



WESTERN REGIONAL MEETING 2019 - *Second Call*

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DATE: Sept 23-25, 2019 HOTEL PHONE: (360) 993-4500
LOCATION: Vancouver, WA
HOTEL ADDRESS: Hilton Hotel
301 West 6th Street, Vancouver, WA
United States

Plans are now being made for the 2019 Western Regional Meeting scheduled for Monday through Wednesday, September 23-25 at the Hilton in Vancouver, Washington. The program is being organized by a team of NCASI Staff with guidance from the West Coast Regional Committee.

Why attend NCASI's Regional Meetings

NCASI Regional Meetings are a "must-attend" for mill, forest landowner, and corporate environmental professionals, regardless of job experience. These meetings are the primary forums connecting NCASI technical studies to real-time issues impacting facilities and working forests. Regional Meetings also serve to highlight the breadth and depth of NCASI expertise and resources available to Member Companies. Attending the meeting is the best way to leverage this information toward solving operational issues.

Added Event: Networking Reception for First Time Attendees

On Monday evening NCASI will host a Networking Reception intended for professionals new to the forest products industry, their environmental roles, and/or first time Western Regional Meeting attendees. It will be an excellent opportunity to network with peers, NCASI staff members, and a few experienced industry EHS professionals. Information on NCASI resources and how to best leverage them will also be shared.

IT IS NCASI'S GOAL TO HAVE EVERY MEMBER OPERATING FACILITY REPRESENTED AT ONE OF THE REGIONAL MEETINGS

NCASI is an approved Continuing Professional Competency sponsor and can offer professional development credits to those attending this event. Requests for certification of attendance should be made through Carol Williams at cwilliams@ncasi.org or by calling (919) 941-6400.

For More Information Contact

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Payment Instructions

Credit Cards

If you plan to pay with a credit card you must pay [online](#). We cannot accept credit card payments at the meeting.

Checks

To pay by check, make check(s) payable to 'NCASI' and bring to the meeting or mail to:

NCASI
Attn: Karen Phelps
227 NW 3rd Street
Corvallis, OR 97330

Please include registrant(s) name(s) when paying by check.

Meeting registration will be exclusively online.
To register for the meeting click on the [Register Now](#) button.

Program - *Tentative*

Monday, September 23

Pre-Meeting Workshop - 1:00 - 4:30 PM

Considerations for the Development of Facility Air Toxics Emission Inventories

Networking/ New to Role Reception – 4:45-6:00 PM

Tuesday, September 24

General Session - 8:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

AF&PA: Past, Present and Future; Update on Priorities at EPA Region 10; Life at the Point of the Spear; A Retrospective on Science and Consulting in the Forest Products Industry; Introduction to PFAS and State and Federal Regulatory Activity; Less Forest, More Wood: Environmental Aspects of Wood Supply Constraints

Water Quality Technical Session - 1:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Water Regulatory Developments and Other Issues of Regional Interest; Water Quality Protection Program Priorities in Oregon and Washington; Planning and Compliance with Section 316(b) of the Clean Water Act in the Northwest; Willamette Basin Mercury TMDL: An Overview of Modeling and Analysis Methods; PFAS Sampling Guidance, Analytical Methods, and Matrices of Interest; Review of Metal and Metalloid Aquatic Life Criteria

Wood Products Technical Session - 1:30 PM - 5:30 PM

Update on EPA PCWP MACT Activities; PCWP Shadow Risk Evaluation and Analysis of EPA's RTR Proposal; Air Toxics Air Dispersion Modeling Scenarios for Wood Products Facilities; Control Measures and System Management for Minimizing COD in Stormwater; How to Tackle COD in Stormwater; Air Permitting Challenges for Wood Products Facilities; NCASI PM2.5 Data for Air Permitting at Wood Products Facilities

PFAS Poster Session and Open Reception, 5:00-7:30 PM

Wednesday, September 25

Sustainable Manufacturing Technical Session - 8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

Update on NCASI Sustainable Manufacturing and Climate Program; Update on Carbon Policy and Carbon Activity in the Northwest – Implications for the Forest Products Industry; Project Update: MIT-AF&PA Recovered Fiber Simulation Model; Perspectives on LCAs Comparing Paper and Plastics Products

Air Quality Technical Session - 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Update on the Washington Air Program; Update on the Oregon Air Program; Federal Update and NCASI Air Program Activities; Recent Experiences with Air Permitting in the Northwest; Cleaner Air Oregon Experiences; Advances in Particulate Matter Measurement; Secondary Ozone Modeling for Forest Product Industry Sources

Forestry Technical Sessions

Climate Change: Natural Variability, Extreme Events, and Implications for Forest Management - 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

The Role of Snow in the Spatial and Temporal Dynamics of Water Sources in the Snoqualmie River, Washington; Long-Term Effects of Forestry on Summer Baseflow at Mica Creek, Idaho; Climate Change Impacts on Soil Available Water Supply; Distinguishing Natural versus Management-Related Factors Influencing Sediment Loading to Streams Draining Redwood Forests; Climate-Smart Forest Management for Fish and Wildlife; Recovery of Fish Populations and Physical Channel Characteristics in Streams Impacted by Catastrophic Debris Flows; Fire in Forested Watersheds

Forest Carbon Inventory in the Pacific Northwest - 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

Forest Carbon in Oregon and Washington; Challenges in Modeling Forest Carbon Dynamics; Using FIA-TPO Mill Surveys to Support Carbon Inventories in the Pacific States

For Registration Information Contact

Karen Phelps (541) 249-3990 or kphelps@ncasi.org

Registration Fees

Full Meeting:

- \$275 for Members and Sustaining Members
- \$125 for Regulatory Agency Staff and Academics

Single Day Registrants:

- \$200 for Members and Sustaining Members
- \$75 for Regulatory Agency Staff and Academics

Workshop:

- Free for meeting registrants
- \$75 for workshop attendees NOT attending other paid meeting events

The registration fee is used to defray part of the costs of food, beverage, and meeting rooms. Fees are payable by credit card online, or by check at the meeting or mailed in advance to the West Coast Regional Center. We cannot accept credit card payments at the meeting.

Accommodations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Hilton in Vancouver. Room block rates start at \$154.00 plus taxes and fees for single or double. Valet parking is \$25/day and self parking is \$20/day in the hotel's underground parking facility. There is a public parking garage across the street for daytime use.

The cutoff date for reservations in NCASI's room block is Friday, August 23rd.

Making Reservations

Reservations can be made by calling the Hilton Vancouver at 1-360-993-4500, calling Hilton Reservations Worldwide at 1-800-HILTONS, or via its website prior to the cutoff date:

Booking Link:

<http://www.group.hilton.com/NationalCouncilForAirAndStreamImprovement>

Hotel: Hilton Vancouver Washington

Group Code: NCA

Group Name: National Council for Air & Stream Improvement

Sustaining Member Sponsorships and Conference Exhibit

NCASI invites its Sustaining Members to sponsor and/or exhibit at the Eastern Regional Meeting.

Sponsorship

Sustaining Members can support the meeting as Diamond or Platinum sponsors.

Exhibitor

Another wonderful opportunity for Sustaining Members is to highlight their technical expertise and capabilities with an exhibit.

Exhibits will be open throughout the meeting, giving exhibitors maximum exposure to meeting participants.

Sponsorship Levels and Exhibiting Fees:

- Diamond Sponsor - \$2,500 includes a 10'x10' exhibit space and recognition in meeting materials
- Platinum Sponsor - \$1,500 includes a 10'x10' exhibit space and recognition in meeting materials
- Display only - \$750 includes a 10'x10' exhibit space and listing in meeting materials



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