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2021 RCAP National Fly-In Agenda
Virtual (Eastern Time)

Monday, February 22

***All Fly-In materials will be sent electronically to all attendees the week prior**

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Optional Virtual Hill Meetings (set-up using own tech)

11:00 AM – 1:00 PM RCAP Board of Directors Meeting (GoToMeeting)

5:30 – 6:30 PM Welcome Event: Overview of RCAP 2021 Fly-In
Priorities with New Congress & Successful Meeting Messages
(Zoom)

- Nathan Ohle, CEO, RCAP
- Ted Stiger, Sr Director of Government Affairs & Policy, RCAP
- Mae Stevens, Executive Vice President, Signal Group

Tuesday, February 23

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Virtual Hill Meetings (set-up using own tech)

12:30 – 1:30 PM Virtual Lunch: Federal Budget & Appropriations
Outlook: 2022 (Zoom)

- Bob Rapoza, President, Rapoza Associates
- Ted Stiger, Sr Director of Government Affairs & Policy, RCAP
- Hunter Jackman, Policy & Program Associate, RCAP, moderator

5:30 – 7:00 PM RCAP Congressional Champion Presentation Honoring
Senator Chuck Grassley (Zoom)

- Senator Chuck Grassley (R-IA)
- Keith Ashby, President, RCAP Board of Directors
- Nathan Ohle, CEO, RCAP

- Mike Brownfield, Executive Director, MAP
- Rick Hunsaker, MAP Board of Directors, presenter

Wednesday, February 24

9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Virtual Hill Meetings (set-up using own tech)

12:30 – 1:30 PM Virtual Lunch: RCAP Federal Agency Partners Panel Discussion (Zoom)

- Jennifer McClain, Director, EPA Office of Groundwater Drinking Water (confirmed)
- Lynda Pérez, Director, HHS-OCS (invited)
- Scott Barringer, Deputy Assistant Administrator, USDA-Rural Development (invited)
- Nathan Ohle, CEO, RCAP, moderator

5:30 – 6:30 PM RCAP Congressional Champion Presentation Honoring Congressman Sanford Bishop (Zoom)

- Congressman Sanford Bishop (D-GA-2)
- Keith Ashby, President, RCAP Board of Directors
- Nathan Ohle, CEO, RCAP
- Hope Cupit, President & CEO, SERCAP, presenter
- Phil Read, Director, Georgia RCAP, presenter

Thursday, February 25

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM Virtual Hill Meetings (set-up using own tech)

12:30 – 1:30 PM RCAP Partner Briefing: Big Ideas for Rural Development Policy (Zoom)

- Tony Pipa, Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution
- Janet Topolsky, Executive Director-Community Strategies Group, Aspen Institute
- Nathan Ohle, CEO, RCAP, moderator

4:00 – 5:00 PM Fly-In Wrap-up & Meetings plus Appropriations Request Form Follow-up (Zoom)

- Ted Stiger, Sr Director of Government Affairs & Policy, RCAP
- Hunter Jackman, Policy & Program Associate, RCAP

5:30 – 6:30 PM Virtual Happy Hour (Zoom)