

NGEC Executive Board Chairman's Report

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Collaboration

- States
- Federal Railroad Administration
- Amtrak



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Collaboration/States

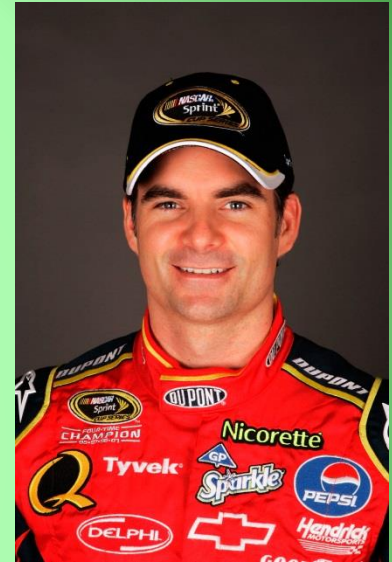
- States roles in passenger rail
- Developing usable specifications
- Learning from experts
- Sharing states needs and goals



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Collaboration/ Federal Railroad Administration

- Passenger rail expertise
- Knowledgeable helpful staff
- Manage NGENC operations
- Determine protocols
- Determine where and how for NGENC administrative functions



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Collaboration/ Amtrak

- Passenger rail experts
- Arguably, most knowledgeable
- Expertise in multiple disciplines
- They've done it!



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Collaboration

- **collaborate**

verb col·lab·o·rate \ kə-'la-bə-,rāt \

1 : to work jointly with others or together especially in an intellectual endeavor



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Collaboration

- The real partners
- Countless hours of volunteer time
- Unlimited expertise
- Real world experience
- Always ready to assist and lead



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Industry

- Manufacturing and supply industry
- Participants exceed 240 members
- Help lead spec development
- Help review all revisions



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Industry (cont'd)

- Development of specifications
- Actively involved
- Specifications worth estimated \$12M
- Involved in revisions
- Help with production



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Thank you to everyone

Questions?



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