

# 2021 Colorado Wildland Fire Conference\*

## Monday, Sept. 20

**1:00 - 5:00 PM** Building Your FAC Neighborhood Ambassador Approach Workshop (Day 1)

## Tuesday, Sept. 21

**8:30 AM - 4:30 PM** Building Your FAC Neighborhood Ambassador Approach Workshop (Day 2)

**9:00 AM - 12:00 PM** Colorado Prescribed Fire Council Workshop (tentative)

**1:00 - 4:00 PM** Riparian and WUI fire tour and mitigation conversation

Ride the Palisade Rim Trail and FACO Social Gathering at a Palisade vineyard

**5:00-8:00 PM** Conference Check-In

## Wednesday, Sept. 22

**6:00-7:45 AM** Breakfast

Conference Check-In

**8:00 AM** Welcome, Ancestral Homelands, Honor Guard/Posting of the Colors/Remembrance

**8:15 AM** Opening Remarks by Dignitaries

**8:30 AM** Keynote: A Fire Story: Surviving the New Normal - Brian Fies

**9:00 AM** Micro Talk: Letters from the front: Confessions of a Fire Science Exchange Coordinator, Gloria Edwards

**9:15 AM** Micro Talk: RMRI: Moving Forest Restoration to the Landscape Level - Patt Dorsey

**9:30 AM** Micro Talk: New Wildfire Prevention Tools for Establishing Resilient Landscapes - Wes Bolsen

**9:45 AM** Morning Break and Refreshments

<b>10:10-11:00 AM</b>	<b>Room 1</b>	<b>Room 2</b>	<b>Room 3</b>
	The Cameron Peak Fire: Mitigation work, lessons learned and next steps - panel moderated by Jennifer Petzelka	On Track toward a Triple Bottom Line "Wildfire Resilience Triangle" for Landscapes and Communities in the North Bay Counties, California - Virginia Mahacek (tentative)	After the Feds Leave - Theresa Springer

<b>11:10 AM-12:00 PM</b>	<b>Room 1</b>	<b>Room 2</b>	<b>Room 3</b>
	Wildfire and the Need to Explain Yourself - Greg Vigneux	The Full Court Press Wildland Strategy - Bruce Evans	Upper Clear Creek Pre-Fire Planning for Risk Mitigation and Post-Fire Response - Drew Beck

**12:00 PM** Lunch

<b>1:30-2:20 PM</b>	<b>Room 1</b>	<b>Room 2</b>	<b>Room 3</b>
	Workforce Development in Fire and Forestry - CO Corps - Kevin Heiner (tentative)	Can rapid wildfire risk assessment data predict structure loss during a wildfire event? A case study of the East Troublesome Fire - James M.	Hitting Closer to Home: Hardening Structures by Using Fire-Retardant-Treated Wood - Mike Eckhoff

**2:20-2:45 PM** Afternoon Break/Refreshments

**2:45-4:15 PM** How Can a Policy Approach Help Coloradans Live Safely with Wildfire

**5:30-9:00 PM** Evening Social - Poster Session Trivia, music, drawings, awards, and hors'de'ouvres,

## Thursday, Sept. 23

**6:00-7:45 AM** Breakfast

Morning Remarks

**8:15 AM** Keynote: Reflections On The Challenges Faced By the Wildland Fire Community - Bill Hahnenberg

**9:00 AM** Micro talk: BLM Planning in Colorado - Patrick Kieran

**9:15 AM** Micro talk: Fire Adapted CO - State of the State - Rebecca Samulski

**9:30 AM** Micro talk: A Change in Behavior - Doug Cupp

**9:45 AM** Morning Break/ Refreshments

<b>10:10-11:00 AM</b>	<b>Room 1</b>	<b>Room 2</b>	<b>Room 3</b>
	Understanding Dynamics of Forest Treatment Costs - Kurt Mackes	North Bay Forest Improvement Program: a Regional Public-Private Partnership to Mitigate Fire Fuel - Molly Curley O'Brien	Introduction to the CSFS Colorado Forest Atlas Interactive Web Mapping Applications - Lauren Hargis

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	How to change your community culture and create mitigation champions! - Paulette Church	Linking Community & Science through landscape scale forest restoration planning in the St. Vrain Watershed - Jessie Olson Panel	GIS and Spatial Analysis for Assessing Post Wildfire Impacts and Damage Cost Estimates - Peter Kobylarz (tentative)

**12:00 PM** Lunch

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	Understanding the Impact of Forest Management on the Cameron Peak and CalWood Fires - Christopher Choi	Wildfires & Water Supply - What does the future look like? - Brad Piehl	Potential Operational Delineations: Use and development in Colorado - moderated by Mike Caggiano

**2:10-3:00 PM** **Go Big!** Engaging Political and Community Leaders that Match the Scale of Our 2020 Fires - Monte Williams (Supervisor, Arapahoe-Roosevelt Nat'l Forest), Tony Cheng (Director, Colorado Forest Restoration Institute), John Kefalas (Commissioner, Larimer County), Matt Jones (Commissioner, Boulder County and former State Senator), moderated by Jim Hubbard (retired Undersecretary of Agriculture, former CO State Forester)

**3:00 - 3:15 PM** Conference Wrap up, Closing Remarks, & Conference Participation Winners

**4:00 - 6:00 PM** Resource mobilization overview and tour of Upper Colorado River Interagency Fire Management and Aviation Unit

\*Schedule subject to change. Some speakers have not yet confirmed timing.