

Welcome

Dear Public and Private Sector Partners:

Welcome to the Permian Basin Oil & Gas Supply Chain Resilience and Security Workshop. The workshop brings together partners like you having key roles in various sectors of government, energy, manufacturing, information technology, and critical infrastructure, all vested in the resilience and security of the oil and gas supply chain.

The workshop is the first in a series of similar workshops being held in Corpus Christi, El Paso, and Houston in 2015. It is primarily focused on building resiliency and security through joint planning and communication, and to highlight the critical importance of dependencies and interdependencies between the various sectors.

Our objectives include clearly defining the industry supply chain, identify and begin to address security and resilience concerns, build relationships, develop resources for training, promote standards, and ultimately improve supply chain resilience and security to natural and technological hazards and human-caused threats.

Thank you for your active participation and engaging one another in this exchange of information and relationship building that serve our common interests of resiliency.

Sincerely,



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Keynote Speaker



Commissioner Ryan Sitton *Railroad Commission of Texas*

Elected to the Texas Railroad Commission on Nov. 4, 2014, Commissioner Ryan Sitton won the general election with over 58 percent of the vote. Sitton is a native Texan who grew up in the Irving area. He is a graduate of Texas A&M University where he earned a degree in Mechanical Engineering, and met his wife, Jennifer. Following college, Ryan began his career as an engineer in the energy industry. In 2006 Ryan and Jennifer founded PinnacleART, an engineering and technology company focused on reliability and integrity programs for the oil, gas, and petrochemical, mining, pharmaceutical, and wastewater industries. As Railroad Commissioner, Ryan is working to make the commission more efficient and effective, so Texas can lead America to energy independence. Ryan and his wife have three children, and have an impressive collection of over 100,000 Legos. He is deeply honored to serve as your Railroad Commissioner and is excited to serve the people of Texas.

Workshop Schedule

- Registration check-in 8:00am
- Welcome 8:30am
Barney Welch, PBRPC Homeland Security Director
- Overview 8:40am
Kevin Clement, Texas Homeland Security Strategic Planner
- Defining the Industry Supply Chain..... 9:00am
Benjamin Sebree, Attorney & Counselor at Law, Sebree Solutions, Inc., and former VP & General Counsel, Texas Oil and Gas Association
- The Threat 9:30am
FBI special agents, and Michael Milliner, Texas DPS Critical Infrastructure Protection
- Break 10:00am
- Pre-Workshop Survey Analysis 10:15am
Kevin Clement and Barney Welch
- Regional Resiliency Assessment Program.... 11 am
DHS Training & Resources
Charles "Buck" Hamilton, DHS Protective Security Advisor
- Lunch 11:45am
Keynote Speaker - Railroad Commissioner Ryan Sitton
- Best Practices and Lessons Learned.... 1:00pm
Charles Hamilton, DHS, and Prof. Maria Burns, The University of Houston Center for Transportation and Logistics Policy
- Break 1:50pm
- Driving The Supply Chain..... 2:00pm
James Beauchamp, President, MOTRAN; Stephen Lazzari, Public Safety Manager, Union Pacific Railroad; and Stephen M. Robertson, Exec. VP, Permian Basin Petroleum Association
- Next Steps 3:00pm
Steps forward and participant feedback - Kevin Clement
- Conclusion..... 3:30pm
Barney Welch

