

## 61st Annual IRWA-Alabama Chapter 24 Right-of-Way Conference

Embassy Suites by Hilton 2410 University Blvd Tuscaloosa, AL 35401 March 5-6, 2020

## WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 2020

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm Board Meeting, Embassy Suites

THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 2020

8:00 am - 9:00 am Registration, Embassy Suites Foyer

Presiding Jason Drummond, President, Chapter 24

Housekeeping/Safety/Agenda

9:05 am – 9:50 am Current Economic Conditions & the Effect on Real Property Values in Alabama

Dr. Sam Addy. Senior Research Economist

University of Alabama Center for Business & Economic Research

9:50 am - 10:00 am Refreshment Break

10:00 am - 10:45 am Refresher on Alabama Eminent Domain Code Provisions Pertaining to Appraisals

James Bradford, Partner, Balch & Bingham LLP

10:45 am - 10:55 am Refreshment Break

10:55 am - 11:30 am An Overview of the Tennessee Valley Authority's Right of Way Acquisition Process

Michael B. Tindle, Title Attorney, Tennessee Valley Authority

11:30 am - 1:00 pm **Lunch (Dutch Treat)** 

**SESSION II** 

Presiding Jason Drummond, President, Chapter 24

1:00 pm - 1:45 pm Highlighting the Practical Use of UAS in Alabama Power's Day-To-Day Functions

Jason McDade, Right of Way Specialist, Alabama Power

1:45 pm - 1:55 pm Refreshment Break

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1:55 pm-2:40 pm Overview of the Economic Climate in the West Alabama Region

Larry Jowers, Career Center Site Manager, Alabama Career Center System Tuscaloosa, Alabama

Area-Senior Manager for Tuscaloosa, Demopolis, Fayette, and Livingston Career Centers

2:40 pm -2:55 pm **Refreshment Break** 

2:55 pm - 4:15 pm Opening of the Birmingham CBD (Central Business District) Project

Amber Seymore, PE, Civil Engineer, ALDOT, East Central Region, Birmingham Area

(3:30-3:40-Break) Tuscaloosa Area ALDOT Project Update: Signature Arch Bridge & Lurleen B. Wallace

Blvd. Rehab.

Benji Cantrell, PE, Civil Engineer, ALDOT, West Central Region, Tuscaloosa Area

6:00 pm – 8:00 pm Ribfest Social

Dreamland BBQ 100 Bridge Avenue Northport, AL 35746

## FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 2020

## **SESSION III**

**Presiding** Brownlee Fiveash, SR/WA, Vice President, Chapter 24

9:00 am - 9:45 am **International Update & State of the Association** 

Judy Jones, SR/WA, R/W-AC, R/W-NAC, International Secretary

9:45 am - 10:00 am **Refreshment Break** 

10:00 am - 10:45 am The State of the Current Retail Market in Alabama and Beyond

Bill Clements, CCIM, Partner, The Retail Companies

10:50 am - 11:30 am Business Meeting and Elections

11:30 am - 12:00 pm Door Prizes, & Closing Remarks