

Wisconsin REC Superintendent's Association

June 25, 2024

To: REC Operations Managers and Line Superintendents

From: Wendy Fassbind, Wisconsin Electric Cooperative Association

Re: 2024 Wisconsin REC Superintendents Conference—September 19–20, 2024

The 2024 Wisconsin REC Superintendents Conference is scheduled for September 19–20, 2024 at the Radisson Hotel, La Crosse, Wisconsin. We wish to extend a warm welcome to you and any staff at your cooperative who would like to attend.

Please find attached a program and registration form. Registration cost is \$225/person.

Please fill out the enclosed registration form and enclose a check payable to: **WECA Line Superintendent's Association**. Registration form and check are due no later than Friday, September 6 to:

Wendy Fassbind
WECA Line Superintendent's Association
6405 Century Avenue, Suite 102
Middleton, WI 53562-2200
wendy@weca.coop

**Please note new mailing
address for checks.**

ROOM BLOCK

Radisson Hotel
200 Harborview Plaza
La Crosse, WI
(608) 784-6680

Group Name: REC Superintendents Fall Conference 2024

Block Rate: \$139+tax/night (1 king bed city view) or \$159+tax/night (2 queens river view)

Block Expires: Sunday, August 18, 2024

Website Link: [Radisson Hotel La Crosse](#)

Website Long Link: <https://www.choicehotels.com/reservations/groups/wp56f8?checkInDate=2024-09-18&checkOutDate=2024-09-20&ratePlanCode=BPIZTW>

If you have any questions about the conference registration, feel free to contact me at (608) 467-4589 or via email at wendy@weca.coop. We look forward to seeing you there!

Attachments

~ Registration Form ~
2024 REC Superintendent's Conference
September 19–20, 2024
Radisson Hotel
200 Harborview Plaza, La Crosse, Wisconsin

Conference Registration: \$225.00/person
(Conference registration includes program/speakers; all breaks; Thursday and Friday meals)

Conference Registration _____ x \$225.00/person \$ _____

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Cooperative _____

Cooperative Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Person returning this form _____ Email _____

Name (please print clearly)	Driftless Axe (Wed.)
1.) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

Final registration deadline is Friday, September 6, 2024

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Radisson Hotel

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La Crosse, Wisconsin

Thursday, September 19, 2024

- 7–8 a.m. Registration and Buffet Breakfast
- 8 a.m. **Welcome**
Kent Weigel, Clark Electric Cooperative
- 8:10 a.m. **Federated Insurance Update**
Troy Dahl, Federated Rural Electric Insurance Exchange
- 8:45 a.m. **Tagging Procedures**
Ryan Kenealy, Dairyland Power Cooperative
- 9:45 a.m. **Break**
- 10:05 a.m. **SCADA Discussion**
Dan Landreman, Eaton
- 10:45 a.m. **JT&S, ROPE, WECA, Diggers Hotline, DOT Updates**
John Bestul, Dairyland Power Cooperative
Tim Clay, Wisconsin Electric Cooperative Association
Nic Alberson, Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative
 - Diggers Hotline/Wisconsin Damage Prevention Council UpdateDuane Moore, Adams-Columbia Electric Cooperative
 - DOT Asbuilt Permit Changes
- 12 p.m. Lunch
- 12:45 p.m. **Health/Wellness Speaker**
- 2 p.m. **Self Awareness**
Tom Thibodeau, Viterbo College
- 3 p.m. Day 1 Program Ends
- 3:15 p.m. **WUSA Trade Show & Reception** *(held at the La Crosse Center)*
(Sponsored by WUSA)

Friday, September 20, 2024

7–8 a.m. Buffet Breakfast

8 a.m. **Business Meeting**
Kent Weigel, Clark Electric Cooperative
Approval of Minutes and Financials
Election of New Officer (Vice Chair)
Recognition of Retirement(s)

Apprenticeship Updates
Pete Mleziva, Northeast Wisconsin Technical College
Kendal Schmidt, Chippewa Valley Technical College

8:30 a.m. **Mutual Topics**
Nic Alberson, Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative
(take break added as needed)

12 p.m. Adjourn

NOTES: On Wednesday, September 18, we will be holding the JT&S Committee meeting at the Radisson Hotel. Times still TBD.

We are also working with WUSA on a Wednesday evening activity. We are looking at the Driftless Axe & Arcade (located a few blocks from the Radisson Hotel). More information will be coming. Mark on the registration form if you are interested in attending this activity so we can get an accurate guest count.

Thank you to the **Wisconsin Utility Suppliers Association (WUSA)**
for **SPONSORING** the Trade Show & Reception!

