

**AHERN ADVISORY**  
**Ahern/Benesch Transportation Conference**

The Ahern/Benesch Transportation Conference is scheduled for September 23, 2011 at the JW Marriott Hotel & Resort in downtown Chicago. Some of the speakers will include;

- Doug Waggoner – President & CEO of Echo Global Logistics.
- Dave Mitchell – Managing Partner – Transportation Resource Partners.
- Tommy Hodges – (Past) Chairman of the American Trucking Association.
- Lane Kidd – President of the Arkansas Trucking Association.
- Mike Bloss – Sr VP of Echo Global Logistics.
- Kevin McAllister – Sterling Capital Partners.

Some of the topics that will be discussed include:

1. State of the capital markets in logistics?
2. Getting your company ready to sell or recapitalize?
3. The regulatory landscape; what the flurry of government activity means for transportation and logistics?
4. What people are buying and why?
5. What are pricing trends and where else should you look?

I look forward to seeing you at the Seminar.

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