



2018 Annual Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, 19 June

- 8:00am – 4:00pm: ACIS Workshop (*Separate Registration*)
- 5:00pm – 8:00pm: Registration Pickup & AASC Icebreaker – *Lied Lodge Lounge*

Wednesday, 20 June

- 6:30am – 8:00am: Breakfast in Lodge Dining Room (cost included with meeting registration)
- 8:00am – 8:15am: Host Welcome & Orientation – *Martha Shulski, NE SC*
- 8:15am – 8:25am: Attendee Introductions
- 8:25am – 8:45am: AASC President Welcome – *Hope Mizzell, AASC President*
- 8:45am – 9:05am: Minnesota State Climate Report – *Luigi Romolo, MN SC*
- 9:05am – 9:25am: Mississippi State Climate Report – *Mike Brown, MS SC*
- 9:25am – 10:00am: Executive Director's Report – *Glenn Kerr, AASC Executive Director*
- 10:00am – 10:30am: **Coffee Break**
- 10:30am – 10:45am: AASC Open Business Meeting – *Hope Mizzell, AASC President*
- 10:45am – 11:00am: Treasurer's Report – *David Zierden, AASC Treasurer*
- 11:00am – 11:15am: ARSCO Committee Report – *Mike Anderson, ARSCO Coordinator*
- 11:15am – 11:55am: Constitutional Update Proposals & Discussion – *Glenn Kerr, Executive Director*
- 11:55am – 12:10pm: Nominations for Treasurer – *AASC Nominating Committee & Floor*
- 12:10pm – 1:00pm: – **AASC Awards Luncheon**
- 1:00pm – 1:30pm: Dissertation Award & Research Presentation – *Jase Bernhardt, Award Winner*
- 1:30pm – 1:50pm: Interactions with State Agencies: Recent Examples from Washington – *Karin Bumbaco & Nick Bond, WA SCO*
- 1:50pm – 2:10pm: Stalling Tropical Cyclones – *John Nielsen-Gammon, TX SC*
- 2:10pm – 2:30pm: Northern Plains Drought – *Laura Edwards, SD SC*
- 2:30pm – 2:45pm: Evidence for a Volcanic Underpinning of the Atlantic Multi-decadal Oscillation – *Sean Birkel, ME SC*
- 2:45pm – 3:00pm: Alaska Climate Report – *Lea Hartl, AK Climate Research Center*
- 3:00pm – 3:30pm: **Coffee Break**
- 3:30pm – 4:00pm: ER, NWS, NCEI Joint Service Delivery – *Ellen Mecray, RCSD, Eastern Region*
- 4:00pm – 4:15pm: Michigan State Climate Report – *Jeff Andresen, MI SC*
- 4:15pm – 4:30pm: Illinois State Climate Report – *Jim Angel, IL SC*
- 4:30pm – 4:45pm: Colorado State Climate Report – *Becky Bolinger, CO Asst SC*
- 4:45pm – 5:00pm: Ohio State Climate Report – *Jim DeGrand, OH Asst SC*
- 6:00pm – 9:30pm: **AASC Social Activities:** Morton Mansion Tour, Bowling
Pool, sauna, spa, trails also available



2018 Annual Meeting Agenda

Thursday, 21 June

- 6:30am – 8:00am: Breakfast in Lodge Dining Room (cost included with meeting registration)
- 8:00am – 8:10am: Welcome to Day Two – *Glenn Kerr, AASC Executive Director*
- 8:10am – 8:30am: PRISM Update – *Chris Daly, Director, PRISM Climate Group*
- 8:30am – 8:45am: California State Climate Report – *Mike Anderson, CA SC*
- 8:45am – 9:05am: Sub-hourly Tools – *Jonathan Weaver, MRCC*
- 9:05am – 9:20am: Alabama State Climate Report – *John Christy, AL SC*
- 9:20am – 9:40am: Climate Change Research: Nighttime Temperatures & Arlo Richardson
– *Elwynn Taylor, IA Asst SC*
- 9:40am – 10:00am: Bi-national Development of an Annual Climate Trends & Impacts Summary
– *B.J. Baule, MI SCO*
- 10:00am – 10:30am: **Coffee Break / Poster Session**
- 10:30am – 10:45am: NWS Partnership Update – *Fiona Horsfall, Liaison to AASC*
- 10:45am – 11:15am: AASC Business: Discussion & Voting on Constitutional Update Proposals
– *Glenn Kerr, AASC Executive Director*
- 11:15am – 11:30am: South Alabama Mesonet & Sea Breezes in the Mobile Bay Area
– *Sytske Kimball, Director, South AL Mesonet*
- 11:30am – 11:45am: The Delaware Weather Hazards Index (DWHI) – *Dan Leathers & Kevin Brinson, DE SCO*
- 11:45am – 12:00pm: Missouri/Midwest Mesonet Work on Inversion Monitoring – *Pat Guinan, MO SCO*
- 12:00pm – 1:30pm: – **Regions Luncheon**
- 1:30pm – 3:00pm: National Climate Assessment 4.0: Panel – *David Reidmiller, Jim Angel, Lesley-Ann Dupigny-Giroux, John Nielsen-Gammon, Martha Shulski, Barry Keim*
- 3:00pm – 3:30pm: **Coffee Break**
- 3:30pm – 3:45pm: Measurement Innovation in Montana Mesonet – *Kelsey Jencso, MT SC*
- 3:45pm – 4:10pm: National Mesonet Program Update – *Dave Robinson, NJ SC; Dave DuBois, NM SC (tentative); Sytske Kimball, South AL Mesonet (tentative)*
- 4:10pm – 4:25pm: Georgia Mesonet – *Pam Knox, Interim Director, UGA Georgia Weather Network*
- 4:25pm – 4:40pm: Communication Lessons Learned – *Chip Redmond, KS SCO*
- 4:40pm – 4:55pm: Mesonet Update & Midwest Mesonet Consortium – *Stu Foster, KY SC & Kevin Brinson, DE Asst SC*
- 4:55pm – 5:10pm: Nebraska Mesonet Funding Story – *Stonie Cooper, NE SCO*
- 5:10pm – 5:25pm: Kentucky Mesonet Funding Story – *Stu Foster, KY SC*
- AASC Banquet** – *All Activities in/around Lied Lodge Historic Barn*
- 6:00pm – 7:00pm: Reception
- 7:00pm – 8:00pm: Banquet
- 8:00pm – 8:30pm: Keynote: Mary Harner – Photography of the Great Plains
- 8:30pm – 9:30pm: Bonfire



2018 Annual Meeting Agenda

Friday, 22 June

- 6:30am – 8:00am: Breakfast in Lodge Dining Room (cost included with meeting registration)
- 8:00am – 8:10am: Welcome to Day Three – *Adnan Akyuz, AASC President-Elect*
- 8:10am – 8:30am: Drought and the Pasture Range and Forage Program – *Michael Ciliege, Kirk Allen & Cody Lovercamp, USDA Risk Management Agency*
- 8:30am – 8:45am: Urban Climate – *Dev Nyogi, IN SC*
- 8:45am – 9:00am: Wisconsin Climate Services Summit Meeting – *John Young, WI SC*
- 9:00am – 10:00am: Tribal Engagement on Climate Issues – *Doug Kluck, RCSD Midwest Region (moderator); Crystal Stiles, HPRCC; B.J. Baules, MI SCO ; Mary Knapp, KS Asst SC; Henry Reges, CO SCO*
- 10:00am – 10:30am: **Coffee Break**
- 10:30am – 10:50am: NCEI Partnership Update & User Engagement Project – *Mike Brewer, Chief, Customer Engagement & Tami Houston, Liaison to AASC*
- 10:50am – 11:10am: ACIS-based GIS Data Retrieval Portal – *Natalie Umphlett, Interim Director, HPRCC; Warren Pettee, William Sorensen & Crystal Stiles, HPRCC*
- 11:10am – 11:25am: Disease & Human Health – *Sean Heuser, NC SCO*
- 11:25am – 11:40am: CoCoRaHS Update, *Henry Reges, CoCoRaHS National Coordinator*
- 11:40am – 11:55am: South Carolina State Climate Report – *Hope Mizzell, SC SC*
- 11:55am – 12:05pm: Looking Ahead to 2019 AASC Annual Meeting – *Mike Anderson, CA SCO*
- 12:05pm – 12:20pm: Outgoing AASC President's Comments – *Hope Mizzell, AASC President*
- 12:20pm – 12:30pm: Passing of Scepter to Incoming AASC President & Closing of Meeting – *Adnan Akyuz, AASC President*
- 2018 AASC Annual Meeting Closed –**
- 12:30pm – 1:30pm: Box Lunch Available in Lodge Dining Room (cost included with meeting registration)