Boosting Regional logistics Efficiency



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Agenda

Introduction – Why?

Minnesota Freight Connect, And Northern Gateway

Developing/Improving Logistics Infrastructure

Integrating and Synchronizing D – MSP – I Falls Connect

Opportunities and 3P



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Introduction – Why?

- Innovative solutions to streamline supply chain operations
 - Gain a competitive edge
 - Return on Investment "ROI".

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One such solution gaining traction is the integration of synchronized air, land, and ocean transport combined with foreign trade zone (FTZ) campus or marketplace "facility/ies"

Minnesota Freight Connect, and North gateway

- Duluth Port Connect
- Onesimus / I- Falls Multimodal Transportation & FTZ Project "A Logistics Revolution"
- MSP Key national/regional hub (requiring direct/indirect feeder points)
- Road/Trucks freight solutions
- Rail great for OG, ISO containers, and variety of commodities
- Barges offering water freight movement through the inland river system
- Air freight solutions services for low-weight, high-value and time sensitive cargo

Developing Logistics Infrastructure

WHY?

- Economic Growth
- Enhanced Competitiveness
- Population Retention: Enhanced infrastructure can make rural areas more attractive places to live, helping to retain and attract residents. While at the same time declutter heavily populated urban markets

HOW?

- Strategic Network Infrastructure Development
- Improvement/Modernization of existing infrastructure
- Technology Integration (Digital infrastructure and smart logistics)

INTEGRATING AND SYNCHRONIZING DULUTH-MSP-I FALLS CONNECT



Opportunities and 3P

Opportunities

- Development and Modernization of Facilities
- Transportation Infrastructure
- Technology Integration
- Sustainability Initiatives

Investment 3Ps Model

- Financial Resources
- Expertise and Efficiency
- Economic Growth and Job Creation
- Improved Commerce Facilitation

Thank you

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