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from the NORTH DAKOTA RURAL WATER SYSTEMS ASSOCIATION

## 26TH Annual Expo – N.D. Rural Water Systems Association Feb. 14-16 • Ramada Plaza & Suites – Fargo

**TENTATIVE AGENDA** 

Tuesday, Feb. 14	
8:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.	Pre-Conference Tour – Wastewater Reuse Facilities OPENING CEREMONY Official Opening – Keith Nilson, NDRWSA President Welcome to Fargo – Fargo Convention and Visitors Bureau Keynote Address – Steve Fletcher, National Rural Water Association Motivational Speaker – Patty Corwin, How to Handle Change with Humor Exhibit Hall Opens Exhibitor Appreciation in the Exhibit Hall
Wednesda	y, Feb. 15
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast in the Exhibit Hall FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS Board of Directors Track: Roundtable Discussions Managers Track: Roundtable Discussions
	Office Manager/Support Personnel Track: Utility Billing Made Easy and Roundtable Discussions
	Operation & Maintenance Track: Exhibitor Demonstrations – Exhibit Hall
11:00 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	Operator Competitions Exhibit Hall Door Prize Drawings
Noon	Exhibit Hall Closes
Noon	Deli Buffet Luncheon in the Exhibit Hall
12:30 p.m.	Spouse Program – N.D. Rural Women and Household Water Supply: A Historical View
1:00 p.m.	THREE CONCURRENT SESSIONS
	<b>Board Member/Manager Track:</b> Workers' Compensation: Employer Responsibility & Upcoming Legislative Issues, Financials: Past, Present & Future and Are You Charging Enough for Your Water? <b>Operation &amp; Maintenance Track:</b> Current O & M Topics
	Computer Track: Microsoft Office Tools & Tips
6:00 p.m.	Social Hour and Silent Auction
7:00 p.m.	Awards Banquet
	Awards Ceremony – Honoring the Best in the Business Diamond & Exclusive 26th Anniversary Sponsor Recognition 2012 Water Taste Contest Final Judging
	Scholarship Live Auction
Thursday,	Feb. 16
7:45 a.m. 8:30 a.m.	Breakfast Buffet THREE CONCURRENT SESSIONS Board Member/Manager/Support Personnel Track: Emergency Preparedness, Response and Recovery Operation & Maintenance Track: Current O & M Topics Safety Track: Defensive Driving (session starts at 7:45 a.m.)
11:45 p.m.	CLOSING SESSION and GRAND PRIZE DRAWING

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