



2024 FALL CONFERENCE

AGENDA

Tuesday, September 10

- Noon Silica Compliance Task Force Meeting - **EMA Office, 3101 Wilson Blvd., Arlington, VA**
- 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. Executive Committee Meeting - EMA Office
- 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Opening Reception - EMA Office

Wednesday, September 11

- 7:30 a.m. Registration Opens - **Capitol Visitor Center, SVC 209-08**
- 7:30 - 8:00 a.m. Continental Breakfast - Capitol Visitor Center, SVC 209-208
- 8:00 - 8:30 a.m. David Bernhardt, former Interior Secretary
- 8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Steve Sawyer, NIOSH Mine Safety & Health Technology Innovations Award Presentation
- 9:00 - 9:30 a.m. Billy Bob Brown, Jr., Executive Assistant Director for Emergency Communications
Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency
in conversation with Erik Dullea, Chair of Husch Blackwell's Cybersecurity Practice
- 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. Senator Joe Manchin (I-WV)
- 10:15 - 10:40 a.m. Senator Cynthia Lummis (R-WY)
- 10:45 - 11:15 Rep. Buddy Carter (R-GA)
- 11:30 - Noon Ashley Zumwalt-Forbes, Deputy Director for Batteries & Critical Minerals, U.S. Department
of Energy
- Noon - 12:30 p.m. Sarah Ryker, Ph.D., Associate Director for Energy and Mineral Resources, USGS
- 12:30 - 5:00 p.m. Grab & Go Lunch, Hill Visits
- 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Reception, Energy & Commerce Committee Hearing Room, 2123 Rayburn House Office
House Office Building

Thursday, September 12

- 7:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast - **902 Hart Senate Building**
- 8:30 - 9:15 a.m. Michael Sussman, CEO, OnTrackNorthAmerica
- 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. Robert Primus, Chairman, Surface Transportation Board
- 10:30 - 11:00 a.m. Ashley Wiand, Manager, Technical Committee Operations, ASTM
- 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Lunch Break/Hill Visits
- 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. Rep. Harriet Hageman (R-WY)
- 1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Hill Visits
- 3:00 p.m. Meeting concludes