



PUGG PRESENTATION TO ATTOSCOM

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HOTEL NIKKO GUAM

INTRODUCTION

- ▶ Presenter: Joseph L. Cruz
- ▶ Port Users Group Guam (PUGG)
- ▶ PUGG Members:
 - ▶ Ambyth Shipping & Trading
 - ▶ APL
 - ▶ Cabras Marine Corporation
 - ▶ Kyowa Lines
 - ▶ Matson Navigation
 - ▶ Marianas Express Lines
 - ▶ Marianas Steamship Agencies
 - ▶ Norton Lilly International
 - ▶ Pacific Development Corp.
 - ▶ Saipan Shipping Company, Inc.
 - ▶ Seabridge, Inc.

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- ▶ PUGG Officers:

- ▶ Chair – Joseph Cruz, Cabras Marine Corp.
- ▶ Andrew Miller – Ambyth Shipping & Trading
- ▶ Paul Blas - PDC

- ▶ PUGG Meetings

- ▶ Held twice a month – 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month
- ▶ 1st meeting for PUGG Team
- ▶ 2nd meeting for PUGG Team and Industry Partners

PUGG INDUSTRY PARTNERS

- ▶ Port Authority of Guam
- ▶ U.S. Coast Guard (USCG)
- ▶ Guam Customs & Quarantine
- ▶ Guam Legislature – Oversight Committee (Senator Clynt Ridgell)
- ▶ U.S. Navy (Port Operations)

PUGG MISSION & GOALS

- ▶ Facilitate communication of and solutions to, operating issues at the Port of Guam common to all users.
- ▶ Continue to advocate for:
 - ▶ Safety – of life, cargo and equipment at the Port.
 - ▶ Security – of Port facilities.
 - ▶ Environment – protection of the environment through safe practices.
 - ▶ Productivity – increase in overall productivity for loading and unloading of ships including the processes involved.
 - ▶ Efficiency – increases in efficiencies will increase overall productivity. Improving processes and streamlining others will benefit efficiency.
 - ▶ Training – investment in the workforce to improve all aspects in the workplace for every employee. Specific job training (i.e. crane operator, stevedore) to training for all employees (i.e. safety, sexual harassment)
 - ▶ Technology – take advantage of current technologies available to improve efficiencies and productivity (includes environmental awareness – paperless processes).

EXAMPLE OF COLLABORATION WITH PORT

- ▶ Acquisition and installation of three (3) cranes for PAG
- ▶ Active involvement in the Port Master Plan updates
- ▶ Removal of old Port cranes
- ▶ Continues support of Port Improvement Processes
- ▶ New Collaboration – Conversion to paperless transaction

FINAL REMARKS

- ▶ Encourage users from their respective ports to work together, along with their Industry Partners and respective Governments to improve port facilities and operations.