System (PCS) Utilization		The Terminal Information Portal System (TIPS) provides streamlined access to information on container availability, booking status, vessel schedules and empty returns. Go to <a href="https://www.porttruckpass.com">www.porttruckpass.com</a>
3	Guidebook		Published in July 2015, the Truckers' Resource Guidebook on how to navigate through the Port of NY & NJ's six marine terminals to ensure a successful visit, including important phone numbers, a list of Do's and Don'ts, FAQ's, and terminal maps.
N/A	Winter Weather Plan		Provides predictable actions for adverse weather including conditions for free time, demurrage and per diem extensions or waivers.
N/A	Increased communication		Ensure customers have accurate information to support day to day decision-making and port selection.
N/A	Streamlined eAlerts System		Improved the customer experience by eliminate several steps for registering and developing pre-scripted messages.
N/A	Customer Service Contacts Database		Consolidates key points of contacts for port stakeholders in one simple to use PDF document.
N/A	Alignment of Truck Service Center (TSC) Hours		Access to information and resources during holidays that terminals are open.
N/A	Traffic Management Plan		Provides predictability during high volume days providing standardized action and messaging.
N/A	CPP Website (www.councilonportperformance.com)		All current and archived information on CPP activities available as well as an online suggestion form.

### Trucker's Resource Guide



- Aid in the education of truckers and dispatchers
- Objective is to reduce trouble tickets in order to improve turn time
  - Top ten trouble ticket issues are listed with suggestions on how to avoid occurrence
- Translated into Spanish and Mandarin
  - Polish under development
- Guide is available in hard copy at the Truck Service Center and can be downloaded and saved in iBook applications.



http://www.panynj.gov/port/pdf/CPP-2015-Trucker-Guidebook-ENG.pdf

## Terminal Information Portal System (TIPS)

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- Single consolidated web portal for all six container terminals.
  - •Port and Terminal Information Import Container Availability
  - Export Booking Inquiries
  - Vessel Schedules (cutoffs, first available day, etc.)
  - •Empty Container Return Location

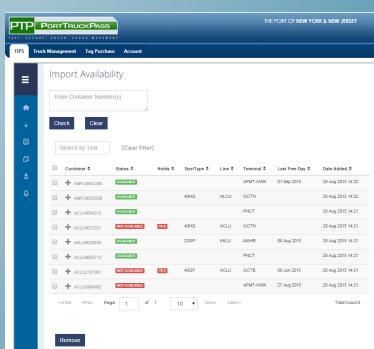
Create "watch lists" of your containers regardless of what terminal

they are being handled at.

 Receive notifications when the status of your container or booking changes
 (i.e. holds placed/ released, balance updated, etc.).

Additional features will be added in the future.

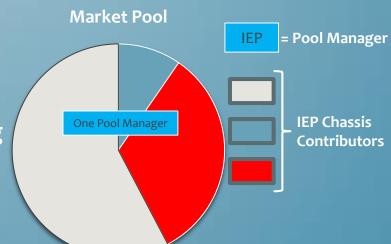
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#### CHASSIS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

- Council On Port Performance
- Equipment IT formed and represents key market stakeholders
  - NYSA, PANYNJ, Motor Carriers, Steamship lines, Labor, Marine Terminal Operators & IEP's
- Pool structures evaluated and Market Pool (Co-Op) selected
  - Designed to serve a broad number of customers for multiple contributing IEP's
  - The pool operates with one pool manager and one set of operating rules
  - Multiple IEPs may contribute to the fleet, and chassis are "gray" across all locations in the pool

    Market Pool
- Pool Operating Agreement was developed
- A Pool Manager was selected (JV of 3 IEPs)
- Operating Agreement's Terms & Conditions being finalized



## Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)



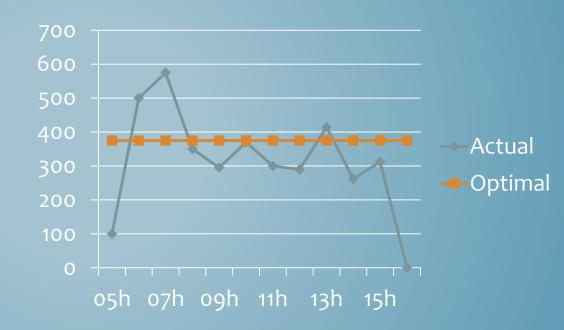
Average Monthly Measurements								
2015	Q1	Q2	Q3 (July)	Q4	% Change			
Gatemoves	70,058	75,300	77,469					
Import Inventory	38,099	36,906	31,903					
Dwell Time	5.1	4.7	4.2					
Trouble Tickets	7,538	7,855	7,462					

- 22 General KPIs identified (PPTF Report Appendix D)
- 13 Additional KPIs dealing with chassis pool management
- Grouped KPIs into 7 categories and ranked based on:
  - 1) Impact
  - 2) Feasibility
  - 3) Ease of Implementation
- Next Steps:
  - 1) Definition of KPI
  - 2) Time period of reporting
  - 3) Report on aggregate or individual basis
  - 4) How to measure

# Truck Management System



- Synonymous with Appointment
   System, Reservation System or Pre-Advise System
  - All about efficiency & productivity
- Better align supply and demand
  - Decrease queue, turn time,
     congestion and emissions
  - Increase MTO efficiency
- Leveraging lessons learned from similar deployments
- Port wide system with common platform and rules
- Pilot at GCT Bayonne in 1Q16



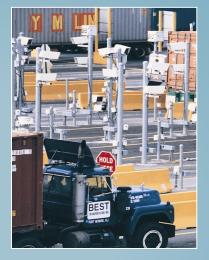
## Conclusion

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- Execute the plan
- Continue the collaboration
- Communication
- Transparency





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