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In September 2012, China's central government announced infrastructure investments of US\$158 billion, with a heavy emphasis on urban and high-speed railways. For this initiative, the National Development and Reform Commission (NDRC) announced it will invest CNY800 billion (US\$127 billion) into developing 25 urban railway projects. The projects will be in cities including Changchun, Chengdu, Hangzhou, Shenzhen, Suzhou and Tianjin.

Changchun, the capital city of Jilin Province and one of the largest cities in the Northeast of China, just witnessed the official launch of the first phase of construction for a fully underground subway Line 1 on July 1, 2017. Changchun has become the fourth city in northeast China to open a subway line, following Shenyang, Harbin, and Dalian, which opened their first subway lines from 2010 onwards. The city's public transport system already includes two above-ground light rail lines. Currently, the city is focusing on the construction of Line 2 and Line 8, with other three metro lines for a total length of 117.1 km under planning.

**U.S. Foreign Commercial Service Shenyang cordially invites you to join the U.S. subway delegation led by Ambassador Terry Branstad to meet with Changchun Mayor Liu Changlong and a roundtable meeting with the local authorities in charge of the construction and operation of the transit systems in Changchun on September 6, 2017.**

Opportunities:

- Join a U.S. subway equipment delegation led by Ambassador Branstad to meet with Changchun city leaders
- Roundtable meeting with decision makers from Changchun Railway Traffic Group Co., Ltd., and government authorities in Changchun
- Understand subway planning and development of the city and identify market opportunities
- Establish and strengthen contact with stakeholders in Changchun through a cost-effective and efficient program

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**Deadline for registration is August 31, 2017.**

We look forward to your participation!

\*Cost USD 500, additional representative USD 100.