

Monday, August 31

7:00-8:00 a.m.	Registration	
8:00-12:00 p.m.	Pre-conference Training: AWR 228 Community Resilience (Class 2, 8 hours, starts)	
12:-1:00 p.m.	Lunch Provided (for attendees at both classes)	
1:00 -5:00 p.m.	Pre-conference Training (Class 1, continued)	
	Pre-conference Training: AWR 347 Climate Adaptation Planning (Class 1, 8 hours, starts)	
Tuesday, Sept 1		
8:00- 12:00 p.m.	Pre-conference Training (Class 1, continued)	
12:00 – 1:00 p.m.	Regional Meetings and Lunch provided	
1:00-2:00 p.m.	Business Meeting	
2:00 -2:15 p.m.	Break	
2:15-3:15 p.m.	Speaker 1: Tutorial on Legislative Testimony Procedures	
3:15-3:30 p.m.	Break	
3:30 – 4:30 p.m.	Speaker 2: Collen Wright: Communications Priority Programs	
4:30 – 5:30 p.m.	Closed Session with Director of Homeland Security	
	Free Evening	
Wednesday, Sept 2		
7:00-8:00 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast Served	
8:00 -8:30 a.m.	Opening Ceremonies (Presentation of Colors and National Anthem)	
8:30-9:00 a.m.	Honorary Speaker (Governor Burgum or Lt. Gov Sanford)	
9:00 -10:30 a.m.	Keynote 1: Dr. David Griffin: “Strive for Excellence” (90 min)	
10:30-10:45 a.m.	Break	
10:45 -11:45 a.m.	Speaker 3: Dr. Jessica Jensen: Connecting Academia and Practice/Research in Emergency Management	
11:45 – 1:15 p.m.	Awards Luncheon	
1:15- 2:15 p.m.	Speaker 4: Dr. Catherine Kingsley-Westerman: Resolving Conflict in Work Relationships	
2:15 – 2:45 p.m.	Break and Visit Vendors	
2:45-3:45 p.m.	Speaker 5: Disaster Financial Preparedness	
3:45-4:00 p.m.	Break	
4:00 to 5:00 p.m.	Speaker 6: ND History of Disasters	
5:00 -6:30 p.m.	Vendor Social and Vendor Presentations	
6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	Association Social and Entertainment	
Thursday, Sept 3		
7:00 -8:00 a.m.	Breakfast Served	
8:00 – 9:30 a.m.	Keynote 2: PTSD in long term Disasters - Open (90 min)	

9:30-9:45 a.m.	Break	
9:45-11:15 a.m.	Speaker 7: April Lipinski: Individual Assistance	
11: 15 - 11:45 a.m.	Closing Comments NDEMA President	

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