

Tuesday, August 6, 2019

12:00 – 5:00 pm State Executives Meeting

Wednesday, August 7, 2019

8:00 am NWRA Memorial Golf Tournament / Fundraiser

12:00 – 5:00 pm
Lobby Registration

1:00 – 2:30 pm
Budget and Finance Committee Meeting

2:30 – 3:30 pm
Strategic Planning Committee Meeting

2:30 – 3:30 pm
Nominations Committee Meeting

3:30 – 4:30 pm
Policy Development Committee Meeting

4:30 – 5:30 pm
Irrigation Caucus Meeting

4:30 – 5:30 pm
Municipal Caucus Meeting

4:30 – 5:30 pm
Groundwater Caucus Meeting

5:30 – 6:30 pm
Welcome Reception

Thursday, August 8, 2019

8:00 am – 3:00 pm
Lobby Registration

8:00 – 8:30 am
Keynote: The Honorable Brenda Burman, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation
(Confirmed)

8:30 – 9:30 am
General Session: Colorado River Drought Contingency Plan, Next Steps

9:30 – 10:00 am
Networking Break

10:00 – 11:00 am
General Session: Endangered Species Act: Deschutes Basin Conservation Plan – legal, irrigation, and conservation perspectives.

11:00 – 12:00 pm
General Session: Public Affairs – Key Steps to Community Outreach

12:00 am – 1:30 pm
Lunch on Own: Portland is known to have some of the most innovative and delicious

restaurants in the world. Step outside our conveniently located hotel and explore a wide variety of increadable dining options.

1:30 – 2:30

General Session: Wildfire, identifying solutions and protecting watersheds

2:30 – 3:30 pm

General Session: Columbia River – The Columbia River is one of the world’s mightiest rivers with an annual average flow of approximately 198 million acre-feet. Learn about complex issues surrounding the management of this great resource.

3:30 – 4:00 pm

Networking Break

4:00 – 5:00 pm

General Session: Biological Opinions – Overview of some of the major bi-ops affecting western water users

5:00-6:00

Women, Water, and Wine

6:00 – 10:00 pm

NWRA Western Family BBQ & Internship Silent Auction

Spend an evening enjoying delicious food and great company. Those interested in participating in some good-natured competition can take advantage of the Internship Silent Action. All proceeds go toward the NWRA Internship Fund and ensure our ability to hire future interns.

Please Note: Western Family BBQ is included with all attendee registrations, all spouses and guests must purchase tickets online prior to event.

Hosted Bar 6:00 – 7:00 pm | Dinner Served at 6:30 pm | Cash Bar 7:00 – 10:00 pm

Friday, August 9, 2019

8:00 – 8:30 am

Keynote Session: BPA Administrator Elliot Mainzer

8:30 – 10:00 am

General Session Federal Funding Panel – Learn about funding opprotunities at the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of Agriculture, Environmental Protection Agency, and the Army Corps of Engineers

9:00 – 10:00 am

Policy Development Committee Meeting Follow Up

10:00 am

NWRA Board Meeting