



“FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT Revised 9/16/08 IN ARKANSAS”

2008 AFMA FALL CONFERENCE PROGRAM

21 – 24 SEPTEMBER 2008

Embassy Suites Hotel
Hot Springs, Arkansas

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 21:

- 1:30 - 4:30 PM **Administration of CFM Examination**.....Oaklawn Room
Mike Borengasser, CFM
Arkansas Natural Resources Commission
- 4:00 – 5:00 PM **AFMA Board Meeting**.....Executive Board Room
- 5:00 – 8:00 PM **Dinner on Your Own**
- 8:00 – 10:00 PM **Hospitality Area Open**Room 904
Celebrate Your Local Rivers

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22:

8:00 – 4:00 Registration/Exhibits Open

- 9:30 – 9:45 AM **PLENARY SESSION 1**.....Grand Salon
OPENING CEREMONIES
Flag Presentation
Welcome
- 9:45 – 10:30 AM **KEYNOTE SPEAKER**Grand Salon
2008 Floods in Arkansas: USGS Perspective
Jaysson Funkhouser, PE, USGS
Moderated by Conrad Battreal, PE, CFM
- 10:30 – 10:45 AM **Break in Exhibit Area**
- 10:45 – 11:30 AM **PLENARY SESSION 2**.....Grand Salon
Approximate Modeling
More Bang For Your Buck!
Lee Beshoner, PE, CFM
Moderated by Conrad Battreal, PE, CFM

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- 11:30 – 1:00 PM **Lunch on Your Own/Exhibits Open**
- 1:00 – 5:30 PM **FIELD SESSION**.....Hotel Lobby
Buses begin **Ouachita River Watershed Management/**
Boarding at 12:30 **City of Hot Springs, Flood Mitigation Program**
Moderated by Kimberly Bogart, CFM, Entergy Arkansas, Inc. and
Dennis McPhate, CFM, Public Works Operations Manager,
City of Hot Springs, Arkansas
- 6:30 – 8:30 PM **Floodplain Social/Dinner with Entertainment by**
Faulkner Academy of Arts Choral GroupGrand Salon
- 8:30 – 10:00 PM **Hospitality Area Open**Room 904
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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23:

8:00 – 5:00 Registration/Exhibits Open

- 7:00 – 8:00 AM **Breakfast**Atrium
- 8:00 – 9:00 AM **AFMA Business Meeting**Grand Salon
- 9:00 – 9:10 AM **Break in Exhibit Area**

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

- 9:10 – 10:10 AM **Concurrent Session A**
- A-1 Basic Floodplain Management - Part 1**... Salon C
Moderated by John Burton, PS, CFM
- 9:10 – 10:10 AM **A-2 Community Rating System at its Best** Salon A & B
Janine Ellington, ISO, Inc
Moderated by Jay Whisker, PE, CFM
- 10:10 – 10:30 AM **Break in Exhibit Area**

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- 10:30 – 11:30 AM **Concurrent Session B**
- B-1 Basic Floodplain Management – Part 2**.....Salon C
Moderated by John Burton, PS, CFM
- 10:30 - 11:00 AM **B-2 Stormwater Contractor Certifications**.....Salon A & B
Denny McPhate, CFM
Moderated by Jay Whisker, PE, CFM
- 11:00 – 11:30 AM **B-3 Flood Insurance in Arkansas**Salon A & B
Carrie Stewart, State of Arkansas, Insurance Department
Moderated by Jay Whisker, PE, CFM

11:30 – 12:00 Noon **Break in Exhibit Area**

AWARDS LUNCHEON

- 12:00 – 1:45 PM **Keynote and Awards Luncheon**
Wetlands, 404 Permits, FloodplainsGrand Salon
Gary Tucker, PhD, FTN Associates Ltd.
Moderated by Conrad Battreal, PE, CFM

1:45 – 2:00 PM **Break in Exhibit Area**

PLENARY SESSION 3

- 2:00 – 2:30 PM **Managing Floods in the Future**Grand Salon
Al W. Goodman, Jr., CFM
ASFPM Chair
Moderated by Jim Narey, CFM
- 2:30 – 3:00 PM **Risk Map Program**Grand Salon
Guy Lowes, FEMA Region VI
Moderated by Jim Narey, CFM

3:00 - 3:30PM **Break in Exhibit Area**

PLENARY SESSION 4

- 3:30 – 4:00 PM **“Turn Around Don’t Drown”**.....Grand Salon
Roy D. Sedwick, CFM
Moderated by Jim Narey, CFM

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- 4:00 – 4:30 PM **Proper Venting**.....Grand Salon
Garrett Tirpak, CFM
Moderated by Jim Narey, CFM
- 4:30 – 5:30 PM **Panel Discussion - Levees, Approximate Flood Zones,
Ordinances, and Website**Grand Salon
Sherman Smith, PE, CFM
Moderated by Jim Narey, CFM
- 6:00 – 8:00 PM **Enjoy beautiful Hot Springs with Dinner on Your Own**
- 7:00 – 8:00 PM **Welcome New Floodplain Managers,
Questions and Answers** Grand Salon
Moderated by John Burton, PS, CFM
- 8:00 – 10:00 PM **Hospitality Room Open**Room 904
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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24:

PLENARY SESSION 5

- 8:00 – 12:00 Noon **“Protecting the Property Rights of All”**.....Grand Salon
Edward A. Thomas, Esq.
Moderated by Conrad Battreal, PE, CFM
- Breaks **TBA**
- 12:00 – 12:05 PM **Wrap-Up**Grand Salon
Drawing for Door Prize (Must be present)