

**WESTERN STATES LAND COMMISSIONERS ASSOCIATION**  
**Summer Conference**  
**July 20-24, 2014**

**Sunday, July 20<sup>th</sup>**

<u>Event</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>End</u>	<u>Location</u>
Executive Committee Meeting	3:30 PM	4:30 PM	
WSLCA Strategic Plan and Budget Q&A	4:30 PM	6:00 PM	Radisson
Welcome Reception	6:30 PM	8:30 PM	Inn
Informal Networking - Hospitality Suite	8:00 PM	11:00 PM	

**Monday, July 21<sup>st</sup>**

<u>Event</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>End</u>	<u>Location</u>
Breakfast - Bus to Capitol	7:30 AM	7:45 AM	18th Floor Cafeteria
Roll Call	8:30 AM	11:30 AM	Senate Chambers
Washington DC Update	11:30 AM	12:00 PM	
Lunch	12:15 PM	1:30 PM	ND Heritage Center
"Trust Matters" Panel Discussion <i>Speakers: CLASS, RVK, Common Fund, Commissioner</i>	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	
Clean Water Act overview <i>Lead-in to Submerged &amp; Waterway Committee focus &amp; discussion</i>	3:00 PM	3:15 PM	
ND Heritage Center Self-Guided Tours	3:15 PM	3:45 PM	
Bus to Hotel	3:45 PM	4:00 PM	
Break	4:00 PM	4:15 PM	
<b>Concurrent Committee Meetings</b>	4:15 PM	5:15 PM	
Asset Management (Tobin Follenweider - CO)			Radisson
Legislative (Larry Laine - TX)			Inn
Communications (Dawn Efaw - TX)			
Submerged Lands & Water (Rick Thompson - AZ)			
WSLCA Olympics	5:30 PM	6:30 PM	Radisson Inn
Dinner on Your Own	6:30 PM	--	Downtown
Informal Networking - Hospitality Suite	8:00 PM	11:00 PM	Radisson Inn

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Breakfast	7:30 AM	8:30 AM	
BLM Roundtable Discussion <i>Speaker: Mike Nedd, AD-Minerals &amp; Realty Management</i>	8:00 AM	8:30 AM	
The Bakken-Reshaping North Dakota's Horizon <i>Speaker: Lynn Helms, Director of ND Oil &amp; Gas Division</i>	8:30 AM	9:15 AM	Radisson Inn
Lignite-North Dakota's Black Diamond <i>Speaker: Jason Bohrer, President and CEO Lignite Energy Council</i>	9:15 AM	10:00 AM	
Break	10:00 AM	10:15 AM	
Developing Successful Land & Minerals Management Systems on Time and on Budget <i>Speaker: Ben Binder, PE, PLS, MBA, Digital Design Group</i>	10:15 AM	11:00 AM	
EIA forecasts on tight oil production, development trends, infrastructure expansions & potential emerging markets for natural gas consumption <i>Speaker: John Krohn, Energy Information Administration</i>	11:00 AM	12:00 Noon	Radisson Inn
Affiliate Luncheon	12:00 PM	1:30 PM	
<b>SURFACE MANAGEMENT EDUCATION</b>			
<b>(concurrent)</b>			
Total Recall: Data Collection and LiDAR (Light Detection and Ranging) <i>Speaker: Kevin Martin, Bartlett &amp; West</i>	1:30 PM	2:00 PM	Radisson Inn
Ongoing Litigation and the Endangered Species Act <i>Speaker: Roger Kelley, Continental Resources, Inc.</i>	2:00 PM	2:45 PM	Radisson Inn
Sage Grouse Recovery & Impact on Western States <i>Speaker: Aaron Robinson, ND Game and Fish Department</i>	2:45 PM	3:05 PM	
Impacts of Oil & Gas Development on Sharp-tailed Grouse Nest Success & Predator Dynamics in Western ND <i>Speaker: Paul C. Burr, University of North Dakota</i>	3:05 PM	3:25 PM	Radisson Inn
Impacts of Oil Development on Grassland Birds in North Dakota <i>Speaker: Sarah J. Thompson, United States Geological Survey/Northern Plains Wildlife Research Center</i>	3:25 PM	3:45 PM	

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**Tuesday, July 22 (Cont.)**

**ROYALTY MANAGEMENT EDUCATION**

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Advantages in Automated Systems in Royalty Compliance <i>Speaker: Ben Binder, Digital Design Group</i>	1:30 PM	2:00 PM	Radisson Inn
Current Royalty Topics <i>Speaker: Dale Sump, Manager Minerals Audit, Texas General Land Office</i>	2:00 PM	2:45 PM	
Royalty Round Table Discussion	2:45 PM	3:45 PM	
CLASS - Education Meetings	3:15 PM	5:00 PM	Radisson Inn
<b>Concurrent Committee Meetings</b> Sub-surface Lands (Louis Renaud - TX) Surface and Land Tenure (Jim Adams - AZ) Legal (John Andrews - UT)	4:00 PM	5:00 PM	Radisson Inn
WSLCA Business Meeting	5:00 PM	6:00 PM	
Transport to 1603 Events Center/Social Dinner	6:30 PM		1603 Event Center
Casino Mixer	7:00 PM		
Casino Mixer	8:00 PM		
Informal Networking - Hospitality Suite	9:00 PM	11:00 PM	Radisson Inn

**Wednesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>**

<u>Event</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>End</u>	
Breakfast	7:30 AM	8:00 AM	Radisson Inn
Board Bus for Energy Tour of Western N.D.	8:00 AM		Radisson Inn
Coal Stop – BNI Mine	8:45 AM		Center, ND
Target Logistics – Lunch and Tour Man Camp	12:30 PM		Killdeer, ND
Dickinson/Refinery/Transload Facility	1:30 PM		Dickinson, ND
Whiting Rig Visit	3:15 PM		Dickinson, ND
Transportation Swap	4:45 PM		Belfield, ND
One bus goes on to Medora; the other heads back to Bismarck			

**For participants who may want to pass on the energy tour but join the group in Medora for the evening, transportation leaves Bismarck at 2:45 PM**

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