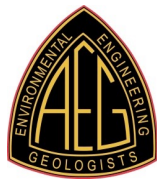




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2017 Annual Meeting Planning Committee Conference Call Notes

March 14, 2017, 4:30pm Mountain Time

Committee members on the call

Heather Clark, Meetings Manager
David Bieber, General Co-Chair
Yolanda Natividad, AEG HQ
Paul Santi, Technical Program Co-Chair
Ana Vargo, Guest Tour Chair
Bill Smith, Field Trip Guidebook Editor
Denise Garcia, Special Event Chair
Kami Deputy, Field Trip Co-Chair
Darin Duran, Field Trip Co-Chair
Alex Strouth, Technical Program Co-Chair

Keynote Speakers - Dave reported that he is working on confirming Director and Assistant Director of the Colorado Department of Natural Resources to get three speakers; one speaking on Colorado's avalanche program; one who will address the role of the State Engineer's Office in monitoring and regulating dams, and/or in regulating wells and the use of groundwater; and a third speaker who will address the minerals regulatory program, especially as it applies to aggregates and other industrial minerals. The proposed format is a 20-minute talk by each, with a 10-minute Q&A after each of the speakers. So far, we have a commitment from Tony Waldron who is the Minerals Program Supervisor in the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety. I think this format will offer something for most of our attendees; groundwater, geohazards, industrial minerals, and dams.

Technical Program - Symposia and Technical Session topics finalized. The committee is working with conveners to get invited papers submitted. The Last Call for Abstracts postcard will be sent out the first week of April.

Exhibitors/Sponsorship - The new packages have been very well received. \$17,450.00 has been committed. Personal emails have been sent to every company in the database. We have the following committed:

- **Gannett Fleming** - Annual Meeting Premium Event Package - \$2975 with the Opening Session.
- **GEO3PHYSICS** - Annual Meeting Special Event Package - \$2500 with the Special Event.
- **Northwest Geophysics** - Annual Meeting Giveaway - \$1500
- **Specialty Earth Sciences, LLC** - Exhibitor \$1000
- **Conetec** - Exhibitor \$1000
- **Enviroprobe Services** - Corporate Sponsorship with Exhibit Booth - \$1000
- **Midwest Geoscience** - Exhibit Booth and Short Course #4 Sponsorship - \$2000
- **WSP Parson Brinckerhoff** - Annual Meeting Premium Event Package - \$2975 with the Icebreaker
- **Creek Run** - Annual Meeting Sponsor Only Package - \$1500 with the exclusive all day coffee for Wed., Thurs., and Friday.
- **Terramar Instruments** - \$1000 Exhibit Booth

Women in AEG/AWG Breakfast - Susan Steele Weir has sponsored the breakfast and confirmed Karen Berry, State Geologist as the speaker.

Finance - Final Budget has been submitted to HQ for the Mid Year BOD Meeting.

Field Trips, Guest Tours and Short Courses - All have been finalized, reservations made and MOUs signed.

Registration: Registration on track to open April 1, 2017.

Next Call: April 11, 2017