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National Association of Pipeline Safety Representatives

2024 NAPSR National Region Meeting Agenda

Seneca Niagara Resort, Niagara Falls, NY

** All times Eastern Time*

Sunday – September 22, 2024 Seneca Niagara Resort

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Registration	Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
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Monday – September 23, 2024 Seneca Niagara Resort

7:00 AM– 8:15 AM	Registration		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
8:15 AM – 9:00 AM	New Program Manager Orientation & Roundtable	Speicher/Chislea	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
9:15 AM – 10:00 AM	New Program Manager Orientation – FedStar/PDM	PHMSA - Carrie Winslow	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
10:15 AM –11:00 AM	New Program Manager Orientation - Incident Investigation Training	PHMSA AID - Chris Ruhl	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
11:00 AM – NOON	New Program Manager Orientation & Roundtable	David Chislea, National Vice Chairman	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
NOON – 1:00 PM	Lunch		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
1:00 PM – 1:45 PM	New Program Manager Orientation – TQ Course requests, etc.	PHMSA TQ – Jill Nelson	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	New Program Manager Orientation & Roundtable	David Chislea, National Vice Chairman	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
2:45 PM – 4:30 PM	New Program Manager Orientation & Roundtable	David Chislea, National Vice Chairman	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
4:30 pm	Adjourn for the day		

6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Welcome Reception	Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
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Tuesday – September 24, 2024			
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8:30 AM – 9:00 AM	Welcome, Roll Call by State	Kevin Speicher (NY) NAPSR National Chair	Open
9:00 AM – 9:45 AM	RPlume Gas Migration Study	Colorado State University	Open
9:45 AM – 10:00 AM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
10:00 AM – 11:15 AM	Keynote Address: PHMSA Outlook for 2024 – 2025 and Challenges with New Regulations	Tristan Brown, Deputy Administrator, PHMSA	Open
11:15 AM – NOON	PSMS Update	Steve Allen, Energy Worldnet	Open
NOON – 1:00 PM	Lunch		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
1:00 PM – 1:45 PM	Smarter Residential Methane Detection and Connected Networks	Marc Adams, New Cosmos USA Noelani McGadden, Senet/Netmore	Open
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	Case Study - Con Edison AMI Enabled Natural Gas Detector Program	Oscar Leon, Con Edison	Open
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
2:45 PM – 3:30 PM	NAPSR Board Meeting	NAPSR BOD	NAPSR Only
3:30 PM – 3:45 PM	Treasurer Update	David Levering (NE) NAPSR National Treasurer	NAPSR Only
3:45 PM – 4:45 PM	NAPSR Business Resolutions, Standing Committees, Task Group Updates, etc.	Kevin Speicher (NY) NAPSR National Chair	NAPSR Only
4:45 PM	Adjourn for the day		



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Wednesday – September 25, 2024			
Seneca Niagara Resort			
8:15 AM – 10:00 AM	PHMSA TQ Updates and Discussion Items	Lane Miller, Director, PHMSA TQ	NAPSR/PHMSA Only
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
10:15 AM – 12:00 PM	Regional Meeting Roundtable	NAPSR Regional Chairs	NAPSR Only
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM	PHMSA HQ Updates	Alan Mayberry, Deputy Associate Administrator, PHMSA	Open
2:00 PM – 2:30 PM	Buxus	Lindsay Sander, Sander Resources	Open
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
2:45 PM – 3:45 PM	AGA/APGA Roundtable	Andrew Lu and Alan Chichester, AGA; Erin Kurilla, APGA VP, Operations and Pipeline Safety	Open
3:45 PM – 4:30 PM	Excavator Training	Common Ground Alliance Erika Lee, CGA, VP Lisa O’Leary, CGA, Manager of Education & Programs Angeline Evans, D’Vinci Interactive, Client Solutions Consultant	Open
5:30 PM – 8:00 PM	Banquet		



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Thursday – September 26, 2024			
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8:15 AM – 9:00 AM	LDAR Leak Detection Panel Discussion	Paul Wehnert, Heath Consultants; Doug Ward, Picarro; Alnoor Ebrahim, Southern Cross; Jason Gu, Sensit	Open
9:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Plumber Training/Qualification	Robert Wilson – Northeast Gas Association	Open
9:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Leveraging Pipeline Data, Guidance, and Resources to Enhance Pipeline Safety	Erin McKay – That Compliance Lady	Open
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Break		
10:15 AM – 11:00 AM	Bill Caram	Pipeline Safety Trust	Open
11:00 AM – 12:00 PM	PHMSA AID	Chris Ruhl, PHMSA AID	Open
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	Lunch		
1:00 PM – 1:45 PM	PHMSA Regulations Updates	John Gale, PHMSA Standards and Rulemaking Division	Open
1:45 PM – 2:30 PM	PHMSA Damage Prevention DIMP Pilot Project	David Appelbaum, PHMSA	Open
2:30 PM – 2:45 PM	Break		Seneca Niagara Resort - TBD
2:45 PM – 3:45 PM	2024 NAPSR BOD Carry Over Items, Task Group Updates, etc.	NAPSR Board of Directors	NAPSR Only
3:45 PM – 4:30 PM	NAPSR Outlook for the 2024-25 Term	David Chislea (MI), NAPSR Incoming National Chairman	NAPSR Only
4:30 PM	Adjourn for the day		



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Friday – September 27, 2024 Seneca Niagara Resort			
8:00 AM – 2:30 PM	Closed Session NAPSR only	NAPSR Business Roundtable and Forum	NAPSR Only

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