



2026 NFA Annual Conference
March 15-17, 2026
Doubletree Paradise Valley Resort | Scottsdale, AZ

Planned Conference Program

Sunday, March 15	
5:30 - 7:00pm	Opening Reception/Networking Event - All Attendees & Paid Guests

Monday, March 16	
8:30 - 8:50am	Welcome & NFA Overview - NFA President
8:50-9:30am	Legislative and Regulatory Outlook: Federal and State Flood Activity - Panel Discussion
9:30-10:20am	The Future of Emergency Management, Hazard Mitigation and Federal vs. State Programs - Panel Discussion
10:20-10:40am	<i>Break</i>
10:40-11:00am	State of the NFIP - FEMA
11:00-11:30am	NFIP Key Initiatives & Advancements - FEMA
11:30-12:00pm	Office of the Flood Insurance Advocate: Annual Report and Updates - FEMA
12:00-1:15pm	<i>Lunch</i>
1:15 - 1:40pm	Disaster Savings Account Proposals - American Bankers Association
1:40-2:20pm	Flood Insurance Cost Drivers: How Mitigation Can Impact Your NFIP Rates - National Flood Experts
2:20 -3:00pm	Private Flood Growth Opportunities and the Future of the NFIP - Panel Discussion
2:40 - 3:00pm	<i>Break</i>
3:00 - 5:00pm	Concurrent Workshop Sessions:
	Lenders - Roundtable Session - Flood Compliance Hot Topics Mapping - Roundtable Session - The Future of Flood Data - Public and Private Data Collaboration Claims Topics - Roundtable Session - Key Issues Impacting the Flood Claims Adjusting Community and Coordination with FEMA
5:30 - 7:00pm	Evening Reception/Networking Event - All Attendees & Paid Guests

Tuesday, March 17	
8:30-9:00am	Monday Workshop Recap & Take-aways
9:00-9:40am	The Calm Before the Storm? Overview of 2025 Storm Events - Panel Discussion
9:40-10:20am	Flood Claims - 2025 Claims Experience and a Look at the Year Ahead - Panel Discussion
10:20-10:40am	<i>Break</i>
10:40-11:30am	Harris County TX: Creating More Resilient Communities Through Local and Federal Cooperation - Harris County Flood Control District
11:30am-12:10pm	Innovations in Flood Risk Data and Modeling - Panel Discussion
12:10 - 1:30pm	<i>Lunch</i>
1:30pm-2:10pm	Practical Application of Green Infrastructure for Stormwater Management - Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago
2:10 - 2:50pm	Affordability Solutions - Pilot Programs for Community-Based Insurance - Panel Discussion
2:50-3:10pm	<i>Break</i>
3:10pm - 4:00pm	Legal Perspectives for the Flood Industry: Banking, Insurance and Flood Determination Litigation Review - Panel Discussion
4:00pm	Closing Comments