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| **U.S. House Select Committee on Freight Coming to Southern California**Later this month, the United States House of Representatives Select Committee on Freight (formally known as the Panel on 21st Century Freight Transportation) chaired by Congressman Jimmy Duncan (R-TN), will be touring Southern California as they begin their work on creating a new freight-focused infrastructure plan. The members of the Select Committee will arrive and tour Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) on Tuesday May 28, 2013. They will conduct a roundtable briefing at the twin Ports of Los Angeles/Long Beach on Wednesday the 29th and will then head to San Bernardino where the Select Committee will hold a hearing in Congressman Gary Miller's (R-CA) Congressional District. Metro's government relations staff will continue to remain in touch with staffers for the Select Committee and provide whatever support and background information they may need. Both Congresswoman Janice Hahn (D-CA) and Congressman Gary Miller (R-CA) serve on the Panel on 21st Century Freight Transportation. Please find [here](http://transportation.house.gov/press-release/shuster-rahall-announce-special-panel-tasked-developing-freight-transportation) a link to the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee’s announcement related to the Panel on 21st Century Freight Transportation. |
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