

# THE DETROIT INTERMODAL/OCEAN FREIGHT ASSOCIATION

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Is pleased to invite you to attend an informative dinner meeting with

## **Ben Anderson**

**Operations Specialist – US Customs and Border Protection**

On Thursday, January 22, 2009

**Held at the Lakes of Taylor**

**([www.taylorgolf.com](http://www.taylorgolf.com))**

25505 Northline Road, Taylor, MI 48180

5:30 PM cocktails & conversation, 6:15 PM Dinner and Speaker

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Specialist Anderson has extensive experience with all aspects of US Customs operations. He will be discussing rules and regulations with emphasis on how they directly impact the intermodal community. He began his career with U.S. Customs as an entry level Inspector in Detroit in 1971. He was promoted to Senior Inspector in 1974, First Level Supervisor in 1977 and Chief Inspector in 1986.

He served in several capacities as a Chief Inspector: *Bridge Station Chief, Enforcement Chief, Administrative Chief, and Fort Street Cargo Station Chief* (during 9/11). Ben was also featured representing U.S. Customs in the TIME Magazine one-year 9/11 Anniversary Issue (September 9, 2002). He transferred to an *Operations Specialist* Position in the Detroit Field Office in 2004.

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Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

# of attendees: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$35.00 /member price \_\_\_\_\_

# of attendees: \_\_\_\_\_ x \$40.00/non-member \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please mail reservations with check by Friday, January 16th**

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