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Annual Conference | 2016



September 15, 2016

Ramkota Hotel, Bismarck, ND

Conference Agenda

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Thursday

Time	Topic and Speaker
8:00 - 8:30 AM	Registration
8:30 - 8:45 AM	Welcoming address by City of Bismarck Mayor Mike Seminary
8:45 - 9:45 AM	Planning in Downtown Bismarck* <i>City of Bismarck</i> - Daniel Nairn, AICP; Jason Tomanek <i>Bismarck-Mandan MPO</i> - Steve Saunders; Rachel Drewlow
9:45 - 10:00 AM	Break/Networking
10:00 - 11:00 AM	Planning Solutions from a Regional Perspective* <i>SRF Consulting</i> - Cindy Gray, AICP; Scott Harmstead, AICP; Christopher Clanahan, MRCP <i>Ward County</i> - Amber Turnquest
11:00 - 12:00 PM	TIF Districts in North Dakota* <i>City of West Fargo</i> - Larry Weil; Matt Marshall <i>Moore Engineering</i> - Jim Brownlee
12:00 - 1:15 PM	NDPA Business Meeting, Lunch
1:15 - 2:15 PM	Pecha Kucha ~For the first time we are excited to host a rapid fire planning session. Seven presenters will discuss a range of topics including the Fargo-Moorehead Diversion, rural residential development, planning in downtown Williston, urban infill, and more. Each presentation will include 20 slides in seven minutes.
2:15 - 3:15 PM	Transportation Planning and the National Environmental Policy Act* <i>KLJ</i> - Bethany Brandt-Sargent, AICP; Wade Kline
3:15 - 3:30 PM	Break/Networking
3:30 - 4:30 PM	Planning Law in the Oil Patch* <i>Johnson & Sundeen Attorneys at Law</i> - Ari Johnson
4:30 AM	Closing Remarks, Newsletter
4:30 - 5:30 PM	Networking/Social

*CM credits available for those with AICP. Please fill out the log-in sheet for each session.

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Mission



~To encourage and promote the fraternity, the improved technical quality, and interchange of planning thoughts of those engaged and interested in local, regional, state and functional planning in North Dakota;

~ To assist in furthering public under-standing of the objectives and functions of the planning process;

~ To speak as a representative voice of planning in North Dakota, keeping both private citizens and officials more accurately informed as to professional opinion on contemporary problems and issues involving planning; and to assist in objective analysis and evaluation of vehicles and means of strengthening the planning process.

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