A light breakfast will be served.

8:45AM WELCOME
JEFF MADRICK, Director of The Century Foundation’s Bernard L. Schwartz Rediscovering Government Initiative

9:00AM KEYNOTE ADDRESS
THE HON. EARL BLUMENAUER, D-OR; Member, Committee on Ways and Means,
Introduction by TCF President MARK ZUCKERMAN

9:30 AM PANEL: Better Approaches to Funding and Financing
Leading experts from finance and public policy discuss how to pay for the infrastructure we need. How can government do a better job of raising money to build infrastructure? Why have so many public-private partnerships proven inadequate? What financial sources are we neglecting?

DONALD COHEN, Founder and Executive Director, In the Public Interest
SHARON HENDRICKS, Board Vice Chair, California State Teachers’ Retirement System
AARON KLEIN, Director, Financial Regulatory Reform Initiative, Bipartisan Policy Center
JOE MYSAK, Editor, Bloomberg Brief: Municipal Market, Author, The Encyclopedia of Municipal Bonds
ANGIE SCHMITT, Editor, Streetsblog USA (Moderator)

10:30AM Q&A: Infrastructure and the American Worker
Jeff Madrick will interview representatives from some of America’s biggest unions on how labor can help solve the infrastructure crisis.
MIKE FISHMAN, Secretary-Treasurer, Service Employees International Union
MIKE MONROE, Chief of Staff, North America’s Building Trades Unions
JEFF MADRICK (Moderator)

11:00AM BREAK
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11:15AM  ADDRESS: Progress from the Obama Administration
      JASON MILLER, Deputy Director, National Economic Council, The White House

11:45AM  PANEL: A New Agenda for Infrastructure
      Experts from the U.S. and Canada discuss the most promising innovations in infrastructure policy. Together, the panel will tackle the question: What should a renewed infrastructure agenda look like?
      LARRY BLAIN, Former Chair of the Board of Directors, Partnerships British Columbia
      GABE KLEIN, Special Venture Partner, Fontinalis Partners
      SARAH JO PETERSON, Senior Director, Policy, Urban Land Institute
      MATTI SIEMIATYCKI, Associate Professor, Geography and Planning, University of Toronto
      DANIEL VOCK, Transportation and Infrastructure Reporter, Governing (Moderator)

12:45PM  LUNCH

1:15PM   LUNCHTIME ADDRESS: A Plan for the Future
      JOSHUA SCHANK, President and CEO, Eno Center for Transportation
      Introduction by JEFF MADRICK

1:45PM   CLOSING REMARKS: Jeff Madrick