

THE SPIGOT

from the NORTH DAKOTA RURAL WATER SYSTEMS ASSOCIATION

26TH Annual Expo – N.D. Rural Water Systems Association Feb. 14-16, 2012 • Ramada Plaza & Suites – Fargo TENTATIVE AGENDA

Tuesday, Feb. 14

8:30 a.m. Pre-Conference Tour – Wastewater Reuse Facilities

1:30 p.m. Opening Ceremony

Official Opening - President of NDRWSA

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

3:00 p.m. Exhibit Hall Opens

5:00 p.m. Exhibitor Appreciation in the Exhibit Hall

Wednesday, Feb. 15

7:45 a.m. Breakfast in the Exhibit Hall 8:30 a.m. Four Concurrent Sessions:

Board of Directors Track: Roundtable Discussions

Managers Track: Roundtable Discussions

Office Manager/Support Personnel Track: Utility Billing Made Easy, Social Networking for the

Workplace and Roundtable Discussions

Operation & Maintenance Track: Exhibitor Demonstrations - Exhibit Hall

11:00 a.m. Operator Competitions

11:30 a.m. Exhibit Hall Door Prize Drawings

Noon Exhibit Hall Closes

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12:30 p.m. Spouse Program – North Dakota Rural Women and Household Water Supply: A Historical View

1:00 p.m. Three Concurrent Sessions

Board Member/Manager Track: Workers' Compensation: Employer Responsibility & Upcoming Legislative Issues, Financials: Past, Present & Future and Are You Charging Enough for Your

Water?

Operation & Maintenance Track: 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. Breakfast Buffet

8:30 a.m. 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

Visit www.ndrw.org for additional information or to register.

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