



2010 Ag Bankers Conference

Thursday-Friday, March 25-26, 2010
GranTree Inn, 1325 N. 7th Ave, Bozeman, MT
Reservations: 800/624-5865
Space is Limited!

Agenda

Thursday, March 25, 2010

- 7:00 a.m. Registration & Breakfast
Breakfast ~ Sponsored by West Advisors
- 8:00 a.m. Welcome - *Waded Cruzado, President of MSU*
- 8:15 a.m. Real Estate Options and Opportunities - *Rick Ahmann, West Advisors*
- 8:30 a.m. 2010 MBA Update - *Steve Turkiewicz, Montana Bankers Association*
- 8:45 a.m. 2010 Cattle Fax Update - *Brett Stuart, International Market Analyst, Cattle Fax*
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:30 a.m. Real Estate Trends - *Clark Wheeler, Norman C. Wheeler & Associates*
David Novotny, MT Deputy Commissioner of Banking and Financial Institutions
- 11:15 a.m. **Lunch ~ Sponsored by The Bank of Baker**
- 1:15 p.m. Montana Stockgrowers Association
- 1:30 p.m. "What Got Us Into This Economic Mess and What Does the Future Hold?"
Toby Madden, Regional Economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis
Charles Dodson, Agricultural Economist, USDA/Farm Service Agency
- 2:15 p.m. Break
- 3:00 p.m. Break
- 3:15 p.m. 2010 Commodity Outlook - *Jim Bower, President/CEO, Bower Trading, Inc.*
- 4:15 p.m. FSA Update - *Bruce Nelson, State Executive Director, MT Farm Service Agency*
- 4:30 p.m. Farmer Mac 2010 Update - *Patrick Kerrigan, Director of Business Development, Farmer Mac*
- 5:00 p.m. **Reception ~ Sponsored by Farmer Mac**

Friday, March 26, 2010

- 7:30 a.m. Breakfast
- 8:00 a.m. "2010: The Year the Banking Industry Will Have to Cowboy Up"
John Blanchfield, ABA Center for Agriculture and Rural Banking
- 9:00 a.m. "Agriculture in China"
Denny Everson, First Dakota National Bank
- 10:00 a.m. Agricultural Banking Panel
Denny Everson as Moderator
- 11:00 a.m. "Humor for the Heart of Agriculture"
Damian Mason
- 12:00 p.m. Chairman's Closing Remarks
- 12:30 p.m. Adjourn

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Registration Form

Yes, I want to attend the 2010 Ag Bankers Conference
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Registration Fee

- MBA Member \$300
- *Additional MBA Member \$260
- Non-Member \$600
- *Additional Non-Member \$560

***Additional Member - Same Bank, Same City**

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FAX: Complete form and fax to 406.443.7850

MAIL: Complete form and mail to Montana Bankers Association,
1 N Last Chance Gulch, Ste. 4, Helena, MT 59601

ONLINE: Visit www.montanabankers.com (Education)

Hotel Reservations

Call 800/624-5865 to make your hotel reservations at the GranTree Inn, 1325 N. 7th Ave, Bozeman, Montana. Mention the MBA Seminar and get our special discounted rate based on group availability.

Cancellation Deadlines

March 6, 2010 is the deadline for full registration refund. If cancellation is after March 6, 2010, a \$50 fee will be charged.

THE MBA GUARANTEE

MBA guarantees the MBA 2010 Ag Bankers Conference will meet or exceed your expectations. If it doesn't, simply let us know and we'll refund your full registration fee – no questions asked!

For questions or additional information, please contact:
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