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Room W264
402 West Washington Street
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Indiana Department of Natural Resources

Indiana Department of Natural Resources
and
Indiana Department of Homeland Security
present



Operation Stay
Afloat 2010 —
Communicating...

Key to Successful Outcomes

March 9, 2010

8:00 am to 5:00 pm

**Indiana Government Center South
Conference Center
402 W. Washington Street
Indianapolis, IN 46204**



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Communicating...

A tremendous amount of knowledge is vital when confronting any major task that involves our environment and directly impacts our communities. Without good communication, opportunities can be lost –critical information left unknown, misunderstood, and/or confused.



Communicating... key to successful outcomes.

During Operation Stay Afloat 2010, presenters will communicate data in regards to our environment; demonstrate how communication provides improved cooperation and results during time of disaster and more successful outcomes for all involved; and, we will work together in a tabletop exercise, communicating the process and communicating with each other –challenging our thoughts, skills, and one another.

Speakers /Topics/Leaders

Speakers will include Lenore Tedesco, PhD, IUPUI Center for Earth and Environmental Science (Modification of Indiana's Hydrologic Cycle); Joanna Myers, City of Franklin (Post-Flood response to the 2008 Flood); and, DHS staff (Mitigation Grants). An afternoon mini tabletop flood exercise is also planned with all attendees participating in the activity.

Displays

During breaks, conference supporters will have displays staffed and ready to provide information to attendees.

Continuing Education Credits/Units

This conference has been pre-approved for 6.5 core CECs for Certified Floodplain Managers (CFMs). The conference meets the requirements for Professional Emergency Manager (PEM) CEC, too.

Location

The conference will be held in the Indiana Government Center South (IGCS) Conference Center, 402 W. Washington Street, Indianapolis. A registration table will be located in the atrium just outside the auditorium of the Conference Center.

Date/Time

March 9, 2010. The first session of the conference will begin at 8:30 am in the auditorium. The conference will conclude at approximately 5:00 pm. Registration/sign-in will begin at 7:30 am.

Parking

A limited number of public parking spaces are available in Garage 1 of the Government Center Parking Garage located just south of Washington Street, between West and Missouri streets. However, there are several nearby parking garages. Limited street parking is also available.

Go to www.in.gov/idoa/2373.htm to find maps for the conference center and downtown area, as well as parking information.

Registration

No registration fees are being charged for this conference. However, participants are responsible for their own lunch and any parking expenses. Please pre-register by contacting Anita Nance, Floodplain Management Section of the DNR Division of Water by one of the following methods by March 3, 2010.

- phone at 317-234-1110
- e-mail at anance@dnr.IN.gov
- fax at 317-233-4579 (fax this form)

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