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Dear TCoM Members and Friends,

I am truly honored to have been chosen to serve as your president for the next year. I assure you I will make every effort to live up to the honor of leading an organization that values its role in the transportation community, supports higher education by awarding scholarships, and contributes to the children served by Porter-Leath by participating in the annual Toy Truck drive. Wow, we belong to a pretty amazing Club!



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We intend to introduce some committees this year. This will give you the opportunity to become more involved with your fellow members, and in the planning and execution of our events. As our past president, John Brewer says, "you are the lifeblood of this club". The Club's success is integral to your participation. Whether you are on the board, sponsor an



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event, donate a door prize, recruit new members, join a committee, or simply attend our luncheons, you are a valuable member of our organization.

I hope you all will join us for the Women in Transportation panel at our luncheon on Tuesday, December 6th. This is always a great and well-attended event.

Until then, have a wonderful Thanksgiving!

Robin Colwell

President

Transportation Club of Memphis

## HAVE YOU RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP?

If you have not renewed your TCOM Membership for 2016, now is the perfect time! You can pay online at [here!](#)

*If you would like to pay via check, please contact Ken Opperman at [ken.opperman@jamaclogistics.com](mailto:ken.opperman@jamaclogistics.com)*

### **We are very pleased to present our 3rd annual Women in Transportation panel discussion on December 6th.**

Our 3rd annual Women in Transportation panel discussion will be held at the Racquet Club of Memphis on Tuesday, December 6th. Vaco's own Cheryl Citrone has agreed to moderate this event. We have an all-star panel who will discuss various topics of transportation both from a women's view and also as a transportation professional. The panelists are as follows:

Courtney Ratts with ReTrans  
Robin Colwell with Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
Mary Kennet with Total Transportation of MS

A question/answer session will follow the discussion.

***Please make your RSVP today!***

## **SAVE THE DATE!**

**Women in Transportation panel discussion December 6th**

## Holiday Ornament Exchange

### Porter Leath Fundraiser

Stay Tuned for our 2017 Speaker/Event Calendar

### **Porter Leath Fundraiser**

**Once again, the Transportation Club of Memphis will be holding our annual fundraiser for Porter Leath. If you make a donation of any size, you will receive a door prize ticket and be eligible to receive a door prize if your ticket is drawn.**

***Please join us and support this worthwhile organization***

### **Holiday Ornament Exchange**

**Our annual ornament exchange will be held at our December meeting. If you would like to participate, just bring a wrapped ornament and when the time is right, we'll exchange with others who have brought one with them. We may do a left/right swap as we have done in the past.**

The Transportation Club of Memphis is pleased to present your 2016-2017 Officers and Board Members

President,                      Robin Colwell                      Embry-Riddle Aeronautical  
University

Vice-President,              Jim Deweese                      ABF

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Total Transportation of MS

## WHO IS TCOM?

Have an idea for a meeting or event?

Want to get more involved?

Want to hear about a specific topic?

Need to update your contact information?

Click [here](#) to complete a short survey,  
so we can make 2017 our best year yet!

## **CELEBRATE!**

Have you recently received an award, recognition, certification, degree or reached a milestone in your career? Let us know & you could be featured in an upcoming MTT!