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2019 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SCHOOL SPEAKING AGREEMENT

SPEAKER INFORMATION

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SESSION SPECIFICS

Audience Profile: The Illinois Park and Recreation Association's (IPRA) members are recreation and park professionals, vendors, citizens, and students who are committed to serving the leisure needs of a continually changing society. They are advocates for the lifetime benefits of parks and recreation. IPRA's members are responsible for planning and administering recreation programs and maintaining and preserving open space in park districts, city recreation and park departments, county forest preserves, conservation districts, the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, special recreation associations, state mental health and correctional centers, hospitals, special sport facilities, universities, and private recreation concerns.

Session(s): Advocacy 101 – Talking to your Legislators: Why and How?

Date, Time: Tuesday, 11/12/19, 1pm-3:10pm

Location: Eagle Ridge Resort & Spa
444 Eagle Ridge Drive, Galena, IL 61036

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Session Title: Advocacy 101 – Talking to your Legislators: Why and How?

- Learning Objective (1) – Understand why it is important for professionals to engage with state and federal legislators.
- Learning Objective (2) – Understand how to shape public policy affecting your agency to advance your legislative needs.
- Learning Objective (3) – Understand how to develop effective ways to communicate your agency's benefits to legislators.
- Learning Objective (4) – Understand the importance of developing lasting relationships with legislators that will help advance the efforts of your agency.



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DEADLINES (PLEASE SEND THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO:)

Steven Muenz (smuenz@spdcares.com)

Signed Speaking Agreement	4/8/19
Session Title and Description	4/8/19
Brief Biographical Summary	4/8/19
Handouts	9/1/19

AUDIO VISUAL EQUIPMENT

The session room will be set and equipped as follows (*Speakers must supply their own laptop computer*):

- LCD and Screen, speakers (audio) and Wi-Fi
- Classroom style with head table

Please indicate below any additional A/V equipment you require.

HANDOUTS

Handouts for attendees are strongly encouraged. **Please bring at least 30 copies of your handouts to your session(s).**

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AGREEMENT

SPEAKER FEES/EXPENSES (ONLY THOSE EXPENSES OUTLINED AND AGREED TO BELOW WILL BE REIMBURSED)

- Honorarium = \$ N/A Payable to: _____
- Make hotel reservation ● Single ○ Double Arrival: 11/12/19 Departure: 11/13/19
- Round-trip mileage 290 miles _____ (estimated mileage) @ current IRS mileage rate = \$168.20 _____
- Airfare Departure City: _____ Arrival: _____ Departure: _____
- I will need copies of my handouts. Handouts must be received by IPRA one week prior to session.

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Speaker Signature

Date

Duane Smith, Education Director

Date

