Monday, November 13, 2023

Attendee Registration & Reception—Gateway Ballroom, Crowne Plaza

- Welcome Reception – [5:00 – 7:00PM]

Tuesday, November 14, 2023

- Welcome & Introductory Remarks – [8:00-8:30AM]
  Presenters: Central U.S. Earthquake Consortium (CUSEC) Executive Director Brian Blake, Missouri Department of Commerce, and Insurance (MO DCI) Director Chlora Lindley-Myers, National Association of Insurance Commissioners Acting Chief Executive Officer Andrew Beal

- Overview of Earthquake Science and Tools to Assess the Risk – [8:30-9:45AM]
  What is known about the science of earthquake? What resources and tools are available to assess the risk?
  Presenters: Thomas Pratt (U.S. Geological Survey—USGS), Megan Zimmerman (Verisk)

  NETWORKING BREAK [9:45-10:00AM]

- Coordination for Effective Risk Management Strategies – [10:00-11:00AM]
  What stakeholders play a role in risk management? How can coordination and collaboration before disasters lead to better resilience strategies and improved outcomes following an event?
  Moderator: Alan McClain (Arkansas Department of Commerce, Insurance Department)
  Presenters: Andrea Spillars (Federal Emergency Management Agency—FEMA), Jim Remillard (Missouri State Emergency Management Agency—SEMA), Director Chlora Lindley-Myers (MO DCI), Harold Magistrale (FM Global)
• **Consumer Messaging and Risk Awareness Research – [11:00AM-12:00PM]**
  Do people living in the Missouri region of the New Madrid Seismic Zone understand their risk? What are some possible reasons that people choose not to purchase insurance for earthquakes?
  Presenters: Lori Croy (MO DCI), Brenda Rourke (National Association of Insurance Commissioners—NAIC)

**LUNCH BREAK [12:00-1:00PM]**

• **Insurance Initiatives for Community Resilience – [1:00-2:15PM]**
  How is a mitigation program established? What are the most common challenges and how can lessons learned be applied in other states?
  Moderator: Jeff Briggs (Missouri Emergency Management Agency—MO EMA),
  Presenters: Cynthia Amann (MO DCI), Brian Powell (Alabama Department of Insurance),
  Daniel Kaniewski (Marsh McLennan)

• **Public-Private Partnerships for Community Resilience – [2:15-3:00PM]**
  What public-private partnerships exist to transfer natural catastrophe risk for governmental entities?
  Presenters: Commissioner Alexander S. Adams Vega (Puerto Rico Office of the Commissioner of Insurance), Katie Sabo (Aon)

**NETWORKING BREAK – [3:00-3:15PM]**

• **Innovative Risk Transfer Solutions – [3:15-4:45PM]**
  What innovative risk transfer solutions have been proposed by the (re)insurance industry to support earthquake resilience?
  Moderator: John Huff (Association of Bermuda Insurers and Reinsurers—ABIR)
  Presenters: Christopher Sykes (Guy Carpenter), Philippe Brahin (Swiss Re), Alton Byrd (Aon)

• **Wrap-Up & Concluding Remarks – [4:45-5:00PM]**

Note: The Central U.S. Earthquake Consortium will host additional meetings for member states on November 15.