

FINAL AGENDA

Missouri River Association of States and Tribes (MoRAST)

March 22-23 2012 Meeting

Holiday Inn KCI & Expo Center, 11730 N Ambassador Drive, Kansas City, MO 64153
Telephone: (816)891-7694 (Please see page 2 for registration and logistical information)

March 22, 2012

- 1:00 p.m. MoRAST meeting convenes: Welcome, Introductions, opening comments and review of agenda - Todd Sando Chairman
- 1:15 p.m. Opening remarks Army Corps of Engineers - Erik Blechinger
- 1:25 p.m. Omaha District Report USACE - Col. Robert Ruch, Commander Omaha District
- 1:50 p.m. Kansas City District Report USACE
- 2:15 p.m. 2012 Missouri River Water Management plan - Mike Swenson
- 2:40 p.m. 2012 Corps budget and 2013 Budget Recommendations - Steve Fisher
- 3:00 p.m. Break
- 3:45 p.m. Science needs relative to the 2011 Missouri River Flooding - Mark Anderson
USGS
- 4:15 p.m. Report of the MoRAST Technical Committee -
- 5:30 p.m. Reception honoring David Pope
- 7:00 p.m. Recess for the evening

March 23, 2012:

- 9:00 a.m. Report on current climate issues in the Missouri River Basin - Doug Kluck
NOAA
- 9:20 a.m. Report on the 2011 flooding impacts on tribal people and tribal lands - Tribal
Representatives
- 9:45 a.m. WAPA Programmatic EIS on Wind Power - Nick Stas
- 10:00 a.m. Break
- 10:15 a.m. MoRAST business meeting - Chairman Todd Sando
1. Approval of the minutes
 2. Treasurer's report
 3. Executive Director's report
 4. Action on the technical committee report
 5. New Business
 6. Old Business
 7. Next meeting date and location
 8. Adjourn business meeting
- 12:00 p.m. State, Tribal and Federal Agency Reports
- 1:00 p.m. Adjournment

Logistics: MoRAST meeting on March 22-23, 2012:

Hotel Information: The meeting will be held at the Holiday Inn KCI & Expo Center, 11730 N Ambassador Drive, Kansas City, MO 64153. Call the Holiday Inn reservation department directly at 1-800-957-4654 for reservations. A block of sleeping rooms has been reserved. Please identify MoRAST as the group block to get this rate. **The reservation deadline has passed, but rooms may still be available at this rate for our group**

There is no registration fee required for attending the MoRAST meeting, **but advance notice of attendance is requested** so we can make adequate plans for meeting arrangements, break refreshments, etc. Please let us know if you plan to attend by March 16. Please provide notice of your name and affiliation by e-mail to Mike.Hayden@mo-rast.org, so that we can have nametags for all participants.