

CAFM 13TH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

2026 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND MEETING

CENTRAL CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY | DECEMBER 2ND



The question is not if the next big storm is coming. It's when. And when it does, are we ready? The Connecticut Association of Flood Managers (CAFM) has held 12 annual conferences, drawing professionals together to share their flood management experience and promote flood resiliency throughout the state. For our thirteenth annual event, CAFM is planning an engaging program that will appeal to professionals working in Connecticut communities in various roles, whether they are planners, building officials, engineers, surveyors, or insurers.

The Connecticut Association of Flood Managers (CAFM) will convene its 13th Annual Conference and Meeting **in person** at the Central Connecticut State University (CCSU) Student Center on Wednesday, December 2, 2026. We have sessions with informative presentations by expert speakers and invite you to share your experiences as municipal and state officials, industry leaders, consultants, and other interested parties to promote a more flood-resilient Connecticut.

A cornerstone of CAFM's mission is to educate 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 various flooding challenges facing Connecticut, the various programs and protective measures and funding sources that

have been implemented to address these concerns, and provide an opportunity to share experiences and lessons learned as flood managers and municipal officials.

ABOUT CAFM

Modeled after similar organizations in other states throughout the country, CAFM is a statewide chapter of the Association of State Floodplain Managers (ASFPM). 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.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE

Thank you to our yearlong municipal and corporate sponsors. Conference sponsors are presented at right. Conference sponsorships specific to this event are still available; email contactCAFM@gmail.com for details.

REGISTRATION FORM

CONFERENCE DETAILS

In-Person conference, December 2 2026, 8:55 am to 4:15 pm
Central Connecticut State University Student Center, Alumni Hall (Rm. 126)
105 Ella Grasso Blvd, New Britain, CT 06053
Park at Welte Parking Garage - Registration opens at 8:15 am



REGISTRATION FEES (CHECK ONE)

Category	Registration Fee
☐ CAFM Members or Local, State, Regional, or Federal Government Employees (as New Members)	\$ 110
☐ Other New Members	\$ 130
☐ Speaker or Paid Sponsor Attendee	No Fee

Registration fee includes conference attendance, continental breakfast, refreshments at two breaks, and lunch. Lunch buffet includes grilled apple cider chicken breast, stuffed portobello mushroom, balsamic grilled salmon, baked ziti, salad, raspberry cornbread muffin, dessert. Parking is available in the Welte Garage in any unmarked spot.

ABOUT YOU

Name: _____

Position/Title: _____

Organization: _____

Office Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

E-Mail: _____

Phone: _____ Registration Fee: _____

Are you a Certified Floodplain Manager (CFM)? ► ☐ (*ASFPM pending CECs for CFMs*)

Are you a Certified Planner (AICP)? ► ☐ (*CTAPA pending CECs for AICPs*)

Are you a Certified Zoning Enforcement Officer (CZEO)? ► ☐ (*CAZEO pending CECs for CZEOs*)

Are you a Licensed Building Official? ► ☐ (*OEDM pending CECs for Building Officials*)

Registration Closes November 25th. Please email registration forms to ContactCAFM@gmail.com

Please make checks payable to CAFM, and remit (with registration form) to:

CAFM, 5 Connecticut Avenue, Norwich, CT 06360 OR pay online at www.ctfloods.org/events

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