



ANNOUNCING THE 21ST ANNUAL ASSOCIATION OF MONTANA FLOODPLAIN MANAGERS (AMFM) FLOODPLAIN CONFERENCE

Hilton Garden Inn | Kalispell, MT | March 11th – 13th, 2020

You are cordially invited to participate in the 20th Annual Association of Montana Floodplain Managers (AMFM) Conference, the premier floodplain management convention in Montana! The conference will include presentations, technical workshops, training sessions and exhibits in a variety of areas. Please review the following announcement for detailed workshop information.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Each individual from your agency or organization planning to attend the workshop must complete a separate registration. Registrations can be completed online at www.mtfloods.org. Full registration fees include all conference materials, break refreshments and evening social events.

As a token of our appreciation towards our membership, there will be a general membership luncheon provided on Thursday. This lunch is included with your paid membership fee (which is separate from your conference registration fee). You can, as a non-member attend the luncheon for an additional fee (see registration for details). It is very important to indicate on your registration if you plan on attending.

Registration fees may be paid through our website in advance or at the workshop registration table. Checks should be made payable to AMFM. Sorry, there will be no refunds for cancelled registrations. The registration fee will be waived for one presenter of each selected abstract.

HOTEL/RESERVATION INFORMATION

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CONFERENCE LOCATION & FACILITIES

The conference will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn, located at 1840 Hwy 93 South, Kalispell, MT 59901.

A block of rooms has been reserved from Tuesday, March 10th through Thursday March 12th, 2019. Rooms are available at a state rate of \$89 Single & Double Occupancy; all rates are subject to Montana State Lodging Tax (7%) and the TBID Fee (\$1.00/night).

Special AMFM Rates for the Room Block will be released by February 11th, 2020.

Reservations are available by calling the hotel reservation line at (406) 756-4500 and identifying yourself as part of the Association of Montana Floodplain Managers (AMFM) to receive the blocked rate.

CFM REVIEW & EXAM INFORMATION

The Certified Floodplain Manager (CFM) Review Session and Exam will be offered as a Pre-Conference Session on Tuesday, March 10th. The Review Session will take place from 1:00PM to 4:00PM and the exam will be from 5:00PM to 9:00PM. Anyone can attend the Review Session without taking the exam. If you plan to take the CFM Exam, you MUST complete and submit an application to ASFPM at least two weeks before the exam date.

Please be aware that the ASFPM application and fees are to be submitted to ASFPM and not AMFM. The AMFM sponsored review session is complimentary for those who register to attend the entire workshop.

CFM Exam Application and information are available at www.floods.org CFM's are typically granted 12 credit hours for the entire conference. Certificates of attendance will be emailed to attendees who have registered and attended the entire conference. AMFM will report CEC's directly to ASFPM to ensure CFM's receive proper CFM credit for workshop attendance.

EXHIBITOR & SPONSOR INFORMATION

Sponsoring is a great way to get your company recognized and market your services/products to floodplain professionals.

Exhibitors/sponsors will be acknowledged in the conference binders, on the AMFM website and with a formal acknowledgment throughout the conference. An 8ft table will be set up for your agency/organization in the refreshment/social night areas during the conference. Setup will open Tuesday March 10th at 1:00 PM; take down to be completed by 11:00 AM on Friday March 13th.

Each Exhibitor/Sponsor is required to provide representation SWAG for the presenter bags (minimum 50 pieces).

There are four sponsorship levels available:

- BASE FLOOD ELEVATION (BFE) \$350
- FREEBOARD \$650
- HIGH AND DRY \$1,000
- NO ADVERSE IMPACT \$2,000

To become an exhibitor/sponsor, visit our website for full details of sponsorship levels and costs. Register & pay to be an exhibitor/sponsor on the Conference Registration tab located on our website at www.mtfloods.org – Deadline is March 5th.

See You in Kalispell in March 2020!