## KC SmartPort Appoints New Chairwoman and Executive Committee

KC SmartPort has named Melody Warren to chair the local transportation and logistics industry organization. Warren is president and CEO of Transportation Logistics Systems.

The first woman to serve as chair of KC SmartPort, Warren also will hold a seat on the organization's 2010 Executive Committee. Also appointed to the committee were Al Figuly, president of the Greater KC Foreign Trade Zone, Robert Marcusse, president and CEO of the Kansas City Area Development Council, Skip Kalb, director of strategic development of BNSF and Mike Priest, regional vice president of TranSystems Corporation.