

Draft Agenda

National Association of Development Organizations (NADO) and Development District Association of Appalachia (DDAA)

Washington Conference March 12-15, 2023
Crystal Gateway Marriott | Arlington, VA

Sunday, March 12, 2023

10:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Registration

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. NADO Research Foundation Advisory Committee Meeting - **NADO**

1:00 – 3:00 p.m. DDAA Executive Board Meeting - **DDAA**

1:00 – 3:00 p.m. NADO Executive Committee Meeting - **NADO**

3:30 – 5:30 p.m. NADO Board of Directors Meeting - **NADO**

5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Opening Reception

6:30 – 8:00 p.m. DDAA Dinner Banquet – **DDAA**

Monday, March 13, 2023

NOTE: Concurrent sessions on Monday are open to attendees from either NADO or DDAA. Session topics are listed by organization for their relevance to their respective members.

7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Registration

7:45 – 9:00 a.m. DDAA Breakfast and Annual Business Meeting - **DDAA**

9:15 – 10:30 a.m. Opening Plenary Session

10:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

Breakout A: NADO

Breakout B: NADO

Breakout C: DDAA

Breakout D: Joint

12:15 – 1:30 p.m. Plenary Luncheon

1:45 – 3:00 p.m. Concurrent Sessions

Breakout A: NADO

Breakout B: NADO

Breakout C: DDAA

Breakout D: Joint

3:30 – 4:30 p.m. Regional Chapter Meetings

4:30 – 6:00 p.m. Federal Agency Networking Event

Tuesday, March 14, 2023

8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Registration

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. DDAA Networking Breakfast- **DDAA**

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Plenary Session

10:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Hill Visits (on your own) - **NADO**

NOTE: Attendees are encouraged to spend this open block of time on Capitol Hill educating your members of Congress about your work. Hill visits are self-directed. If you need help securing contact information for Hill staffers and schedulers, please contact Jamie McCormick at jmccormick@nado.org. Please note that Congress may not be in session the week of March 12, 2023, however this event still lends a great opportunity to spend time on Capitol Hill and meet with Hill staffers. The Congressional calendar will be released in early 2023.

10:30 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Concurrent Breakout Sessions - **DDAA**

Breakout A: DDAA

Breakout B: DDAA

11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m. Lunch on your own

1:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. Concurrent Breakout Sessions – **DDAA**

Breakout A: DDAA

Breakout B: DDAA

3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Concurrent Breakout Sessions - **DDAA**

Breakout A: DDAA

Breakout B: DDAA

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Reception

Wednesday, March 15, 2023

8:00 – 10:00 a.m. Registration

8:30 – 9:45 a.m. Plenary Breakfast

10:00 – 11:00 a.m. Closing Plenary Session

12:00 – 5:00 p.m. Post-conference training for the Economic Development District Community of Practice – *Separate registration required*