

**INTERNAL STAFF UPDATE\***

Friday, January 29, 2016

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**Transportation Committee:**

Next Wednesday at 11:00am, Secretary Hall will be presenting:

- State of the DOT presentation;
- Funding scenarios will be included.

**Commerce:**

Beth connected Gary Garfield, Bridgestone CEO and President, with Brad Neese, Director of Apprenticeship Carolina, to discuss ways for Bridgestone to utilize the program. She is working on scheduling a meeting with the Governor, Secretary Hitt, and Mr. Neese re marketing the program to our potential and existing companies.

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