

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
- NWSA Membership Meeting a.m. 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm
 - Business Meeting 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm
 - Resource Groups 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
- Check-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	