



September 10, 2025 –Minutes NORFMA Board Meeting

Attendees:

- ☒ Christina Wollman, Chair
- ☒ Lynn Schmidt, Vice Chair
- ☒ Brynne Walker, Secretary
- ☒ Michelle Gilbert, Treasurer
- ☒ Brandon Hobbs, Idaho Rep
- ☒ Andrew Giles, British Columbia Rep
- ☐ Nicole Henson, Washington Rep
- ☒ Melissa Jenck, Oregon Rep
- ☐ Harmony Curtis, Alaska Rep

Other Attendees:

- ☒ Deanna Horton, Conference Chair
- ☐ Deanna Wright, Oregon NFIP Coordinator
- ☒ John Velimesis
- ☒ Peter Jackson, Idaho NFIP Coordinator
- ☒ Leni Crow, Oregon Floodplain Group

AGENDA:

- **Review and approve meeting minutes from August 13, 2025**
- Michelle moved to approve meeting minutes and Lynn seconded it. Meeting minutes approved for August.
- **Officers' Reports**
 - **Chair: Nothing to report**
 - **Vice-Chair: Nothing to report**
 - **Secretary: Nothing to report**
 - **Treasurer: Nothing to report**
- **Committee/Group Updates**
 - **Training:** Training committee met last month and it was discussed doing a map focused training in December with the three state coordinators (Dec 11); still looking to see if Star could help us with trainings. Hec Ras training maybe virtually in the future. Perhaps bring this topic up at the conference.
 - **Conference:**
 - 191 registrations
 - Very late registration? Event registration: Late registration will start Monday September 15th
- Should consider having a venue similar to Seaside in the future since we are saving by not having the conference at a hotel.



- 10 single day registrations
- Wednesday caterer will get paid on Thursday
- We need to figure out the closing plenary session: Christina will ask about ASFPM rep to talk at our conference next year in Boise.

- Idaho: Will have regular meeting next Thursday. Continue to have good participation in this group
- Oregon: Nothing to report
- CRS: User group meeting will be at the conference. The 2025 manual was released so will send out to the users group.
- **Business Items:**
 - Elections update: Melissa Jenck will be leaving us as Oregon Rep and Toby will be the new Oregon rep.
 - Approve chair signature on contract for Boise 2026
 - Contract and draft budget attached.
 - Estimate cost = \$550 pp when planning for 180 attendees

Tuesday event will be in their outdoor space.

Lynn made a Motion to authorize chair signature for the Boise conference. Michelle seconded it.