

NWSA 2026 Conference

Date: March 10 - 12th 2026
Peppermill Reno, NV

March 10th 2026:

- NWSA Board Meeting 9:00 am – 10:00 am
- NWSA Training Committee 8:00 am – 8:30 am
- NWSA Trainers Session 9:00 am–12:30 pm
Check-in 8:30 a.m.
- NWSA Membership Meeting 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 - Business Meeting 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 - Resource Groups 3:00 pm - 5:00 pmCheck-In 1 p.m.

March 11th 2026:

- Welcome - Jess Wills – NWSA President 8:00 am – 8:20am
- Recognition of Past President – Claren Nilsson
- Introduction of Current Board Members
- Vendor Show Naples 4 & 5 8:30 am - 7:30 pm
- Keynote Speaker 8:20 am –8:40 am
- USFS Speakers – Program Management 8:40 am- 10:00
- Break am 10:00am –
- Ballots DUE for Board Member Voting 10:30am
- USFS Property & Procurement Speakers 10:30 am
- Lunch (On your Own) 10:30am– 12:00
- pm 12:00 – 1:30
- pm

Resource Meetings with Agency:

Vendor Welcome Reception 5:30 – 7:00 pm

March 12th

- Welcome – Jess Wills, NWSA President 9:00 – 9:15 am
- Vendor Show - 9:00 – 3:00 pm
- Break 9:30 - 10:00 am
- Resource Group 10:00 - 12:00 pm
- Lunch on your own 12:00 - 1:30
- State Speakers: 12:00 – 1:30 pm
- 2026 Fire Weather Presentation - 1:30 – 3:00 pm
- Happy Hour 5:30 – 6:30 pm
- Dinner 6:30 - 7:30 pm
- Benefit Auction 7:30– 9:00 pm

- 50% of all proceeds go to the Wildland Firefighter Foundation