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**2009 NATIONAL STATE LIAISON  
OFFICERS CONFERENCE  
PRESENTATIONS**

**August 18-19, 2009**



## **2009 NATIONAL STATE LIAISON OFFICERS CONFERENCE**

**Tuesday, August 18, 2009**

- 7:30 am-8:30 am Continental Breakfast and Registration
- 8:30 am-8:35 am Opening Commencement – National Anthem - Twana Ellis, NRC
- 8:35 am-8:45 am Welcome and Opening Remarks - Charles L. Miller, Ph.D., NRC
- 8:45 am-9:00 am Introduction/Meeting Logistics - Chip Cameron, NRC
- 9:00 am-9:30 am Keynote Address - Chairman Gregory Jaczko, Ph.D, NRC
- 9:30 am-10:00 am Role of National Science and Technology Council - Tammy Taylor, Ph.D., Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President
- 10:00 am-10:15 am Break
- 10:15 am-10:45 am Radiation Source Protection and Security Task Force Congressional Mandate and Status Report  
Charles L. Miller, Ph.D., NRC
- 10:45 am-11:15 am Role of Nuclear Government Coordinating Council - Craig Conklin, U.S. Department of Homeland Security
- 11:15 am-12:00 pm Partnering on the International Front - Margaret Doane, NRC and Cynthia Jones, Ph.D., NRC
- 12:00 pm-1:15 pm Lunch
- 1:15 pm-2:45 pm Nuclear Power Plant License Renewal Process; New Reactor Licensing and Construction Efforts; and External Safety Culture in the Reactor Oversight Program - Eric Leeds, NRC and Gary Holahan, NRC
- 2:45 pm-3:15 pm Open Discussion – State Economic Impact Upon NRC-Related Activities - Martin Virgilio, NRC
- 3:15 pm-3:30 pm Break
- 3:30 pm-4:45 pm Panel - Cooperation – Communication – Coordination - Chair: Mark Shaffer, NRC; Nancy McNamara, NRC; Doug Tiff, NRC, Allan Barker, NRC; and Bill Maier, NRC
- 5:30 pm Social Hour at “On-the-Rocks”, Bethesda North Marriott and Conference Center



**2009 NATIONAL STATE LIAISON OFFICERS CONFERENCE**  
**Wednesday, August 19, 2009**

- 7:00 am-7:45 am Continental Breakfast
- 7:45 am-7:50 am Welcome Back - Mark Shaffer, NRC
- 7:50-8:00 am Agenda and Meeting Logistics - Chip Cameron, NRC
- 8:00 am-8:45 am Panel: Emergency Response and Recovery - Patricia Milligan, NRC; Ella McNeil and Daniel Blumenthal, Ph.D., U.S. Department of Energy; and Sara DeCair, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- 8:45 am-9:30 am Panel: Outlook on Emergency Preparedness Rulemaking and Hostile Action-Based Drills Wayne Wylie, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Steve LaVie, NRC and James Anderson, NRC
- 9:30 am-10:15 am Information Security: Handling Requirements for Safeguards & Security - Related Documents and Updates on Cyber Security Efforts - Robert Norman, NRC and Scott Morris, NRC
- 10:15am-10:30 am Break
- 10:30 am-11:00 am Update on 2006 Reactor Tritium Contamination Issues - Richard Conatser, NRC
- 11:00 am-11:30 am Overview and Requirements for Reactor Decommissioning Funding Michael Dusaniwskyj, NRC
- 11:30 am-12:00 pm Panel: Native American Tribal Outreach and Interactions - Peter Maybee, U.S. Department of the Interior and Richard Turtill, NRC
- 12:00 pm-1:15 pm Lunch
- 1:15 pm-2:15 pm Panel: Cooperation with State Emergency Response Organization Officials - Melvyn Leach, NRC; Allan Barker, NRC; and Nancy Dragani, Ohio Emergency Management Agency
- 2:15 pm-3:00 pm Managing High-Level and Low-Level Waste - George Pangburn, NRC and Michael Weber, NRC
- 3:00 pm-3:15 pm Break
- 3:15 pm-4:15 pm Panel: NRC and Agreement State Activities and Priorities - Julia Schmitt, Organization of Agreement States and Robert Lewis, NRC
- 4:15 pm-4:45 pm Options to Revise NRC Radiation Protection Regulations and Guidance - Kimyata Morgan Butler, Ph.D., NRC
- 4:45 pm-5:00 pm Closing Remarks - Charles L. Miller, Ph.D., NRC
- 5:00 pm Meeting Adjourn - Chip Cameron, NRC