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17th Annual

WEST TEXAS LEGISLATIVE SUMMIT

BEYOND COVID-19

PANEL AGENDA

8/4/2021 • C.J. DAVIDSON CONFERENCE CENTER HOUSTON HARTE UNIVERSITY CENTER • ANGELO STATE UNIVERSITY

CHECK-IN

7:00 am - 8:15 am

BREAKFAST

7:30 am - 8:30 am

WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS

8:15 am - 8:30 am

Shane Plymell, Chairman of the Board, San Angelo Chamber of Commerce
President Ronnie Hawkins, Angelo State University

REIMAGINING EDUCATION BY RESHAPING FOR THE FUTURE

8:30 am - 9:30 am

Moderator: Chancellor Tedd L. Mitchell, Texas Tech University System

Congressman Chip Roy, San Antonio, District 21, Member, Judiciary and Veterans Affairs
Commissioner Mike Morath, Texas Education Agency
Dr. Donald Tharp, Goodfellow Air Force Base, Director of Operations
Colby Nichols, Partner, Attorney/Consultant, Ancira Strategic Partners, LLP

NETWORKING BREAK

9:30 am - 9:45 am

ESSENTIALLY CRUCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE: TRADE, TRANSPORTATION, PIPELINES, AND PORTS

9:45 am - 10:45 am

Moderator: Commissioner Alvin New, Texas Department of Transportation

Congressman Brian Babin, D.D.S., Woodville, District 36,

Senior-Most Republican Texan Member, Transportation & Infrastructure Committee
Congressman Jodey Arrington, Lubbock, District 19, Member, Ways and Means Committee
Representative Tom Craddick, District 82, Member, Energy Resources Committee
Commissioner Christi Craddick, Chairman, Railroad Commission of Texas
John Osborne, Chairman, Ports-to-Plains Alliance
Sean Strawbridge, Chief Executive Officer, Port of Corpus Christi Authority

THE RESILIENCE OF AGRICULTURE AND WATER

10:45 am - 11:45 am

Moderator: Senator Charles Perry, Lubbock, District 28,

Chairman, Water, Agriculture, and Rural Affairs Committee

Congressman Ronny Jackson, Amarillo, District 13,

Member, House Armed Services & Foreign Affairs Committees

Congressman Roger Williams, Austin, District 25,

Member, Underserved, Agriculture, and Rural Business Development Committee

Commissioner Emily Lindley, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality

Alisha Schwertner, Precision Technology Product Manager, Agrian by Telus Agriculture,
Committee Member, AFBF Young Farmer and Rancher, Texas Farm Bureau

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NETWORKING BREAK

11:45 am - 12:05 pm

LUNCH WITH KEYNOTE SPEAKER: SECURITY CHALLENGES

12:05 pm - 1:25 pm

**Congressman August Pfluger, San Angelo, District 11,
Member, Foreign Affairs and Homeland Security**

NETWORKING BREAK

1:25 pm - 1:45 pm

ENERGY: MANAGEMENT, CONSUMPTION & CHANGE

1:45 pm - 3:15 pm

**Moderator: Representative Drew Darby, San Angelo, District 72,
Member, Energy Resources and Licensing & Administrative Procedures Committees**
**Congressman Kevin Brady, The Woodlands, District 8,
Top Republican, House Ways and Means Committee**
**Congressman Michael Burgess, Denton, District 26,
Member, Energy & Commerce Committee**
**Congressman Dan Crenshaw, Houston, District 2,
Member, Energy & Commerce Committee**
**Congressman Randy Weber, Friendswood, District 14,
Member, Science Space and Technology, Transportation and Infrastructure**
Commissioner Jim Wright, Railroad Commission of Texas
Karr Ingham, Executive VP/Petroleum Economist, Texas Alliance of Energy Producers
Luke Legate, Representative, Texas Oil and Gas Trade Associations

CLOSING REMARKS

3:15 pm - 3:30 pm

Congressman August Pfluger - 11th Congressional District of Texas
Senator Charles Perry - Senate District 28
Representative Drew Darby - House District 72
Walt Koenig, President/CEO, San Angelo Chamber of Commerce

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PLEASE NOTE: Panels are subject to change in speakers and topics.