



PNWS-AWWA 2011 Conference Report - Spring Trustee's Meeting

May 2010

Planning for the 2011 conference is in progress.

* The 2011 conference in Boise, ID is scheduled May 3-6 (Tuesday – Friday).

* The Boise Centre, the Grove Plaza, the Qwest Arena, the Grove Hotel (and all 6 Terrace Suites for hospitality suites) and Hampton Inn are booked for the conference. In addition, we have booked rooms with Hotel 43 bringing our peak night to 320. Here are the current blocked rooms:

	<u>5/2</u>	<u>5/3</u>	<u>5/4</u>	<u>5/5</u>	<u>5/6</u>
Grove Hotel:	25	100	150	150	140
Hampton Inn & Suites Boise:		60	90	90	50
Hotel 43		20	80	80	20

*Our theme and logo are now final - “Just Add Water _ A Recipe for Life.”

*The Local Arrangements Committee for the 2011 conference meets once a month. There is a chair for each sub-area of the conference. Our first draft budget is attached.

*The Boise Centre estimates enough room for 84 vendors. We are currently looking at various arrangements in the convention center to accommodate the vendors.

*In honor of celebrating fun night on May 5, 2011, the committee is considering a Cinco de Mayo theme.

*For our keynote speaker, we contacted Kristin Armstrong, Olympic gold medalist in cycling, and she is available and within our price range.

*We have booth space at the 2010 conference highlighting and encouraging people to attend the 2011 conference.

*An advertising push will begin after the Tacoma conference. Since part of Idaho belongs to the Intermountain Section, we have asked the section for permission and access to their member list.

Respectfully Submitted,

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