

2010 WACD Annual Meeting Activities at a Glance

Monday, November 29, 2010

11:00 am – 7:00 pm	Registration
12:00 am – 3:00 pm	WACD Officers and Directors Meeting
3:00 pm – 5:00 pm	WACD Plant Materials Center Meeting

Tuesday, November 30, 2010

7:00 am – 8:30 am	Leadership Breakfast
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Registration
9:00 am – 10:15 am	Opening Ceremonies and Keynote Special Guest: Robert Apodaca, Assistant Chief, Natural Resources Conservation Service
10:30 am – Noon	“Governance Issues – Policy and Procedure”
Noon – 1:30 pm	WACD Special Luncheon – “Western Conservation Issues & You” Special Guest: Yeni Tran, Western Issues Specialist, Natural Resources Conservation Service
2:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Resolution Committee Breakouts
4:00 pm – 5:00 pm	WACD Committee Meetings
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	WACD Environmental Education Auction featuring the 2010 Applesauce Cup – WACD Battle of Cougs vs Dawgs

Wednesday, December 1, 2010

7:00 am – 8:30 am	WADE Breakfast and Panel “How to Survive and Thrive During Tough Times”
8:30 am – 5:00 pm	Registration
8:30 am – 10:00 am	Concurrent Sessions Include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Forestry Management Issues, Districts, and the Landowner• Livestock Issues – Current processes, programs, and projects, plus technical proficiency achievement• Roles and Responsibilities of Local, State, and National Associations and Partners• Employee Policy – Issues and solutions for items that can make or break an organization• Capacity Building through Partnerships, including NRCS Agreements, Task Orders, and TSP

Wednesday, December 1, 2010 (continued)

10:15 am – Noon	Concurrent Sessions Include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Working with the Media – techniques for communicating effectively and credibly and building trust with elected officials and the public• Legal and Fiduciary Responsibilities for New and Experienced Supervisors• An Alphabet of Farm Bill Program Round Table – an interactive, hands-on session!• NRCS Resource Assessment Process and Local Work Groups Plus: Cultural Resources Today• Conservation Easements – What You Must Know
Noon – 1:30 pm	WACD Awards Luncheon
2:00 pm – 5:00 pm	WACD Business Meeting
6:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Partnership Social featuring “Wines of Washington”
7:00 pm	WACD Awards Banquet Special Performance by David Ferrell, Renowned Comedian

Thursday, December 2, 2010

7:00 am – 8:00 am	Pastries and Coffee
8:00 am	WACD Business Meeting
10:00 am	Washington State Conservation Commission Meeting