

CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS - 2023 FASD EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

Florida Association of Special Districts is seeking proposals for education programming for our Annual Conference in June, Quarterly Meetings beginning January 2023, and webinars from interested companies for our upcoming year.

Our Education and Certification Committee and Conference and Awards Committee is looking for proposals from Speakers and Presentation Teams for education sessions and roundtable discussion groups.

Our goal is to provide ongoing classes and presentations that are of interest and value for all of our members and their staff. Priority consideration will be given to submissions that include a member and/or associate member covering a current, hot-topic, or important issue for special purpose governments.

Optimally, presentation teams should consist of at least one member and/or associate member.

Topic areas should include:

- Cybersecurity Trends & Updates
- Remote Workforce Best Practices
- Risk Management
- · Financial Management, Budget, and Analysis
- Professional Development
- UAS (Unmanned Aircraft Systems) Proficiencies for Special Districts
- Public Outreach Initiatives and Programs
- Green Infrastructure Initiatives and Examples
- Using Social Media; or An Introductory Course in Social Media; or Expanding your Use of Social Media
- Effective Measures of Conflict Resolution or Dealing with the Public in an Effective Manner
- Resiliency and Adaptation Strategies for dealing with Climate Change
- Overview of solar power and opportunities for local governments to incorporate solar power into new and existing buildings to include:
 - Partnerships with Utility Companies
 - Incentives/Grants/Assistance

- o Guidance and expertise for planning, designing, and implementing solar systems
- o Electric-powered vehicles and equipment
- Other ideas for the use of clean energy and reducing the carbon footprint
- Dealing with the Press/Crisis Management
- Preparing an Emergency Operations Plan
- An introductory course for "New Supervisors" (or Managers)
- Asset Management Software
- Writing and Implementing a Safety Manual
- Lobbying 101; Get to know and interact with your local representatives
- Grant writing and strategies for obtaining grants and other outside funding
- Eliminating Bank Fraud
- Best Practices for Recruitment and Hiring of New Staff
- Effective Leadership Training
- Records Management
- Artificial Intelligence in Special Purpose Government
- Private/Public Partnerships
- Possible training courses for staff members in auto mechanics; small engine repairs; CPR and First Aid; tree trimming; driver safety; CDL; etc.
- Courses for Professional Engineers, Property Managers; Aquatic License Holders; CFMs; and others.

Please submit your proposals to Rachel Kruse at rachel@fasd.com by Friday, October 14, 2022.

Only speakers who submit a completed proposal packet will be considered.

Selected speakers will be notified by December 2022.



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Speaker Information					
Name					
Email					
Phone					
Address					
Website					
Presentation Inf	ormation				
Topic					
Title					
Summary	This is used to promote sessions in our event marketing:				
Objectives	What are your Top Three Objectives:				
Format	What is your presentation format:				



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Speaker Bio(s)	Please attach headshots for all presenters when submitting
Advertising the Pr	esentation
LinkedIn Link	
FB Link	
	Please provide text for social media to promote your session:



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