



Thursday Conference Agenda

February 12, 2026

7:30 AM	Check - In & Exhibitor Showcase	Lake Country Ballroom Foyer
8:30 AM	Welcome & Introductions Jackie Spoor - President, WCPA	Lake Country Ballroom
8:45 AM	WisDOT - Address from the Secretary's Office: Funding and Program Vision Kristina Boardman - Secretary, WisDOT	Lake Country Ballroom
9:15 AM	WisDOT Concrete Outlook & Goals Erik Lyngdal, PE - Chief Materials Engineer, WisDOT Tirupan Mandal, PE - Concrete Materials Unit Supervisor, WisDOT	Lake Country Ballroom
9:45 AM	Break & Exhibitor Showcase	
10:00 AM	FHWA Updates and Implementation Strategies Mike Praul, PE - Senior Concrete Engineer, FHWA	Lake Country Ballroom
10:45 AM	CP Tech Center - Fresh Guide Leif Wathne, PE - Associate Director, CP Tech Center	Lake Country Ballroom
11:15 AM	RC3 - Performance Centered Concrete Construction Jim Mack, PE - Associate Principal, Wiss, Janney, Elstner Associates, Inc.	Lake Country Ballroom
12:00 PM	LUNCH	
12:45 PM	Celebrating Wisconsin's Award Winning Projects Leslie Ashauer, PE - Director of Engineering, WCPA	Oakton Ballroom
1:15 PM	HTCP Update / QMP Award Winner Jodi Pluemer - Program Director, HTCP	Oakton Ballroom
1:30 PM	Break & Exhibitor Showcase	

	DESIGN TRACK <i>Woodland BCD</i>	CONSTRUCTION / MUNICIPAL TRACK <i>Lake Country Ballroom</i>
2 - 2:45 PM	LCCA: Maintenance & Rehabilitation Summary <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dan Labo, PE - Executive Director, CPAM 	Municipal Overlay Advantages <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lee Shepard - Concrete Promotions Director, ICPA
3 - 3:45 PM	Beyond the Basics - Real-World Overlay Design Solutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dan King, PE - Research Engineer, CP Tech Center 	Iowa's Maturity Success Story <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Todd Hanson, PE - Materials Engineer, IDOT
4 - 4:45 PM	Ask the Experts—Design Challenges from the Contractor's Perspective <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eric Ferrebee, PE - Senior Director of Technical Services, ACPA Contractor & Engineer Panel: Mark LaLonde (LaLonde Contractors), Heath Schopf, PE (Vinton Construction), Craig Stocks (A.W. Oakes and Son) & Tony Zignego (Zignego Companies) 	QC Plan's and Importance of Testing & Validating <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mike Praul, PE - Senior Concrete Engineer, FHWA

4:45 PM	Break & Exhibitor Showcase	
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	WCPA's Networking BBQ Dinner	Lake Country Ballroom
8:00 PM - MIDNIGHT	Hospitality & Networking	Lake Country Ballroom

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8:00 AM	Hot Breakfast Buffet	Lake Country Ballroom Foyer
8:30 AM	Check - In for New Arrivals & Exhibitor Showcase	Lake Country Ballroom
9:00 AM	FY2026 & 2027 Construction Lets & Quantities Justin Shell - WisDOT Div. of Transportation Investment Management	Lake Country Ballroom
9:45 AM	BOA Update & Introducing WisDOT Angela Adams - Deputy Administrator, Division of Investment Management, WisDOT	Lake Country Ballroom
10:00 AM	Re-VITAL-ize Community Highways Debby Jackson - Director, TDA Steve Baas - Executive Director, WTBA	Lake Country Ballroom
11:00 AM	Break & Exhibitor Showcase	
11:15 AM	WCPA's Scholarship Recognition Jackie Spoor - President, WCPA	Lake Country Ballroom
11:30 PM	Roundtable Discussion Updates Rebecca Burkel - Administrator, Division of Transportation System Development Jackie Spoor - President, WCPA	Lake Country Ballroom
12:00 PM	Adjourn	

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