

CALL FOR PRESENTERS



2016 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND MEETING

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The Connecticut Association of Flood Managers (CAFM) will convene its third Annual Conference and Meeting in West Haven, Connecticut on October 25, 2016. We invite you to share your experiences as municipal and state officials, industry leaders, consultants, and other interested parties to promote a more resilient Connecticut.

CAFM seeks a broad range of professionals to address the many issues and problems associated with managing flood risk, making communities more sustainable, and protecting floodplain and fragile natural resources. This conference will examine the challenges facing Connecticut, and share experiences and lessons learned as flood managers and municipal officials.

Last year, presenters covered a broad range of riverine and coastal topics, including dam operation, insurance requirements and changes, hazard and mitigation planning, and FEMA administrative processes for changing flood boundaries. We encourage you to share your knowledge with Connecticut's flood management community.

We look forward to hearing your flood management presentation! We are accepting presentations in lengths of 15, 25 and 50 minutes. Please submit the following to us:

- ▶ Abstract of your presentation
- ▶ 100-word biography
- ▶ Presentation length in minutes

Forward these materials to contactcafmg@gmail.com by **August 31, 2016**. Proposers will be notified by September 7, 2016.

ABOUT CAFM

Modeled after similar organizations in other states throughout the country, CAFM is the 36th statewide chapter of the Association of Floodplain Managers. CAFM's mission is to develop a professional community that promotes education, policies, and activities that mitigate current and future losses, costs, and human suffering caused by flooding, and to protect the natural and beneficial functions of floodplains. CAFM is a 501(c)3 organization.

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